

## **COVID Protocols**

September 2022

### **Face Covering**

Face coverings are optional for all students in Kindergarten through Post Secondary as well as for all adults. Masks are required in the nurse's offices.

### **Screening and Symptoms**

Any staff or student demonstrating COVID-19 symptoms should test. Symptomatic antigen testing is available in the school nurse's office pending parental written consent. Information about this option will follow from the school nurses.

### **Quarantine and Illness**

#### **Positive COVID Individuals**

School nurses should be notified of any adults or students who test positive.

Everyone, regardless of vaccination status, if testing positive, must isolate:

- Stay home for 5 days
- If you have no symptoms or your symptoms are resolving after 5 days you can leave your house.
- Continue to wear a mask around others for an additional 5 days. Return to school on day 6, if fever-free for 24 hours and have minimal or resolving respiratory symptoms

Individual students will receive asynchronous work during the time they are absent from school. Teachers will prioritize concepts and the workload.

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## **Pool Testing**

The district no longer participates in pool testing.

## **Community Access to Facilities**

The buildings are available to all community groups through the electronic portal.

## **Visitors**

Visitors are allowed entry to the schools in compliance with security protocols. Parent conferences and IEP meetings will be held in person with a remote option per parent request.

## **Large Group Events**

All restrictions for large group activities are removed, including assemblies, performances, and Back to School nights. Pending large case surges, face masks may be reinstated on an event by event basis.

## **Data Dashboard**

District COVID data will be shared on a weekly basis in alignment with current MDPH practices.