

2021-2022 SCHOOL REOPENING GUIDELINES

The chief priority of the district is to provide daily in-person instruction throughout the entire 2021-2022 school year for all students. The district will work tirelessly to safely bring students back to school, in-person, at 100% capacity. The district's reopening plan is a fluid document that is subject to change based on the recommendations from CDC, AAP, NYSED, NYSDQH, LCDOH, the district's Risk Management and Safety Specialist, and the district's school physician. Additionally, the district will be monitoring Washington County's COVID-19 community transmission which uses the four category system of low, moderate, substantial, and high

Use of Face Masks:

Indoors:

- Masks are required of all staff, students, and visitors regardless of vaccination status

Outdoors:

- Masks are not required

Parent/Guardians Visitations:

- Parents will be allowed into the school buildings if masked (regardless of vaccination status)



Daily Health Screenings:

- All staff will be required to complete and submit a digital daily health screening
- All students will be screened via a daily temperature check prior to entering the school buildings
- The school district will send regular communications to parents/guardians to remind them to monitor and check their child/children for COVID-19 symptoms and keep their child/children home when sick, and seek testing when appropriate



Transportation:

- Buses may return to full capacity, but three-foot physical distancing will be maintained to the extent possible
- Windows/vents open when possible
- Assigned seats will be required
- Families who are able to provide transportation to and/or from school are encouraged to do so to reduce the population on buses
- All riders and staff MUST wear masks 100% of the time



Vaccination:

- No current mandate/requirement for employees to be vaccinated
- The district will work with WCDOH on encouraging vaccinations and holding clinics for eligible students
- No quarantine if vaccinated students are not symptomatic
- Still required to wear a mask regardless of vaccination status



Classrooms:

- Students will be spaced apart at three feet whenever possible
- Windows open whenever possible
- Seating charts will be maintained in classrooms to assist with contact tracing
- Increasing ventilation with outdoor air based on the outdoor air temperature and the capabilities of our system
- Ensure maintenance frequency on all HVAC systems to ensure proper functioning of equipment



Cafeteria:

- Students may take their masks off to eat and drink.
- When finished eating, masks must be worn
- Students will be separated by three foot whenever possible
- Assigned seats required to assist with contact tracing



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Daily Cleaning/Disinfecting:

The district will continue regular cleaning and disinfecting daily as needed, along with frequent cleaning and disinfecting of shared objects and surfaces. This includes high transit areas such as restrooms and common areas.

- All facilities will be cleaned daily
- Classrooms will be disinfected as necessary
- High volume touch points will be disinfected frequently throughout the day as well as each night
- All staff will have access to PPE



Athletics:



- Outdoor sports - no masks at this time
- Classrooms will be disinfected as necessary
- Spectators socially distanced, masks recommended for unvaccinated individuals
- Areas at high transmission status may have high risk sports postponed

SCHOOL BUS ROUTES

- **Bus #96 Bob Wilcox** - Scott Lake Road; Bogtown Road; Chamberlain Mills Road; Middle Road; Dunigan Road; Becky Potter Day Care; North Main St; school
- **Bus #105 Paulette Slater** - Smith Road; Scott Lake Road; Chamberlain Mills Road to West Hebron; Route 30; Karen Crosier Day Care; Coon Road; village; school
- **Bus #106 Charlie Kent** - County Route 153 to Vermont border; Chambers Road; Beattie Hollow Road; Blind Buck Road; school
- **Bus #108 Kevin Baylor** - Route 22 North: Tiplady Road; Sheldon Road; Mountainside Meadows Way; Chamberlain Mills East; Route 22; school
- **Bus #109 Mike Wulforst** - Route 29; McDougal Lake Road; East Greenwich; Reafield Farm Road; Carney-Cassidy Road; Maxwell Road; Scotch Hill Road; Keys Road; Route 22 from Route 29 to the Village; South Main Street; school
- **Bus #112 Don Willey** - Shunpike Road; County Route 64; County Route 61; Stanton Road; Rexleigh Road; Cleveland Road; Battenkill Evergreens; Battenkill Woods; school
- **Bus #116 Brenda Levey** - County Route 31; Belcher; West Hebron; Crosier Road; Calloway Road; County Route 47; Patterson Hill Road; Black Creek Road; Cemetery Road; school
- **Bus #117 Steve Black** - Perry Hill Road; Eagleville Road; Juniper Swamp Road; Railroad Aye; County Route 64; Austin Hill Road; school
- **Bus #112** - Pre-K mid day run will drop off AM Pre-K students and pick up PM Pre-K students

*Please check the district website www.salemcsd.org for updates to the bus routes