

THE LAKE AND PENINSULA SCHOOL DISTRICT COVID-19: What You Need to Know Second Semester

In addition to local mandates District Staff and Students, returning to school for second semester are required to follow the guidelines below at all times while on school grounds.

Take the following steps to protect yourself and others from COVID-19:

- Wear a <u>mask</u> at all times when in public settings to keep your nose and mouth covered. Masks are still required for ALL individuals while on school grounds or school sponsored trips.
- Avoid close contact by <u>staying at least 6 feet apart</u> (about 2 arms' length) from anyone who is not from your household.
- <u>Wash your hands</u> often or use hand sanitizer.
- Avoid contact with anyone who is sick.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Avoid large Indoor gatherings.

Upon returning to the Community:

If you traveled outside the community, take these actions to protect others after you return:

- When around others, <u>stay at least 6 feet</u> from other people who are not from your household.
- When around others, wear a mask to keep your nose and mouth covered. A mask is required at all times when on school grounds.
- <u>The District strongly recommends all individuals returning to the school community test at five to</u> <u>seven days after return (where testing is available).</u> *Testing does not release anyone from the mask requirement. This does not apply to individuals that have recovered from Covid.*
- Wash your hands often or use hand sanitizer.
- Watch your health and look for <u>symptoms of COVID-19</u>.
- Follow local recommendations and mandates for after travel

Upon receiving the Covid Vaccination: Being fully vaccinated does not change whether you have to quarantine after exposure to a known case and vaccines do not affect test results. A positive on a test still means you have COVID-19 even after vaccination.

As a result of these medical facts.

- Masks, Social Distancing, and Handwashing will still be required on school grounds.
- Testing requirements for those who travel will still be required.

The above will be in effect for all staff and students returning to school after travel. For the welfare and safety of others if any of these provisions are not followed, attendance at school will not be permitted and a distance education option will be offered. Reducing exposure to yourself and others is a shared responsibility.

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Current operations, policies, and procedures in regard to COVID will be reviewed on an ongoing basis and are subject to change.