

2021-2022 HHCS COVID-19 Response Plan (CRP)

This document is designed to provide guidance in dealing with COVID-19 for HHCS for 2021-22. Please note that this plan may need to be modified from time to time and we will keep you posted with any changes.

Masks

- At school, masks will be optional for all students and staff.

Screening

- Students and staff should self-screen each morning before coming to school.
 - If you believe your child may be experiencing symptoms associated with COVID-19, please keep him/her home from school.
 - There are many reasons a child may feel ill that are NOT related to COVID-19.
 - If your child is not feeling well and you have no reason to believe his or her symptoms are related to COVID-19, simply report your child sick and keep him or her home until symptoms are improving and your child is fever free for 24 hours.

Vaccination

- The COVID vaccination is NOT required for students or staff.
- Fully vaccinated students and staff and those who have the COVID-19 antibody do NOT have to quarantine as a result of being exposed to a positive case of COVID-19.

Additional Measures

- Normal pre-COVID school procedures will resume, including arrival, passing periods, lunch, and dismissal.
- Drinking fountains will be available to students. Hand sanitizer will be readily available.
- Student seating in cafeterias will return to pre-COVID status, but administration will have plans for social distancing during lunch periods to be used, if needed.
- Visitors/volunteers will be permitted during the school day. Unvaccinated persons are encouraged to wear face masks inside the school buildings.

Contact Tracing and Quarantine

- Currently, we will be required by the Indiana Department of Health to contact trace again this school year when we become aware of a positive case of COVID-19 at school.
- Unvaccinated students and staff who are exposed to a positive case of COVID-19 will have to quarantine for 10 days.
- Fully vaccinated students and staff and those who have the COVID-19 antibody do NOT have to quarantine as a result of being exposed to a positive case of COVID-19.