



Health & Safety Protocols for 2021-2022 School Year

Health, Safety, & Facilities Protocols for 2021-2022 School Year

- Each level is specific to one building and data to inform a change will be on that building's data.
- Once a school is advanced to a higher level, they will remain there for a minimum of 30 school days.
- Systematic protocols to keep students, families, staff and the surrounding community safe & healthy.
- Essential actions in alignment with CDC guidelines, Indiana Department of Health and Hancock County Health Department. This includes wearing a mask at all times while traveling on a school bus.
- All procedures are contingent upon any guidance provided by appropriate public health agencies.

GREEN. MVCSC to start the 2021-2022 school year under traditional guidelines with masks for unvaccinated and vaccinated individuals being encouraged, but not required.

- ELEMENTARY - 0 to 1 students/staff are COVID positive
- MIDDLE SCHOOL - 0 to 2 are COVID positive
- HIGH SCHOOL - 0 to 4 students/staff are COVID positive

BLUE.

- Absentee rate of 12% due to combined illness of students and staff within an individual building. AND/OR
- ELEMENTARY - 2 to 3 students/staff are COVID positive
- MIDDLE SCHOOL - 3 to 6 students/staff are COVID positive
- HIGH SCHOOL - 5 to 8 students/staff are COVID positive
 - Start additional sanitizing procedures
 - Daily sanitizing of surfaces and chairs that are touched often
 - Restrict use of water fountains (or bubblers). Students must use a water bottle or cup.

YELLOW.

- Absentee rate of 10% due to combined illness of students and staff within an individual building. AND/OR
- ELEMENTARY - 4 to 6 students/staff are COVID positive
- MIDDLE SCHOOL - 7 to 10 students/staff are COVID positive
- HIGH SCHOOL - 9 to 12 students/staff are COVID positive
 - Continue daily sanitizing
 - Begin fogging the building
 - Begin fogging between classes when any school is at 14%
 - Students and staff will be encouraged to wear masks

Orange.

- Absentee rate of 16% due to combined illness of students and staff within an individual building. AND/OR
- ELEMENTARY - 7 students/staff are COVID positive
- MIDDLE SCHOOL - 11 students/staff are COVID positive
- HIGH SCHOOL - 14 students/staff are COVID positive
 - Students and staff will be required to wear masks (Close Contacts move from 6' to 3')
 - Deep cleaning- all surfaces cleaned after all activities within the building and classrooms
 - Daily fogging of building

Red. Absentee rate of 20% due to combined illness of students and staff within an individual building.

- MVCSC will consult with Hancock County Health Department on possible closure •

Preventive Cleaning Procedures:

- Deep clean during all extended breaks
- Deep clean during flu season (October-March)