








USD 423 Leading the Way At-A-Glance 2021-2022



	<p><u>Mask Wearing-</u> Face masks will be optional for students, staff, and visitors. In certain situations, mask wearing could be an option to help mitigate the spread of Covid-19.</p>
	<p><u>Social Distancing-</u> Social Distancing will be maintained as much as possible within our schools. Distance may depend on close contact, quarantine, or modified quarantine situations. Other interventions such as seating arrangements could be implemented, if necessary to mitigate the spread.</p>
	<p><u>Handwashing and Hand Sanitizing-</u> Students will wash hands multiple times and will use hand sanitizer on a regular basis throughout the day. Hand sanitizer stations will be maintained at every exterior door where students and staff regularly enter and exit. Sanitizer stations will also be set up at lunch lines for additional opportunities to sanitize.</p>
	<p><u>Positive Cases / Quarantine-</u></p> <p><u>Individuals who report a positive test result to the school</u> will be sent home for 5 days from the start of symptoms.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Individuals may return to school wearing a mask after the 5th day, when fever free for 24 hours, and showing significantly improved symptoms. This would continue through day 10.◆ Individuals may not participate in athletics or activities during the 10 days. <p><u>Self-identified close contacts</u> may continue attending school wearing a mask for 10 days from exposure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Individuals may not participate in athletics or activities during this time. <p>→ <i>After the 7th day, both individuals who test positive and self-identified close contacts can provide the school nurse with a negative Covid test administered at a testing site (at home test not allowed). If a negative test is provided, the individual is allowed full return to school, athletics, and activities.</i></p>
	<p><u>Visitors-</u> Visitor access to our buildings will be allowed unless Covid-19 cases rise. Please notify the school you would like to visit. This allows the school to make any necessary accommodations for your visit. Do not come to any USD 423 location if you are experiencing any illness or Covid-19 related symptoms.</p> <p>→ Sports spectator attendance is not currently limited, and masks are optional.</p>

*Please note, based on current community data regarding Covid-19, this plan will be revised as necessary for the safety and well-being of staff and students.

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