

2021-2022 Sanford High School Winter Season Sport Guidelines

Face Coverings

Student-athletes and coaches will wear face coverings at all practices, contests, and other indoor events, regardless of venue they are competing/participating in. All must wear masks on the bus, to and from events. Student athletes and coaches will wear face coverings at all times in the locker room. Spectators, officials, and other game day personnel will wear face coverings during events held in Sanford competition spaces.

Vaccination(s)

Sanford will not have a vaccination requirement for participants, coaches, or spectators who enter Sanford's competition spaces for activities. Other venues in which Sanford participates may have their own requirements. Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines for contact tracing will be followed in the event of a report of a positive case.

Locker Rooms

Sanford locker rooms will be available to both home and visiting personnel for changing purposes. It is recommended that teams only utilize the space for changing purposes and limit their time in the space to fourteen minutes or less.

Spectator Capacity

At this time, Sanford will NOT impose an indoor spectator capacity for its home athletic contests, however social distancing should be adhered to. This may be subject to change prior to or during the season based upon state guidance.

Tickets will be sold at the door (5.00 - Adults/ 2.00 - Students/ Senior Citizens. Sanford reserves the right to change the spectator ticketing process depending upon the anticipated attendance of a given game.

For the following Events: Spartan Wrestling Annual Tournament – Saturday, January 8; the SMAA Cheering Competition on January 22 and the Cheers from the Heart Cheering Competition on February 5th SPECTATORS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED so we can reduce the risk of covid related issues that may affect our student athletes. The Most Important thing is that our athletes be able to finish the regular and playoff season with full teams intact.

Concessions

A limited concessions menu will be served at the designated area for home contests. No outside food will be allowed into the facility. Food and drink will not be permitted in the gymnasium during games.

Game Coverage

Sanford will livestream a schedule of all home basketball games & wrestling meets on YouTube at WSSRTV Additional game management personnel will be hired to assist the athletic administrator in the management of the contest, particularly in relation to crowd control measures.

In taking out another variable, we will be forgoing post-game handshakes to reduce the risk of any transmission between participants.