

Magnolia School District

Health & Safety Guidelines-Procedures

- All teachers, staff and students will be trained in proper sanitation and movement throughout the school.
- Social distancing will be practiced as much as possible.
 - "In many school settings, 6 feet between students is not feasible without limiting the number of students. Evidence suggests that spacing as close as 3 feet may approach the benefits of 6 feet of space, particularly if students are wearing face coverings and are asymptomatic. Schools should weigh the benefits of strict adherence to a 6-feet spacing rule between students with the potential downside if remote learning is the only alternative." (COVID-19 Planning Considerations: Guidance for School Re-entry, American Academy of Pediatrics)
- For all students and teachers/faculty/staff/visitors, wearing masks while on school property will be required.

Face Coverings FAQs

- Signage will be posted at entrances and throughout buildings with the latest health guidance regarding frequent handwashing, cough etiquette, nose blowing, etc.
- All hallways will be marked with directions for traffic flow.
- All doors will be propped open during arrival, dismissal, and class changes to limit the amount
 of people who touch the door handles.
- Each class will have scheduled bathroom times.
- Bathroom sanitation will be ongoing with deeper clean between those regularly scheduled.
- Soap will be available along with multiple sanitation stations (automatic sanitizer dispensers) at various locations throughout the campus.
- Disinfecting equipment for teachers and staff will be liberally distributed.
- There will be no planned assemblies. If an assembly is absolutely necessary, only one grade level will be allowed in the auditorium at a time with students/teachers spread out to allow for social distancing.
- Meet the Teacher videos will be posted by individual teachers to their Teacher Pages.
- Students/Parents will have assigned times to attend Parent-Teacher conferences. Video/Phone conferencing will be provided as requested.
- Teachers will be on the lookout for illness and refer students to the nurse as needed.
- There will be a documented procedure for referring students to the school nurse

- There will be a designated space for healthy students coming to the nurse's office for routine needs, medications, diabetic checks, asthma management, first aid/injury assessment, etc
- There will be designated isolation space for students and/or staff who are ill or need evaluation for possible infection.
- Parents are instructed to keep their child at home if they are ill.
- Parents should screen for the following before sending their student(s) to school each day:
 - Unexplained cough, difficulty breathing, sore throat, loss of taste or smell.
 - Close contact with infected person (COVID-19) within the previous 14 days.
 - Fever of 100.4 or above within the last 48 hours.
- Any student or staff member with a fever of 100.4 degrees or greater or symptoms of possible COVID-19 virus infection should not be present in school.

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