Face Masks:

School Guide 2020-21



BANGOR TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS





What is the definition of a facial covering?

A cloth material that covers the nose and mouth. Masks may be secured to the head or wrap around the lower face. Examples: Traditional style (around ears) or gaiter style (around head)

Appropriate materials may include: cotton, linen, etc.
*Factory made or handmade.

Please Note:

Masks worn to school must be school appropriate and must not disrupt the learning environment of the classroom or school.

Face Mask Requirements

YOUR CHOICE



Homemade

(or school issued)

-washed daily

Disposable

(Level 1 basic grade surgical masks)

-thrown away daily

*Students will be given a disposable mask if they forget their mask.

Facial Coverings are required in <u>all</u> classrooms grades 2-12

-recommended PreK-1

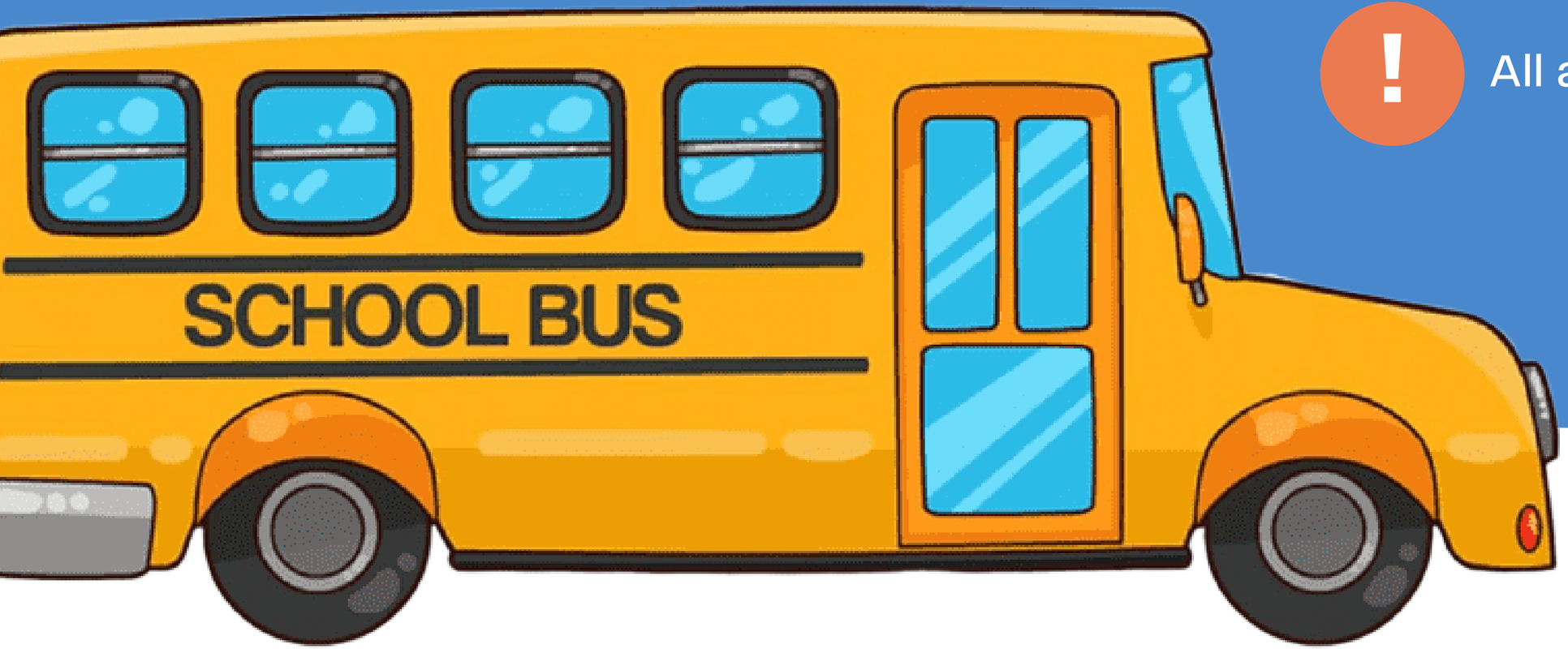


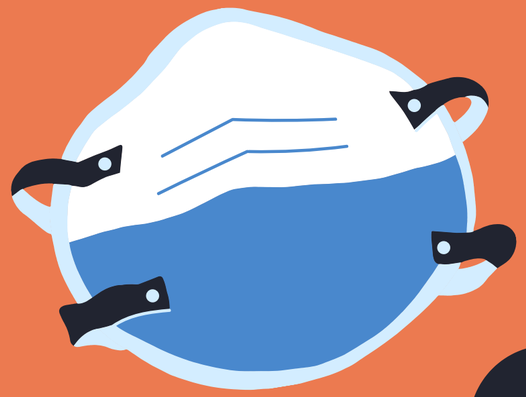
Every student and staff member will be issued 1 reusable/washable mask by the district.

Masks must be worn on school transportation

AT ALL TIMES

- All children regardless of grade level
- All adults





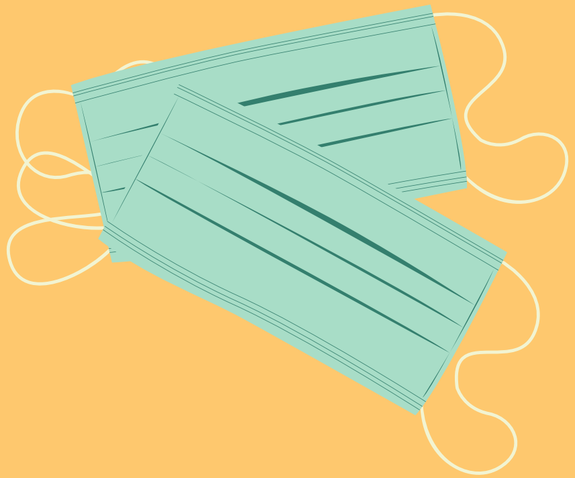
Common Questions

? Can parents opt their kids out from wearing masks and still send them to school in person?

No, the student instead can opt out of wearing a mask by attending fully online (virtual school)

? Are face shield acceptable alternatives to masks?

No, the CDC does not recommend the use of face shields as a substitute for masks. However, a face shield that covers the eyes, nose and mouth can be worn in addition to a mask if desired.



Masks are **REQUIRED**
in all hallways and common areas
with the exception of meals **PRE K-12**



Masks are **REQUIRED**
in all classrooms by both staff
and students grades **2ND-12**



Please note:

Teachers will be encouraged to take students outside periodically for mask breaks.