



# Noble Public Schools

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Good Afternoon Noble Public Schools,

We have now completed Week #10 of the 2020-2021 school year. Another great week for Noble Public Schools! We are continuing our practices of Social Distancing. All staff are wearing face coverings when around anyone else. Pre-K-5<sup>th</sup> grade are required to have a mask with them at all times and are masking when in transition. We are requiring masking at 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade levels at all times, and we are all masking when in transit, whether that be on the bus, walking in the halls, moving from place to place, or doing things that prevent us from keeping our distance. We are continuing to clean and sanitize at every available opportunity. We have purchased PPE for everyone. We are also using our UVC machine to provide additional virus protection for our classrooms. Our bus drivers are cleaning their buses, our custodians are keeping our restroom facilities and buildings clean, our child nutrition workers are cleaning our kitchens and dining areas. Together, we are committed to making this year a success. Thank you for doing your part!

*This week, we have 2 confirmed additional student positives, and 0 confirmed staff member positives. On Monday, we will have 67 students and 3 members of staff quarantined.*

We are all struggling with COVID fatigue, as none of us enjoy wearing a mask. But, our schools are still open and operating. We know that this situation will continue to manifest itself throughout the school year. We are asking for your continued support as we navigate through this together. Please check your students every day including their temperature, before you send them to school. If you have any indication that your child may be sick, please keep them at home. We are working with all families to provide a quality education while maintaining a healthy learning environment.

Please be aware that Halloween Activities are another potential spreader event for COVID. Please, please be careful and cautious in how you participate in gatherings. Remember that while we continue to show good numbers, we must continue to be vigilant in Social Distancing. As the weather changes, and more events move inside, it is imperative that we continue practicing great habits, or the virus will impact our school and community greatly. Please remember that flu season is quickly approaching as well. Social Distancing, Hand Washing, and wearing a Face Covering, will allow us to continue our 2020-2021 school year. Thank you for the opportunity to serve your children! Go Bears!

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