Student Expectations



Stay home if feeling ill.

Students must stay home if they are feeling sick, have any symptoms consistent with COVID-19, or have had close contact with a person diagnosed with COVID-19. Students should remain home until permitted to return by CSDE and SDE guidelines.



Morning health check by parents required.

In order to prevent transmission among the school population, parents are instructed to screen students before leaving for school. Check to ensure temperature is below **100.0** degrees Fahrenheit and observe for symptoms associated with COVID-19 outlined by public health officials.



Face coverings or masks required.

Students must wear face coverings or masks that completely cover the nose and mouth while in the school and on the bus, with exceptions only for students for whom it is not safe to do so due to medical conditions. "Mask Breaks" will be provided during the day. Parents will be responsible for providing students with face coverings or masks. Schools will have backup disposable masks available for students who forget them. Student face shields are permitted, but the face shields must be worn in addition to a mask, and do not serve as a substitute.



Social distancing required.

Students must maintain social distancing to the greatest extent possible. Students are expected to practice social distancing when entering and exiting the building, in classrooms and moving throughout the school. Sharing of school supplies and materials will not be allowed.



Frequent hand washing or hand sanitizing expected.

Students must engage in frequent hand washing or sanitizing upon arrival, before and after meals, after bathroom use, and after coughing or sneezing.



Students may not change buses.

Students will be expected to ride the same bus to school in the morning and the same bus to home in the afternoon every day. Face coverings or masks should be in place prior to entering the bus.

Parents are strongly urged to drive their children to school each day.