Holmes Elementary Face to Face Safety Procedures August 23, 2021



Welcome!





Presentation Purpose:

• As we prepare to start the 2021-22 school year, we would like to share how we are planning to help keep our students and staff safe while in the building.

The information in this presentation will allow us to understand how we can work together to increase learning and safety in our building.

Presentation Content

Health and Safety Protocols

- Face Coverings
- Hygiene
- Social Distancing
- Hallway Transitions
- Student Movement
- Recess
- Arrival and Dismissal



Health and Safety Protocols - Face Coverings

- Students and Staff will be required to wear a face covering at all times, including on district provided transportation for students.
- Face coverings must cover the nose and mouth.



Health and Safety Protocols - Face Coverings

• **PERMITTED** Face coverings:

- Homemade face coverings (2-ply fabric)
- Disposable level-one (basic) grade surgical masks
- N-95, N-100
- We will also provide disposable face coverings at the school for any staff, students, or adult that may need one.

Health and Safety Protocols - Face Coverings

PROHIBITED Face coverings:

- Bandannas open on the bottom
- Scarves



- Face shields without a face covering. They may be worn in addition to a face covering.
- Gaiters

Health and Safety Protocols - Hygiene

- Washing Hands: Teachers will develop schedules for students to wash hands regularly (minimally every 2-3 hours) with soap and water.
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- Hand Sanitizer: Every classroom, office area, building entrance, and offices will be provided with pump hand sanitizer. Whenever possible, students and staff will sanitize hands when they enter and leave classrooms and offices.





Health and Safety Protocols - Social Distancing

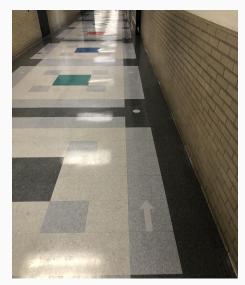
 Staff and students must social distance at all times. Desks will be spaced 3ft for social distancing with students facing the same direction whenever possible.



Health and Safety Protocols - Hallway Transitions

Students will pass on the right side of the hallway and will be spaced 6 ft apart while in line.





Health and Safety Protocols - Student Movement

Student movement in the building will generally be at the following times:

- Arrival into the building to class.
- Specials (Gym, Music, Art, and Science)
- Recess/Lunch
- Bathroom Usage All classrooms have bathrooms and sinks for students to use.
- Exiting the building to go home each day.

Teachers will also provide movement breaks (exercise, yoga positions, etc.) for students throughout the day at their classroom desk space.

Health and Safety Protocols - Student Movement

For safety, students will not be permitted to share items (books, pencils, etc.) in the classroom.

The only items that students should bring with them to school are their **backpack**, **chromebook**, **folders**, **and water bottle if desired**.

All other items from home (ex. Books, toys, stuffed animals, etc.) will not be permitted.

Breakfast



- Students will eat breakfast in their classroom at their desks.
- Students will wash their hands/use hand sanitizer prior to breakfast being served. Students will stay masked and socially distanced during this part of the procedure.
- Students will remove their mask while eating and upon completion of their meal students will immediately put their mask back on.

Lunch



- Students will eat lunch in the cafeteria with seating 3 6 ft apart.
- Students will wash their hands/use hand sanitizer prior to lunch being served. Students will stay masked and socially distanced during this part of the procedure.
- Students will remove their mask while eating and upon completion of their meal students will immediately put their mask back on.

Health and Safety Protocols - Recess

The playground will be divided into 4 areas with each classroom being assigned to a different area. The assignments will rotate each day. The playground will be sectioned off as follows:

- Large Blue Structure
- Basketball Court
- Swings and Sand Area
- Large Soccer Field



Arrival and Dismissal

• The Weekly Schedule and Bell Time is Monday-Friday, 8:30am-3:30pm.



Arrival and Dismissal - Bus and Walkers To help ensure safety and social distancing, each class will enter and exit through their designated entrance for the bus or walking to school.

WEST Entrance



Ms. Dennis - 2nd Ms. LaGoe - 2nd Ms. Lockwood - 2nd Ms. Mann - 2nd

MAIN Entrance



Ms. Bailey - 3rd Ms.Gray - 3rd Ms. Bruzzano - 3rd Ms. Lutz - 3rd Mr. Burrows - El Ms. Kim - ASD

EAST/Peabody St. Entrance



Ms. McKinney - 4th Ms. Whited - 4th Ms. Bearman - 5th Ms. Herrin - 5th

Entrance and Exit Map

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WEST Entrance

2nd Grade

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MAIN Entrance

3rd Grade & Special Education

Bus Drop-Off/Pick-Up

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4th & 5th Grade

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Arrival and Dismissal - Parent Drop-Off & Pick-Up

Students will be dropped-off for school and picked-up after school at the **East Entrance off of Peabody St.** Students that are dropped off will enter through the **East Entrance**. <u>Students will be able to enter the building at 8:15am Monday-Friday.</u>



EAST/Peabody St. Entrance



Bus Safety

- All buses have hand sanitizer for students to use before loading the bus.
- All buses have extra masks in case students do not have one upon loading the bus.
- Buses will be loaded from back to front, and unloaded with students in the front exiting first.
- All buses are sanitized after each route.



Bus Routes

- The bus routes for students are posted on the district webpage at: <u>YCS Bus Route Information</u>
- Bus routes are automatically routed from the home address to school, and from school to the home address in your child's school records.
- The transportation department will allow parents to request route changes after September 3rd.

Transportation can be contacted at 734-221-2449



Volunteers and Visitors Policy During COVID-19

- Only Essential Workers are allowed in the building.
- Unfortunately, parents will not be able to come into the classrooms at this time due to safety protocols.



Thank you!

We are looking forward to working with you to make this school year successful, and most importantly safe for all of our students and staff!

Thank you for taking the team to view this presentation.

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