

COVID-19 Protocol

Face Coverings on School Premises

In light of current guidelines from the CDC and IDPH, face coverings are now optional for all District staff members, students, and visitors who are present in school district buildings, except when in a school health office or if required by the District otherwise to prevent the spread of COVID-19. When worn face coverings are masks or other cloth face coverings which cover an individual's nose and mouth. They should be fitted to the face, but permit breathing without restriction. Face shields may not be used in place of face coverings when requested.

District Employees

All District employees will be provided with a cloth face covering for use during work hours if request.. When required, employees must wear the District-provided face covering, or, if preferred, a face covering of their choice that adheres to the guidance published by the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), available at <https://www.dph.illinois.gov/covid19/community-guidance/mask-use>. Face coverings may not be constructed of material that is sheer or resembles mesh or netting.

Students

All students will be provided with a cloth face covering for use during school hours if requested. When required, students must wear the District-provided face covering, or, if preferred, a face covering of their choice that adheres to the guidance published by the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), available at <https://www.dph.illinois.gov/covid19/community-guidance/mask-use>.

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