

Keeping Our Schools Open & Safe



Revised District Covid-19 Mitigation Policies & Procedures - *effective May 1, 2021*

The School District of Hartford Jt. 1 Board of Education has approved revisions to the District's existing Covid-19 mitigation policies for the 2020-21 school year. The Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) has updated their K-12 school guidance to reflect the latest science on physical distance between students in classrooms. The CDC now recommends that, with universal masking, students should maintain a distance of at least 3 feet in classroom settings; a decrease from the original 6 feet recommendation. With an increase in vaccination prevalence and warmer weather, the District is allowing some shifts in procedures, while ensuring students and staff safety.



Temperature Checks

Temperature checks will be administered in the classroom **one time per day** as students arrive in the morning.



Cafeteria Rotations

A lunchroom rotation will be used to allow classrooms to eat lunch in the cafeteria. Students must remain within their cohorts and allow for social distancing while eating. Tables will be cleaned and sanitized at the end of the lunch period.



Face Coverings

Cloth face coverings are required on school grounds and on the bus; however, if the Washington Ozaukee Health Department COVID-19 Risk Status is decreased to "Low" or "Moderate" in Burden AND "Shrinking" or "No Change" in Trajectory for Washington County the following will be allowed:

While in homeroom, students and staff will be permitted to remove their face covering only when seated within their cohort, at least three feet away from other individuals, AND behind their clear desk barrier. Once leaving this location, a face covering is required. The District will inform families if this option becomes available.



Applied Fine Arts (AFA)

Students will participate in Applied Fine Arts (AFA) courses within the AFA classroom, rather than in their general education classroom (ie: art, music, tech ed, etc.). Classrooms and supplies will be cleaned and sanitized between classes.



School Events

The following school sponsored events will be allowed with increased safety precautions:

8th Grade Celebration

5th Grade Celebration

Additional event approvals will be made on a case-by-case basis.



Building Rentals

School buildings will be available for rental usage. Building rentals will require a COVID plan for use, signed rental agreement, and capacity limits. The rented areas will be cleaned and sanitized prior to student use.