



## Loudonville-Perrysville Exempted Village School District COVID Protocols



Students	Staff	Parents and Caregivers	School Operations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Mask Use:</b> Wearing masks is highly recommended at school and activities.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vehicle (bus or van) riders are required to wear masks per the CDC order.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>Social Distancing:</b> Will be observed where possible.</li> <li>▪ <b>Water:</b> Buildings are equipped with water bottle-filling stations. Students are strongly encouraged to bring a personal, reusable water bottle.</li> <li>▪ <b>Positive COVID Test:</b> 10-day isolation will be required when a student tests positive. The student must be symptom-free for 48-hours without medication regardless of the number of days in isolation before returning to school.</li> <li>▪ <b>Close Contact:</b> If a student has had close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 and both were wearing masks and/or are fully vaccinated, the close contact student does not need to quarantine. (See flow chart)</li> <li>▪ <b>Other Illnesses:</b> Students who are ill or showing symptoms of any illness should stay home. A temperature greater than</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Mask Use:</b> Wearing masks is highly recommended at school and activities.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Drivers are required to wear masks per the CDC order when anyone else is riding in the vehicle.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>Positive COVID Test:</b> 10-day isolation will be required when a staff member tests positive. The staff member must be symptom-free for 48-hours without medication regardless of the number of days in isolation before returning to school.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Any staff member awaiting the results of a COVID test should stay home until notified of the results.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>Close Contact:</b> If a staff member has had close contact with someone who has symptoms of COVID-19 and both were wearing masks and/or are fully vaccinated, the close contact staff member does not need to quarantine. (See flow chart)</li> <li>▪ <b>Other Illnesses:</b> Staff who are ill or showing symptoms of any illness should stay home. A temperature greater</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Monitoring/Illness:</b> Parents /caregivers should monitor the health and wellness of their children each morning before being sent to school.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The school should be contacted if a child is absent due to an illness.</li> <li>○ In the event a student becomes ill at school, parents/caregivers will be notified to pick up their children. Your cooperation and availability are essential should your child become ill.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>Close Contact:</b> If your unmasked child has close contact with a non-school family member or friend who has COVID-19 symptoms or is diagnosed with COVID-19, your student should stay home. In these instances, seeking advice from a primary healthcare provider or the health department is encouraged.</li> <li>▪ <b>Student Information:</b> Please make sure to update your child's Emergency Medical Record information for the school</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ L-P Schools will take into account guidance from the Center for Disease Control, the Ohio Department of Health and the Ashland County Health Department when there is a positive case of COVID-19 that impacts students and/or staff.</li> <li>▪ All LPEVSD facilities will be cleaned and disinfected throughout the student day, as well as after students and staff have left for the day.</li> <li>▪ Touchless hand sanitizer units are available in classrooms and throughout common areas.</li> <li>▪ Signage will be posted throughout facilities to remind students of social distancing, correct mask use, and frequent hand-washing etiquette.</li> <li>▪ <b>Social Distancing:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Transitions during the student day will observe social distancing as is feasible.</li> <li>○ Electives, recess and specials, such as PE, music and art, will be conducted with modifications to allow for social distancing when possible.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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<p>100.4°F is considered to be a fever.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The student can return to school once he/she is without symptoms for 48-hours without the use of medication or if they have been cleared by a physician.</li> </ul>	<p>than 100°F is considered to be a fever.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Staff can return to school once they are without symptoms for 48-hours without the use of medication or if they have been cleared by a physician.</li> </ul>	<p>he/she attends. This includes any changes in medical history, contact information with up-to-date phone numbers, or a change in residence.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Precautions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please encourage proper hand hygiene at home before departure for school, at school and when your child returns home from school.</li> <li>○ Provide your child with a personal water bottle for use at school. Buildings are equipped with water bottle-filling stations.</li> <li>○ Virtual meetings with staff may be necessary to prevent the spread of COVID-19.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Contact tracing</b> of close contacts will be shared in a legal and confidential manner.           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Exposure does not mean that the school will need to be shut down or that a whole classroom needs to quarantine.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>Transportation:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vehicle (bus or van) riders are required to wear masks per the CDC order.</li> <li>○ Seat assignments will be two students per seat. Children could be seated with others not from their household, though siblings will be the first consideration.</li> <li>○ Vehicles will be sanitized after every run.</li> <li>○ Hand sanitizer is available on all vehicles for student use.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

\*All protocols contained within are subject to change based on the current status of COVID-19 in our community and/or actions taken by the legislature, CDC, Governor, Ohio Department of Education, and/or state and local health departments.

\*A close contact is defined as an individual who has been within three feet for longer than fifteen minutes of someone who tests positive for COVID-19.