

Return to Learn

CHICKASHA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2020-2021



Parent Survey

- Over 700 responses
- Responses equally represented all grades (Pre-K to 12th)

Biggest concerns

- Social distancing will be difficult
- Possible exposure to COVID-19
- Schools may close with little notice

Parent Survey Results

Face Masks

Should face masks be required...

For **StAFF**?

- 57% said NO
- 43% said YES (706 responses)

For **STUDENTS**?

- 55% said NO
- 45% said YES (696 responses)

Learning Pathway

Questions on which type of learning pathways.

100% Virtual/Distance

- 45% said NO
- 32% said YES
- 23% said UNSURE (719 responses)

Blended Learning

- 46% said NO
- 32% said YES
- 22% said UNSURE (374 responses)

Transportation

If CPS cannot ensure social distancing on district provided transportation, will you choose to transport your child?

Yes, I will transport my child – 73%

No, my student will ride the bus – 27%
(713 responses)



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Learning Pathways

Traditional

- All students enrolled in at first of school year
- On campus/school site
- Normal school schedule
- Include virtual days to prep for remote learning days (when out of school)
- Remote learning days will be used when school is closed for any reason (online instruction)
- Google Classroom & Meet
- Acellus (Pre-K – 6th grades) & Edmentum (7th-12th grades)
- Supported by CPS teachers

Blended

- Grades 7th – 12th only
- Online instruction (Edmentum) with at least one class at school
- Can still participate in band, music, athletics, etc.
- Supported by CPS teachers
- Transportation offered during regular AM/PM routes.
- Parents or students provide other transportation needs
- Requires a semester commitment
- Application required
- Breakfast & lunch will be available to students

Virtual

- Complete online learning
- Acellus (Pre-K – 6th grades & Edmentum (7th – 12th grades)
- Does not require any classes at schools
- Supported by CPS teachers
- Students report through the Quality Academy
- Requires a semester commitment
- Application process required
- Breakfast & lunch will be available to students

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Social Distancing

- ▶ CPS will work to ensure social distancing is practiced, when feasible, by developing protocols and guidelines at each site.
- ▶ Larger learning spaces will be utilized for classes with larger enrollments.
- ▶ Each site will develop procedures to help ensure social distancing for breakfast/lunch times & recess.
- ▶ Each site will utilize signs, posters, announcements, etc. as reminders.

Temperature Checks

- ▶ Temperatures should be checked at home by parents before each child leaves for school.
- ▶ No one should come to a school building with a fever over 100 degrees.
- ▶ Visitors will be required to have their temperatures taken and answer the health screening questions.
- ▶ Anyone with a temperature of over 100 degrees will be moved to a quarantine room until they can safely leave the school premises.

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Face Masks & Coverings

CDC and the State Department of Education recommends the use of face masks &/or coverings when feasible. At this time, additional protocols are being considered by multiple state agencies. CPS will follow any & all required mandates and will announce protocols as information becomes available or before the start of the school year.

- Masks will be available for any student that becomes ill at school or is unable to purchase one.
- There may be areas of the school or designated classrooms where face masks will be required depending on needs of staff members or students or when social distancing is not feasible.

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Sanitizing & Cleaning

- ▶ Hand sanitizer will be available and used throughout each day.
- ▶ Frequent washing of hands and good hygiene will be practiced.
- ▶ Classrooms (desks, tables, chairs, keyboards, high touch areas, etc.) will be sprayed and wiped down with disinfectant after each class period (secondary) or periodically during the day (elementary).
- ▶ All schools will be completely sanitized each week.

Transportation

- ▶ CPS will implement and follow any required protocols related to face masks on buses.
- ▶ Students will be assigned areas on buses by bus stop locations.
- ▶ Buses will be cleaned and sanitized at the end of morning and afternoon routes.
- ▶ Social distancing will be encouraged as much as possible.
- ▶ Parents are encouraged to bring their children to school if feasible.

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COVID-19 Exposure Guidelines

- CDC Guidance: *Immediately notify health officials and will likely dismiss students and most staff for 2-5 days. This initial short-term dismissal allows for health officials to assess the situation and for crews to sanitize the exposed areas.*

-Oklahoma State Dept of Education guidelines currently state a 14 day quarantine for any exposure to someone with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis.

Additional Information

- Any student or staff showing symptoms will be moved to a quarantine room
- School will contact parents in event of an exposure
- The closing of school will be determined by the district after receiving input from health and state officials.

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Additional Information

- Students on an IEP or 504 Plan should request a meeting to discuss services if selecting the BLENDED or VIRTUAL pathway.
- REMOTE LEARNING DAYS will be used when school is closed due to COVID-19 exposures, inclement weather, or any other unforeseen circumstances. These are for the TRADITIONAL pathway and allows for instruction to continue by moving to a virtual format using Google Classroom & Google Meet.
- CPS is partnering with Red Rock Counseling Services to provide services to address social-emotional needs.
- All athletics and activities will continue as planned but with extra measures and protocols to ensure the safety of students and staff members.

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Copies of the Return to Learn plan and presentation will be posted on district and site websites with printed copies available at the administration building beginning of July 14, 2020.