



**WABASH CITY SCHOOLS RETURN TO LEARN GUIDANCE
2023-2024 School Year**

*This is a fluid document that could change at any time based on new State or Federal guidance.

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| Health and Cleaning Protocols | <p>Students and staff should self-screen for symptoms associated with Covid-19 and the flu prior to entering any WCS building. Parents are asked to screen students that may not be able to do this on their own. Students and staff that have a fever are asked to stay home until fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication.</p> <p>WCS will continue with safe and effective cleaning protocols for all high touch areas as well as provide hand sanitizer throughout the buildings.</p> |
| Masks in Buildings and Buses | <p>Masks are optional.</p> |
| Positive Test Result | <p>Students and staff that receive a positive COVID-19 test will be required to quarantine for 5 days from the date of a positive test. Individuals may return to school on Day 6, if asymptomatic or symptoms have improved including being fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication.</p> |
| Close Contact Quarantining | <p>Individuals that come in close contact should monitor symptoms. If symptoms develop, they should be tested.</p> |
| Virtual Learning | <p>WCS will offer virtual learning options for grades 9 - 12 on an as needed basis. Entry into the virtual program will be available at the beginning of each quarter/semester. Continuance in the program is based on satisfactory performance.</p> <p>Students that have been quarantined will access instruction virtually through Seesaw and Canvas.</p> |
| COVID-19 Vaccination | <p>Students and staff are not <i>required</i> to have COVID-19 or flu vaccines.</p> |
| Visitors in Buildings | <p>Visitors that provide educational programming will be allowed into the buildings.</p> |

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