

CUBA-RUSHFORD CENTRAL SCHOOL

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Cuba-Rushford's Start of School Plan for 2021-2022

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Focus on:

- Keeping all students in-person 5 days a week for as long as possible.
- All layers of mitigation (Masks, temperature checks, cleaning, HVAC, social distancing, handwashing, drinking fountains, etc.).
- We will partner with parents and the community to ensure transmission remains low
 - Students, faculty, staff, and parents with signs of infectious illness should remain home
- Infection rates to guide our practice.

Support:

- Provide opportunities for students to be vaccinated in school with parent permission.
- Prevention.

	Transmission Level	
	Low	Substantial (Current Level in Allegany County 8/19/2021)
School – In Person *	Everyone is in all 5 days	
Bus (including sports)	Masked	
Bus Social Distancing	2 per seat	
Bus Assigned Seats	Yes	
Temp. Check entering building	Everyone, every day	
Hallways, all common spaces	Masked	
Classrooms - Masks	Unmasked, but can remain masked by choice.	Masked all the time
Mask Break	Not needed	While seated determined by teacher once a period.
Cohort(ed)	Most Elementary remain in cohorts. This lessens the opportunity for spread.	
Classroom Social Distancing (SD)	Seats set at minimum 3 – Staff should remain 6 feet away when possible.	
Assigned Seats	Yes	
Lunch	3 Feet unmasked/encouraged to spread out	Assigned seats – Tables socially distanced – Designated serving times.
Parent/Child Accommodation for mask and SD at lunch, classroom, etc.	Yes	
Sports	As determined by NYSPHSAA	
**Quarantine – Close Contact Definition	Close contact is considered 15 minutes of contact over a 24-hour period. According to NYS policy, if students are masked the entire time, quarantine may not be necessary.	

* (NYS Health and Safety Guide for the 2021-22 School Year) So long as allowed by public health officials, schools should be open for in-person teaching and learning, and students should be in school.

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**** (NYS Health and Safety Guide for the 2021-22 School Year)** The CDC guidance document defines a close contact as someone who was within 6 feet of an infected person for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period. In the K–12 indoor classroom setting, the close contact definition excludes students who were within 3 to 6 feet of an infected student **if** both the infected student and the exposed student(s) correctly and consistently wore well-fitting **masks the entire time**.