

Reopening Plan

Faith Islamic Academy

ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022





Reopening? During a New Surge?!

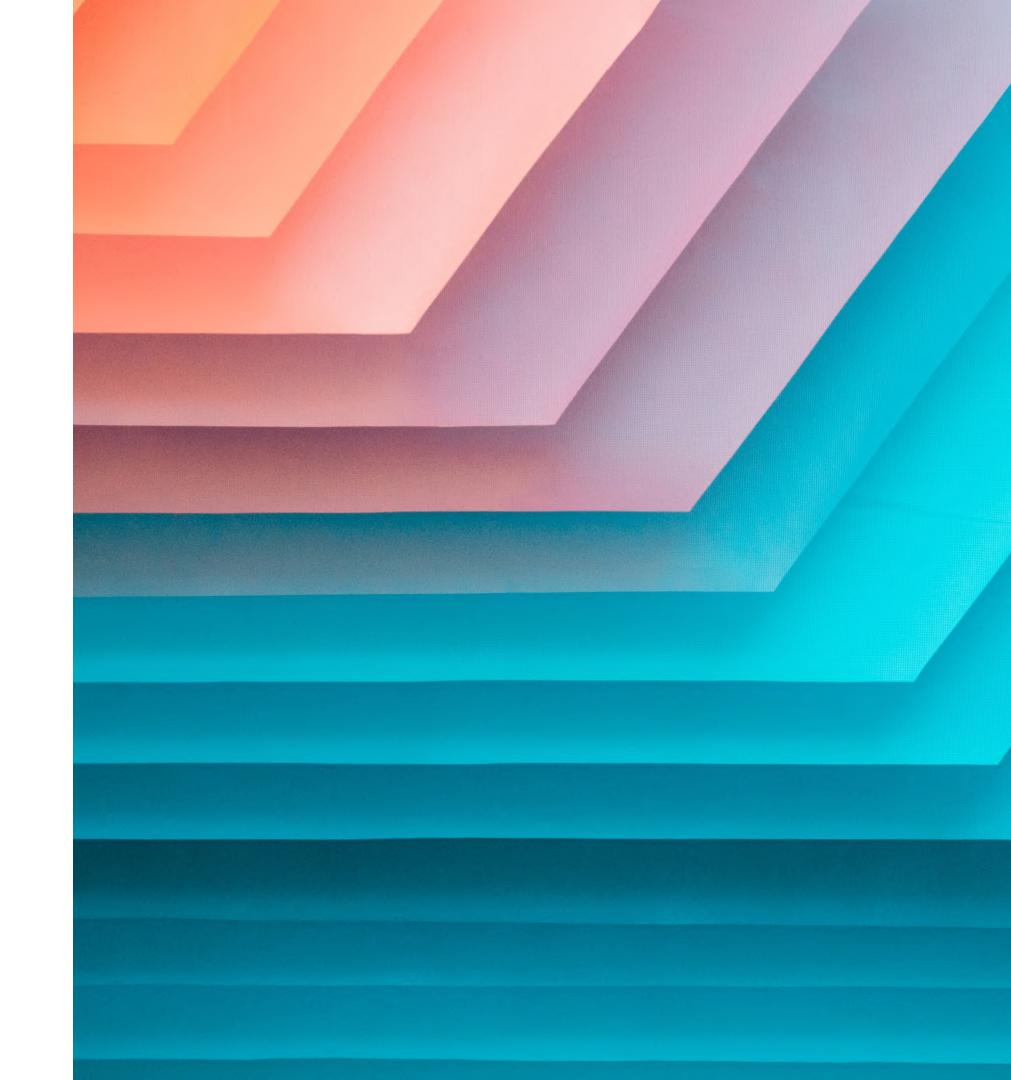


Opening schools generally does not significantly increase community transmission, particularly when proper prevention measures are followed. It is critical to use science and data to guide decisions about the pandemic and school COVID-19 plans.



Layered Public Health Strategies

- · Masks
- · Cleaning & Sanitizing
- · Ventilation
- · Distancing
- · Handwashing
- Diagnostic and testing
- Vaccination Efforts
- · Visitors





Masks

Covering mouth and nose will be required for all indoor activities (unless medical or developmental conditions prohibit use) regardless of vaccine status.



Cleaning & Sanitizing

- Cleaning heavy traffic areas once a day
- Sanitizing restrooms at the end of school day





Ventilation

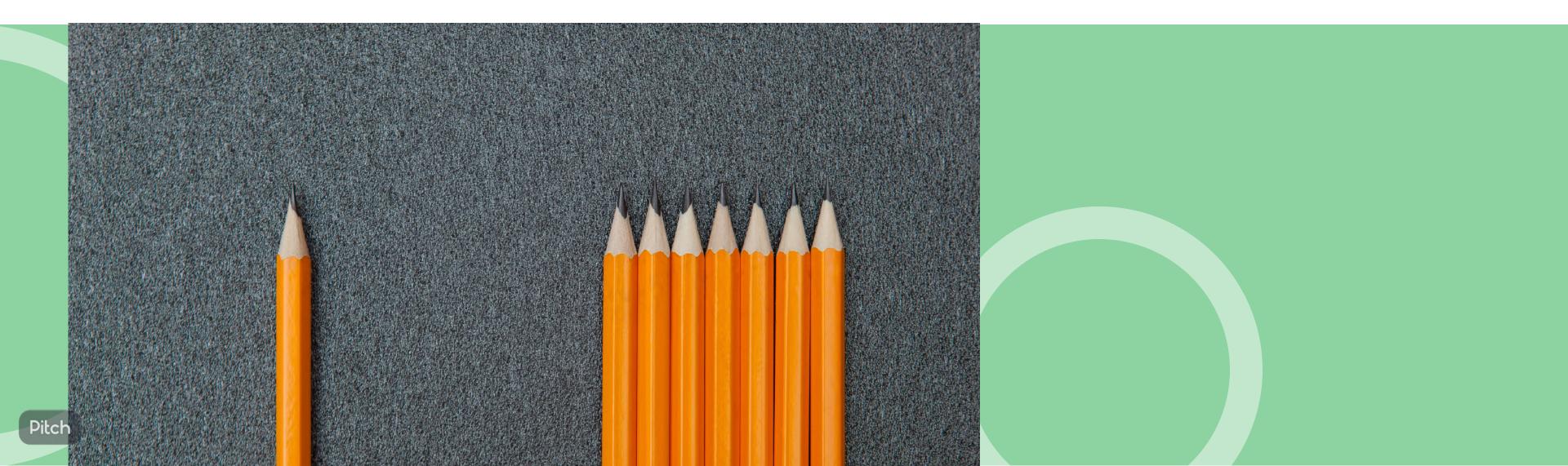
- HVAC will be put on occupancy mode to maximize the air flow
- Air purifiers with UV light and HEPA filters will be purchased for each classroom





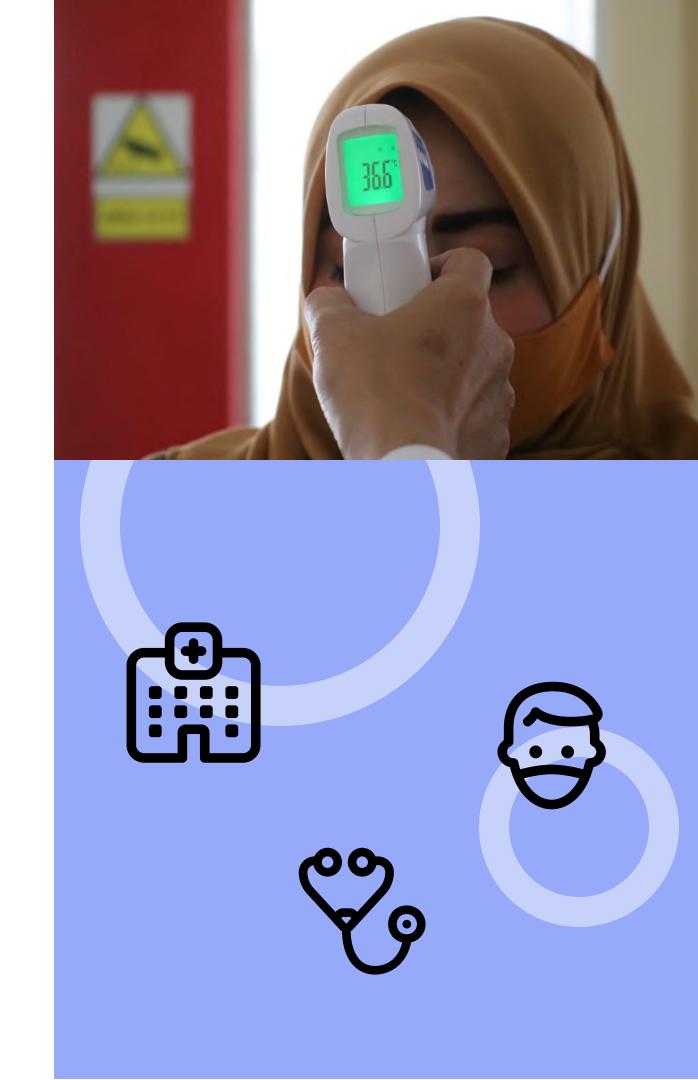
Distancing

- · Maintain three feet distance within the classrooms, the prayer hall and the community hall
- Training teachers to limit range of physical interaction within the school to three feet distance



Diagnostic & Screening Tests

- Temperature check upon entrance for everyone
- Providing testing services through the county upon referral





Vaccinations

Collecting data about staff & eligible student vaccination status

Highly encouraging vaccination for eligible students & parents

Mandating it for students once the vaccine is fully authorized by CDC



COVID-19 Exposure

After possible exposure, individuals should:

- Self-monitor for symptoms for 14 days following exposure; unless symptoms develop, individuals can continue attending in-person classes and participating in sports and extra-curricular activities.
- Anyone with symptoms of COVID-19 should isolate away from others and be evaluated for COVID-19. Testing for SARS-CoV-2 (the virus that causes COVID-19) may be recommended in coordination with the local health department, school, healthcare provider, or parents/guardians.
- · If they test positive, they should be isolated for at least 10 days from the date symptoms started (or the date of the positive test if they have no symptoms).



COVID-19 Exposure (cont.)

Quarantine is NOT necessary for students and adults possibly exposed to COVID-19 in K-12 school settings, regardless of vaccination status, if ALL the following prevention measures have been in place:

- · Masking for students and staff (regardless of vaccination status).
- · Physical distancing is maximized at least 3 feet.
- · Documented COVID-19 prevention policies (e.g., identification of individuals experiencing symptoms, strategies to increase ventilation, protocols for cleaning, etc.).

OR

• the exposed individual is fully vaccinated



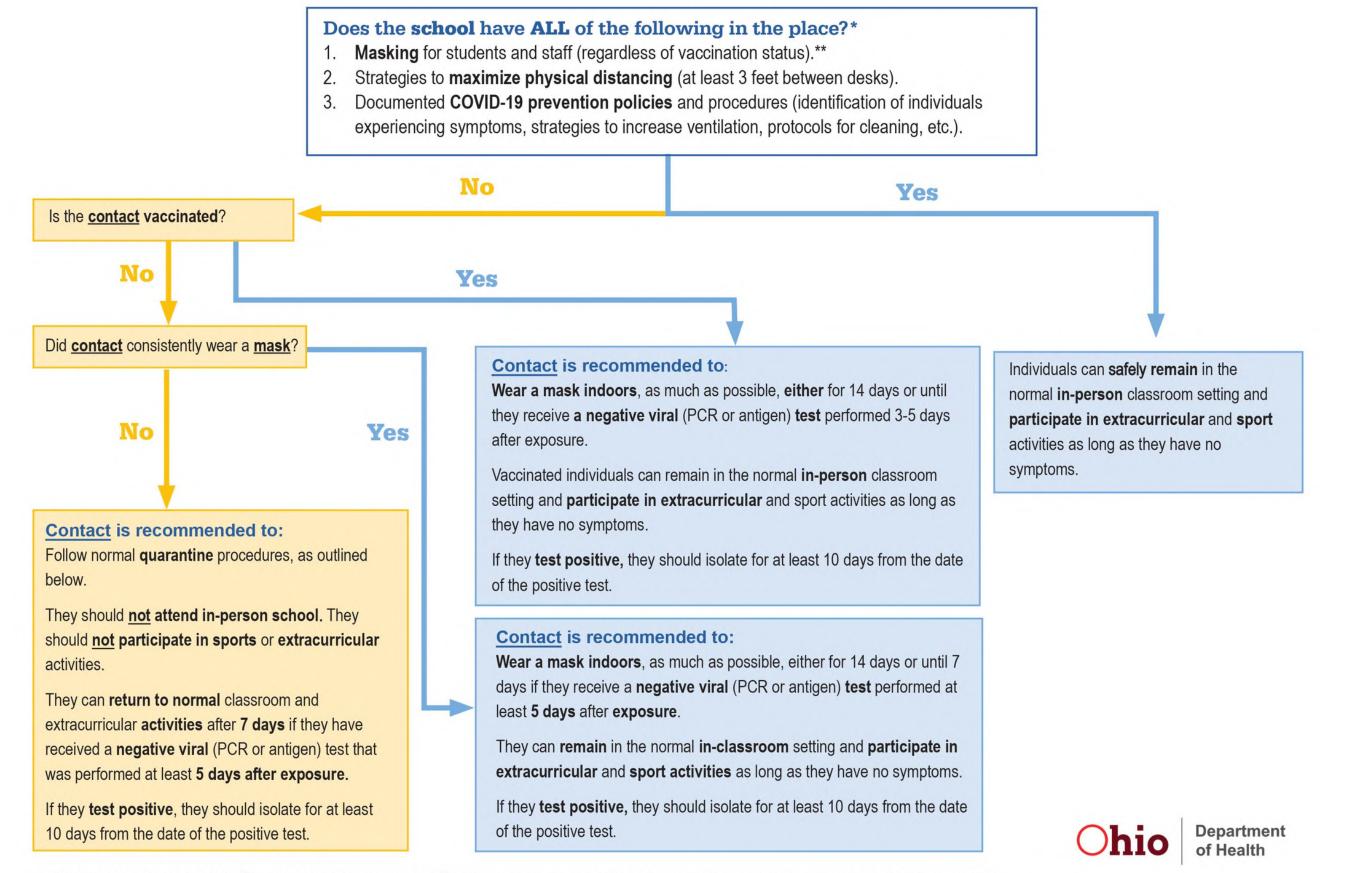


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Guidelines for Quarantine After Exposure in K-12 Classroom Settings

This chart can help guide quarantine decisions after a student or adult contact is exposed to someone with COVID-19 in the classroom setting.



^{*}This flowchart applies only to COVID-19 exposures that occurred within a K-12 classroom setting. It is not applicable to exposure in the community, extracurricular, or sports environment.



^{**}If masking has not been implemented, local health departments (LHDs) may use this workflow if it can be established that the person WITH COVID-19 and individuals within 3 to 6 feet of the infected person were consistently and correctly wearing masks.

Possible Scenarios

Refusal to take the vaccine will result in requiring testing every week (only if testing appointments were made available)

If a family member has COVID19 the parents have to report to the school staff.

If there are more than three cases of COVID19 symptoms in the school, while the layered strategies are in place, school may reduce the number of days students attend school and resort to a blended mode of learning where students come to school alternating between two and three days a week.

If there are more than three cases of COVID19 among school staff or students the school within one week, school will switch to online mode as considered an outbreak

