

## Lake Hamilton School District

### Covid Control Plan Regarding Face Covering

Students in grades pre-K – 12, all employees and visitors entering schools and indoor facilities within the Lake Hamilton School District and passengers and drivers on district busses will wear an appropriate face covering. Face coverings are optional but encouraged at indoor gatherings and events for which student attendance is optional. This includes but is not limited to extracurricular events and athletic contests.


This health precaution is authorized for licensed and classified employees under current Lake Hamilton School District policies 3.55 and 8.43 concerning personal protective equipment requirements. Student policy 4.34 authorizes an exposure control plan.

Covid case counts and related data will be reviewed monthly at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors beginning on September 20, 2021.

These procedures will expire on December 17, 2021, or when

1. The board moves to repeal them; or
2. A court acts to reverse the temporary injunction or uphold Act 1002 of 2021; or
3. A test-to-stay protocol, if it is determined to be a viable option, is fully implemented in district schools which allows students identified as probable close contacts from exposure to Covid-infected individuals at school to continue to attend school as long as they meet the requirements for the test-to-stay protocol; or
4. Sufficient time has elapsed from the availability of a Covid-19 vaccine for children aged 5-11 years until a child aged 5-11 years may be considered fully vaccinated as defined by the Arkansas Department of Health.

Approved by a majority vote of the Board of Directors on August 9, 2021. Revised October 18, 2021.

  
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Mike Tucker, President

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