Bedford Central School District

Inspiring and Challenging Our Students





Return to School COVID Plan - UPDATE

On April 12, 2021, we welcomed back to our classrooms any K-12 students who asked to return to full-time, five day a week, in-person instruction. We continue to offer a remote option to families requesting remote learning, five days a week As of April 12, 2021, we no longer offer a hybrid model.

As of May 7, 2021, here are our percentages of students who attend in-person and who participate in our full remote model:

Elementary 96% in-person, five days a week

4% remote

Middle School 87% in person, five days a week

13% remote

High School 80% in person, five days a week

20% remote

For students attending in-person, we maintain social distancing in our classrooms of no less than 3ft. Barriers are used in offices. Barriers are used during lunch when students remove their masks. Barriers are not used, per the CDC and the DOH, in classrooms where students maintain 3ft distancing and are facing the same direction (not facing each other). There are some settings where barriers will still be used to maintain safe social distancing.

All students and staff are expected to wear masks at all times, with the exceptions of short mask breaks and lunch.

We adhere to all of the requirements outlined in the latest New York State Department of Health Guidance regarding Ventilation and Filtration (4/9/2021).

Plan updates will continue to be posted as guidance from the NYSDOH is received.

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