



Rivier Elementary School

Safe School Plan

2021-2022

We are looking forward to welcoming our Rivier Elementary School students back for the 2021-2022 School Year!

Illness in Care

- Staff, Students, and visitors who are ill should stay home until they are symptom free for 48 hours.
- All visitors need to report to the main office and sign-in upon entry to the school.
- Caregivers will be contacted if a student becomes ill. The individual will remain in a designated area under the supervision of a staff member until they are able to be picked up.

Masks

- Masks are required to be worn indoors by all staff and students.
- Regular mask breaks will be given at each teacher's discretion.
- There is no requirement for masks to be worn during outdoor activities.
- Masks are required to be worn on buses.
- Masks are required to worn by all visitors to the school.
- Please ensure your child comes to school with an adequate supply of reusable or disposable masks.

Safe Environment

- Enhanced cleaning and disinfecting will continue.
- Hand sanitizer and a limited supply of disposable masks will be available at the main entrance.
- Visual aids demonstrating appropriate hand hygiene techniques and cough etiquette will be displayed throughout the school.
- There are no guidelines for physical distancing. We will do our best to space students appropriately in classrooms and common areas.
- Hand sanitizer will be available and hand washing procedures will be in place in each classroom.

Safe Access

- All exterior doors will remain locked at this time. Please ring the doorbell at the front door for access.
- Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, and the 5/6 class will enter and exit through the front (main) entrance, the 1/2 class will enter and exit through the North-West entrance, and the 3/4 class will enter and exit through the South-West entrance.
- Students will continue to meet in their designated meeting areas on the playground upon arrival at school in the mornings.
- Hand sanitizer will be available at the main entrance and throughout the school.

Safe Activities

- Regular extra-curricular activities, clubs, and nutrition programs (e.g. lunch sales) will resume within the parameters of the LOCCS Safe Schools Plan.
- More information about clubs/activities will be shared with families throughout the year.

Communication

- EDSBY continues to be the primary source of communication between school and home.
- We encourage each family to create their EDSBY account as soon as possible so that they may stay up to date with school and classroom events.
- Announcements will also be made on our social media sites (Facebook and Instagram) and on our school webpage (rv.loccsd.ca).

For more information, please see the complete LOCCS Safe Schools Plan at www.loccsd.ca

This plan will be adapted as required by emerging health risk assessments.