



10 things you can do to prepare for returning back to school

1 Practice Hand Hygiene

Handwashing should be done often throughout the day. Teach your child to sing their ABCs or have them count for at least 20 seconds ensuring they wash front, back, & in-between their fingers.



2 Practice Putting Mask On/Off

Your child will be required to wear a mask/face covering on the bus and at school. Teach them to not touch the inside of their mask when taking it off and while on.



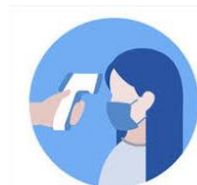
3 Practice 6ft of Distance

Measure the distance on the floor. Consider temporarily laying pieces of paper down for a visual.



4 Purchase a Thermometer

Check your child's temperature every morning. If temperature is 100° F or higher OR if they develop a fever at school, they will be required to remain out of school for 10 days after symptom onset AND resolution of fever for at least 24 hours, without the use of fever-reducing medications AND with improvement in other symptoms. **DO NOT give your child fever reducing medication and send to school.**



5 Make or Purchase Face Masks

A clean mask should be worn each day. Consider making or buying multiple masks to give you proper time to wash them between uses. Face masks must cover the nose, mouth and chin.



6 Update Immunizations

Vaccines are required for new students to our district, PK, K, 7th and 12th grade students & those students on catch-up schedules. Contact your child's healthcare provider for an appointment. Immunizations can also be obtained at the health department by appointments (937-225-4550)



7 Change Aerosolized Medication

Nebulizers cannot be administered at school. **All inhalers (stored in the Health Office & self-carry) must have a chamber to be used at school.** Speak with your child's healthcare provider to obtain an order for an inhaler with a chamber & an updated Asthma Action Plan.



8 Have a Reusable Water Bottle

Bring to school every day. Water fountains will not be in service. There are water bottle filling stations in each building



9 Update Emergency Contacts

If your child presents with COVID-like symptoms, they will be placed in an isolation room and will need to be picked up immediately. **Please ensure a contact can be reached at any given time.**



10 Stay Informed with reliable sources such as the CDC, the Ohio Department of Health and Public Health-Dayton Montgomery County <https://www.phdmc.org/coronavirus-updates>

