



## St. Edward Public: Return to School Protocols (Revised - July 27, 2020)

All protocols are subject to change.

<u>Protocols</u>	
<b>Pre-Screening Students</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parents will screen students at home for symptoms including:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fever</li> <li>○ Chills</li> <li>○ Cough</li> <li>○ Shortness of Breath</li> <li>○ Fatigue</li> <li>○ Muscle/Body Aches</li> <li>○ Sore Throat</li> <li>○ Loss of sense of taste/smell</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <b>If symptomatic - Call health care professional and DO NOT REPORT TO SCHOOL</b></li> </ul>
<b>Pick-Up/Drop-Off of Students</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Do not congregate at entrance/exit while waiting for students</li> <li>● Parents/Guardians - please stay in vehicle</li> </ul>
<b>Entering Building</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Social Distancing will be practiced when entering/exiting</li> <li>● Students will enter through an assigned door</li> <li>● Temperature Checks will be taken when reasonable or directed by the Health Department. Plan on temperature checks upon entry.</li> <li>● Entry into the building will not be allowed until <b><u>7:50 a.m., unless you eat breakfast, and you can enter the green space doors at 7:30.</u></b></li> <li>● Breakfast will be served from 7:30-7:50. Those that eat breakfast will remain in the cafeteria until 7:50. If you do not eat breakfast, it is straight to your locker and then the classroom.</li> </ul>
<b>Masks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Masks will be available to all students and staff. If a student has their own mask, they may use it as long as it is school appropriate.</li> <li>● Recommended Guideline: When you can social distance, you do not need to wear a mask but may do so if you choose.</li> <li>● <b>East Central Health Department Statement. - <u>The practice of wearing a mask could prevent individuals from being quarantined.</u> Those that wear a mask and are in direct contact with a person who tests positive will not be required to quarantine unless they show symptoms. If you are in direct contact and do not wear a mask, the health department will</b></li> </ul>



	<p><b>require quarantine for up to 14 days.</b></p>
<b>Hand Washing/Sanitizing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Students and staff will wash or sanitize their hands upon entering the building and entering the cafeteria.</li> </ul>
<b>Classroom</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Spread students out to social distance when at all possible.</li> <li>● Assigned seating for all students in each classroom.</li> </ul>
<b>Classroom/Building Cleaning</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Protocols to clean student areas will be established for all staff members throughout the day.</li> <li>● High touch areas will be wiped down with disinfectant on a regular basis (Doors, handrails, etc.)</li> <li>● Locker rooms used by opposing teams will be sanitized prior to use the next day.</li> </ul>
<b>Lunch</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Elementary:</u> -Meals/Salad bar/PBJ station will be served by staff:</li> <li>● K-1 (10:45-11:15)</li> <li>● 2-3 (11:15-11:45)</li> <li>● 4-6 (11:45-12:15)</li> <li>● <u>Jr./Sr. High:</u> Meals/Salad bar/PBJ station will be served by staff:</li> <li>● 7-9 (12:15-12:45)</li> <li>● 10-12 (12:45-1:15)</li> <li>● All tables will be cleaned between each lunch period.</li> </ul>
<b>Recess</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Outdoor recess</u> - No multi-class recess, wash hands/sanitize immediately after playing outside.</li> <li>● <u>Indoor recess</u> - Individual classrooms only, students from other classes will not be allowed to have recess together.</li> <li>● Eliminate multiple class recess. Student recess will be limited to a specific grade level or classes will have to occupy different areas of the playground</li> </ul>
<b>Symptomatic Student during the School Day</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● St. Edward School will follow the guidelines provided to us by the Health Department: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Student/Staff Member will be sent home, parents of the classroom will be contacted.</li> <li>○ Classroom will be disinfected.</li> <li>○ If a student, parent or sibling has a suspected case and is tested - stay home until results are received.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>COVID-19 Positive Cases</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● St. Edward School will follow Health Department Guidelines</li> </ul>
<b>School Exclusion Due to Positive Test</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● St. Edward School will follow Health Department Guidelines</li> </ul>



<b>Return To School After Exclusion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● St. Edward School will follow Health Department Guidelines</li> <li>● <b>Please Note: Any illness with a fever a student cannot return to school until they are fever free for 72 hours without medication.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Water Fountains</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No Drinking from the Fountains</li> <li>● Bottle Filler Use Only</li> </ul>
<b>Passing Periods</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Do not congregate at lockers, get your materials and head to class.</li> <li>● Back packs will be allowed</li> </ul>
<b>Social Distancing in Class</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Social distancing of 6 feet will be expected in classrooms when physically possible</li> <li>● If 6 feet cannot be established between individual students, students will sit in pods of two and be socially distanced as the classroom allows</li> </ul>
<b>Exiting Building</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Elementary:</u> Walkers dismissed first, followed by students riding suburban. Parents stay in vehicles for pickup in designated zone on East side of the school by flagpole.</li> <li>● <u>Middle School:</u> Walkers dismissed first, followed by students riding on buses; Parents stay in vehicle. Multiple exit points will be used.</li> <li>● <u>High School:</u> Multiple exit points will be used.</li> </ul>
<b>Visitors to School</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Visitors will not be allowed past the school office.</li> <li>● For all students who need to leave the building (have an appointment, are ill, need to leave early, etc.), parents will call the school office upon arrival to the building and the student will be released.</li> </ul>
<b>Transportation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Students may be asked to wear masks during school and activity transportation due to the close proximity on the school vehicle.</li> </ul>
<b>Extracurricular Activities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Guidance from Nebraska School Activity Association, Nebraska Department of Education, and local public health officials will be followed for all extracurricular activities</li> <li>● Will follow Health Department guidance for out of state travel ban</li> </ul>
<b>Facility Use by Outside Groups</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Outside groups will follow state DHM guidance.</li> <li>● Access could be limited or restricted at any time.</li> </ul>
<b>Contacts: Health Departments, Clinics, Hospitals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b><u>East Central Health Department</u></b>-4321 41st Ave, Columbus, NE 68601. 402-563-9656</li> <li>● <b><u>St. Edward Medical Clinic</u></b>-1102 Water St., St. Edward, NE 68660. 402-678-2232</li> <li>● <b><u>Boone County Health Center</u></b>-723 W Fairview, Albion, NE 68620. 402-395-2191</li> </ul>



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<b>Guidance for COVID-19 - Helpful Links</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● East Central District Health Department - <a href="#">Directed Health Measures Guidance Links</a></li><li>● ECDHD - <a href="#">COVID-19 Links</a></li><li>● ECDHD - <a href="#">Press Releases</a></li><li>● Health &amp; Human Services Nebraska - <a href="#">COVID-19 Information</a></li></ul>