



United Community Center Schools COVID-19 Guidelines

The COVID-19 guidelines for the UCC schools are listed below. Keep in mind that schools within the City of Milwaukee have been given more discretion to develop their protocols this school year. Therefore, the UCC Schools' list of guidelines may vary from other schools in Milwaukee. The leadership's goal was to offer a safe environment with reasonable parameters that take into account various pieces of information such as local data, current virus variant and access to the vaccine. Be assured, information will be reviewed and guidelines may be adjusted, if/when needed during the school year.

Student guidelines include:

- All students wearing masks while indoors.
- Social distancing of three (3) feet to the greatest extent possible.
- Regular hand washing/sanitizing.
- Cohort group seating in the classrooms and cafeteria.
- Vaccinations encouraged, when available.
- Parents/family members must keep students home if they are ill or if they have been exposed to COVID outside of school. Please notify the main office immediately.

Staff guidelines include:

- Masks are required in hallways and when you are with students; masks are optional when outdoors or when working without students (similar to our 2021 summer school guidelines).
- Vaccination(s) is/are strongly recommended.
- Regular hand washing/sanitizing.
- Maintain accurate seating charts of student cohort groups.
- Model and encourage social distancing of three to six feet (3-6 feet) with and among students to the greatest extent possible.
- Make safe and smart choices during personal time on evenings and weekends to avoid contracting an illness.
- Communicate efficiently with the Human Resource Office if you have tested positive with COVID or been identified as a close contact. See



updated guidelines starting on page 3 of this document.

Parents and Guest guidelines include:

- Presence in the buildings, will be limited to an “as necessary” basis, as determined by the building administrator.
- When in a UCC school building, parents and guests are required to be masked.
- Maintaining social distance of three to six (3 to 6) feet from non-family members.

School prevention strategies remain in place with active upgraded air flow unit systems (installed last school year), regular cleaning, masking and social distancing. Know that your assistance with supporting the guidelines is appreciated. We are confident that our united efforts will keep everyone safe and healthy. It allows us to rise above the challenges of COVID so student learning and achievement can be our main and essential priority during this coming year. Many thanks for your support!