

## **Pandemic Protocol for STUDENTS at Kiowa School**

- 1) *Parents are urged to check your children's temperature at home before school each day. If they are running a fever, please do not send them to school. We also request that students are brought and picked up from school. However, we will continue to run bus routes.*
- 2) *Students will need to bring a water bottle with an attached or screw on lid. Water fountains are now equipped with a contact free filling option.*
- 3) *Temperatures will be checked by the bus drivers with a contact free thermometer when students enter the bus each morning. If the student is running a 3 digit fever (100 degrees or above), they will NOT be allowed to come to school and will have to get off the bus immediately. Notify proper school personnel of students that are not allowed to get on the bus when driver is back at school. With a fever and the student is NOT tested for Covid, the student will be on distance learning for 10 days after fever subsides (not from time sent home); or 3 days with a negative test result.*
- 4) *Students being dropped off at school will have their temperatures taken before they are allowed to enter the building. If they run are running a temperature of 100 degrees or higher, they will be put back in the car and not allowed to stay at school. Please notify proper school personnel when a child is not allowed to stay at school.*
- 5) *During the school day, if a student begins to run a fever or develops symptoms associated with Covid, they will be required to put on a face-mask and be placed into a monitored isolation room until a parent/guardian can pick them up.*
- 6) *We will stagger bathroom breaks and eating times to reduce the risk of contamination.*
- 7) *All grades, lockers will alternate between boys and girls and boys/girls will not be permitted at lockers at the same time. HS/JH boys 3 minutes between classes, girls next 3 minutes, this will constitute a 6 minute break between classes instead of 5.*
- 8) *Facemask for students may be required in hallways between classes or bathroom breaks where crowds may gather.*
- 9) *Upon a positive case, the Pittsburg County Department of Health will be notified and they will conduct an investigation into contract tracing of the positive case.*
- 10) *A Release of Information due to Covid-19 is authorized by the district on a **Need-To-Know** basis for the safety of all students in contact with a positive case and will not be deemed as a breach of confidentiality.*
- 11) *Elementary students are on a rotation schedule to eat in their classroom to eliminate crowding in halls and cafeteria. On duty high school teachers will allow their students to go to lunch 10 minutes early to eliminate overcrowding.*
- 12) *Students are highly encouraged to wear a mask in hallways, bathrooms, buses and other populated areas.*
- 13) *Students, while eating in the cafeteria, will only be allowed to set on one side of a table.*
- 14) *Students, at parent's request, may wear a mask for the entire day.*
- 15) *Mask may be required by administration when social distancing is not possible.*