

# 2021 SCHOOL SAFETY PLAN



Oak Ridge has taken steps to prepare for the health, wellness and safety for students and staff for our 2021 school year. **Our plans will be a living document and will be updated with new information as it becomes available.** The most up-to-date guidelines and protocols will be available at [www.oakridger6schools.com/covid19](http://www.oakridger6schools.com/covid19). Decisions will be made in coordination with local, state, and federal guidelines.



## Facial Coverings & Hygiene

- Face masks are optional for students & staff
- Temperature checks will occur at the discretion of the district. Any person with a temperature above 100.0 degrees will be sent home.
- Hand sanitizer is readily available throughout the



## Transportation

- Students will be assigned a seat for the purpose of contact tracing.
- Students will be expected to use provided hand sanitizer upon entry and exit of bus.
- Parents are encouraged to pick up/drop off their student if possible to decrease the



## Health Protocols

- Health services staff will evaluate any student or staff member showing symptoms of COVID-19.
- Students/staff will be sent home if they exhibit two or more symptoms of COVID-19 based on CDC guidance that are not otherwise explained.
- If a student/staff is coughing, having breathing issues, or has loss of taste and/or smell, only one symptom is required to send students/staff home.
- Students/staff will only be allowed to return to



## Social Distancing

- Students will be grouped together to minimize cross-contamination throughout the day.
- Desks will be grouped in a way that allows for the most effective social distancing available.
- Outdoor spaces will be utilized when possible.
- Visitors may be restricted inside the building.

Cape Girardeau Health Department will provide guidance for Student/staff testing positive for COVID-19. Targeted disinfecting will take place. Communication and re-entry will be based on CGCO guidance.