

Kansas City, Kansas Public Schools

2021-2022 School Re-Entry

Update

August 10, 2021



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Re-Entry Team Members

- Edwin Birch - Executive Director of Communications
- Dominic DeRosa - NEA-KCK President
- Maxine Drew - KCKPS School Board Member
- Stephen Linkous - Chief of Staff
- Lenora Miller - Executive Director of Operations
- Elizabeth Morris - Health Coordinator KCKPS
- Kristen Scott - Instructional Improvement Officer
- Dr. Yen To - Director of DERA
- Keli Tuschman - Chief of Human Resources

Updates

- Parent One-Page Letter sent out on July 23rd
- Re-Entry Team has held two meetings and will meet again on August 16th.
- School One-Pager presented to staff during pre-service days.
- 213 Applications have been turned in for Greenbush.
 - 88 Elementary
 - 48 Middle School
 - 77 High School
- Desk Shields will be made available at elementary, middle and high schools if a student or staff requests them.
- Updated Wyandotte county mandates do not impact previous recommendations made to the Board of Education.

Electives and Specials Update

All Fine Arts and PE courses will be offered with mitigations and adaptations to instruction per local health department guidelines.

- Band - Special masks and bell covers will be provided for the wind players.
- Band and Choir – Music Rooms to be vacated for 15 minutes in between sessions to maintain air quality.
- Choir and theatre should utilize the blue masks that are provided by the district.
- P.E. – Locker Rooms will not be utilized.
- Band, Choir, and P.E.– Outdoor instruction will be utilized when necessary or deemed appropriate.



Athletics Competitions

- Masks/face coverings should be worn at all times by all personnel, including students, except when directly participating in the activity
- Concessions: Follow food service guidelines and provide limited menu with pre-packaged foods and bottled drinks only. Add plexiglass barrier.
- Outside events will NOT require spectators to wear a mask
- Inside activities will require spectators to wear a MASK

Questions?