



BLSD Fall 2020 Restart Plan



Educational Plan

Three (3) Phase Plan that allows for flexibility and consistency in educating our students. We need to have the ability to maneuver through these phases quickly, sometimes with little to no advanced warning.

The Three Phases are as follows:

- Green  “All In”
- Yellow  “Hybrid Plan”
- Red  “Distance Learning”

Green “All In”

- Home Health Assessments before school
- Full capacity, 100% students & staff
- Normal start / end time as posted
- All classes attended in person
- Social Distancing of 3 feet in classrooms
- Lunch provided in cafeteria
- Hand sanitizer in each classroom

- Hand sanitizer at each entrance
- Face coverings (as directed)
- Transportation
 - Face Coverings (as directed)
 - Hand sanitizer
 - Assigned seating back to front
- Cleaning supplies COVID-19 Certified.
- Extra-curriculars & Athletics as usual

Yellow “Hybrid Plan”

- Home Health Assessments before school
- 50% students capacity
 - 2 Cohorts (groups) A & B
- School day is 30 minutes shorter
- Social Distancing of 6 feet in classrooms
- Lunch provided in classrooms
- Hand sanitizer in each classroom
- Hand sanitizer at each entrance
- Face coverings (in transition areas)
- Transportation
 - Face Coverings (mandatory)
 - Hand sanitizer
 - Assigned seating back to front
- Cleaning supplies COVID-19 Certified.
- Extracurriculars & Athletics as usual
- Students wipe off their desk at end of period

- Monday:** Staff Only
Preparing Google Classrooms
“Office Hours”
- Tuesday:** Cohort A in person
Cohort B Home/Online
- Wednesday:** Cohort B in person
Cohort A Home/Online
- Thursday:** Cohort A in person
Cohort B Home/Online
- Friday:** Cohort B in person
Cohort A Home/Online

Red “Distance Learning”

- ALL Students are at HOME
- Log in to Google Classroom to complete work
- Staff reports to school (as directed)
- Home Health Assessments before school
- Lunches will be provided (as directed)
 - Grab and Go
 - Delivered at specified locations
- Cleaning supplies COVID-19 Certified.
- Extracurriculars & Athletics (as directed)

Changing Phases & School Closure Protocols

Guidance and/or information from the Governor, Ohio Department of Health, County and Local Agencies will help the school district determine which Phase of the Restart Plan to operate.

Educational Options for Sick Students

Students who have medical conditions that put them at risk, or have the virus and self-isolating or are in mandatory quarantine, will be provided access to all school assignments and learning material through Google Classroom.

They will be assigned a schedule / teacher or maintain their current teachers' Google Classroom and complete posted assignments. This information may also be delivered through various remote learning platforms including Class Dojo, Remind App, as well as Google Classroom.

Student and parent questions will be handled through the classroom teacher(s) as needed during this time. Students/families that choose to start the year "remotely" will be asked to do so for at least a 9 week grading period. Students that may become sick will be expected to return to school upon completion of all COVID-19 health protocols.

Transportation

Brookfield LSD will provide transportation for students utilizing the following conditions:

- All students must wear masks on the bus
- No more than two (2) students per seat, siblings will sit together
- Load the bus Back to Front & Unload Front to Back
- Assigned seating
- Hand sanitizer getting on the bus going into school

Temperature Checks for Students

- Staff & Student health assessments must be completed at home before going to the bus stop or school.
 - We are looking into purchasing Thermal Scanners as well.
- School Nurse(s) will be available on a daily basis to complete wellness temperature checks on a per case basis.
- School Nurse(s) will educate all students on the importance of not coming to school when sick and provide materials to families on a regular basis.
- Separate room(s) will be used to isolate any student with COVID19 concerns.

Masks and Social Distancing

Wearing a Mask and Social Distancing are the top two recommendations made by leading health officials.

Both minimize the risk of catching the virus. One cannot be discussed without the other. They are interconnected.

BLSD will require students to wear a mask while at school, but allow for flexibility and removal of masks when the social distancing standard is being observed in classrooms.

Student seating in classrooms will be spaced out to the maximum space available per room striving for 3-6 feet between students at all times based on classroom space or which Phase we are operating in.

Students and staff are encouraged to wear masks throughout the school/work day, even at times masks are allowed to be removed.

K-4 Recess

Students will be allowed to participate in recess and utilize all current pieces of equipment.

Recess will be structured providing for a more controlled environment.

Students will be required to use hand sanitizer upon reentry into the school building after recess.

School Facility Upgrades & Cleaning

Sneeze Guards are being installed in each office for exposed public counters.

Sneeze Guards are being placed on each student desk in classrooms. (BPA Contribution)

Hand sanitizer dispensers are being installed at main entry points in all buildings as well as the main offices. Every classroom has a dispenser already installed.

All classrooms, busses, and buildings will have disinfectant spray bottles, paper towels and/or sanitizing wipes.

We have also purchased 4 more electrostatic sprayers for the building and busses.

We will be increasing our part time custodian to full time and hiring an additional part time custodian to help with an increased cleaning regiment during the school day, as well as lunch (garbage).

BLSD Employee Protocols

The health and safety of all BLSD employees is very important and being taken very seriously.

Per Governor, employees will be required to wear masks following the mask protocols.

Will require BLSD employees to conduct a Health Assessment each morning before coming to the school. This will include temperature and symptom checks.

We will continue to work with the BFT and BASE Unions as we continue to move forward with reopening plans.

Guests, Visitors, Volunteers & Service Providers

In general, no guests or visitors will be allowed in the schools without a valid reason and visitation to school offices will be discouraged and highly controlled.

If deemed an essential guest, visitor, volunteer or service provider, the individual must wear a mask and have his/her temperature taken before entering the school, complete a health checklist/signature, and follow all employee protocols.

Classroom parties involving outside food products and parent participation will be prohibited until further notice.

Field Trips, Co-Curricular, Extra-Curricular, Camps

Field Trips will be prohibited until further notice.

Extra-Curricular Trips and Competitions may be restricted. Requests will be evaluated on an individual basis for safety and educational implications.

Extra-Curricular (sports) guidelines and restrictions will be determined by the School District, Athletic League, OHSAA, Ohio Department of Health and / or the Governor of Ohio.

Community Usage of Facilities

In general, BLSD will not allow the community groups to hold meetings or events after school hours due to cleaning protocols. OCS will encourage booster and parent groups to hold meetings remotely or at other venues.

Students with COVID19 and Exposure Procedures

Symptoms - Stay home until you receive the results of your COVID Test (Follow DOH Guidelines at that point)
- Not taking a test.... Stay home for 10 days symptom free, 3 days with no fever (the 10/3 rule)

Confirmed Positive Test - I believe that person follows the 10/3 rule as directed by the DOH.

Positive Test in Household - Family members need to quarantine for 14 days (DOH Guidelines)

Positive Test on a Team/school - Through contact tracing we would identify close contacts of the confirmed case. The health department will work with the district to see who would have met this criteria in the school setting. Anyone identified would be asked to quarantine for 14 days. No further action would need to be taken at school, except for a plan for educating the child while out.

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Flexibility is Key and Expected

BLSD is prepared to adjust, if and when, we are mandated to close a building or district due to a COVID19 outbreak.

Plans are in place to quickly move to a remote learning plan by distributing devices to students and implement our remote learning plan led by teaching staff on a daily basis.

We have a strong foundation from what we learned in the spring to provide meaningful instruction remotely.

Thank You

