# Lone Star Public School Return to School Plan 2021-2022

#### **LEARNING**

 Lone Star is offering in-person learning and will remain open for in-person instruction unless Covid-19 numbers within the District necessitate a transition to temporary distance learning.

#### MASKS

 Oklahoma Senate Bill 658, effective July 1, 2021 restricts the mandatory enforcement of masks in schools unless a state of emergency is declared by the Governor, consultation with health department, and school board consideration. <u>Masks will be</u> <u>optional</u> for students, employees, and visitors. State and local health departments and CDC recommend wearing masks indoors.

# **CONTACT TRACING/QUARANTINE**

Parents will be notified if their child is within six (6) feet of a person who tests positive for Covid-19. Students who come into close contact with a Covid-19 positive individual should self-monitor for symptoms and may return to school or self-quarantine without penalty. Students or employees who test positive for Covid-19 must stay home for ten (10) days. If symptoms persist, the person may need to stay home longer.

# **VISITORS**

 Visitors will continue to be limited in buildings. Parents requiring a conference with a teacher/principal may make an appointment.

### **CAFETERIA**

 Breakfast and lunch are free to all students for the 2021-2022 school year.

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

 Buses will run as normal during times of inperson learning, and all Lone Star buses will have extra masks and hand sanitizer on board. Buses will be cleaned and disinfected daily.

#### STRATEGIES TO REDUCE EXPOSURE

- Social distancing is encouraged to the extent possible in common areas such as cafeteria, hallways, and gymnasiums.
- Students will be reminded to wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds and especially after sneezing, coughing, and blowing their nose.
- New windows in junior high building and new HVAC units in elementary have been added for better ventilation.
- Daily temperature checks will be conducted upon entering the junior high building and within classrooms in the elementary.

# **VACCINATIONS**

 Oklahoma SB 658, restricts school districts from requiring Covid-19 vaccines for students. State and local health departments and CDC recommend Covid-19 vaccines for those eligible.

# **MONITOR FOR SYMPTOMS**

- Parents and guardians are expected to screen their child for Covid-19 symptoms each day prior to sending their student to school.
- Students and staff should stay home if experiencing symptoms of Covid-19 or any other illness.