



# SAFE RETURN TO IN-PERSON

Opening our school for the *2022-23* school year

Commercial Township School District is receiving funds through the American Rescue Plan to ensure a safe and healthy school in the wake of the COVID pandemic. The **Safe Return Plan** can be accessed on the District's Website. This one-pager provides a summary of the measures in place as of Sept. 2022.

## Components of the Plan

<b>Masks</b>		<p>Masks are optional for staff, students, and visitors at school and on school buses. An individual who tests positive for COVID and returns on day 6 is required to wear a mask on days 6-10. If the individual is unable to do so, then the individual should remain on isolation through day 10.</p>
<b>Social Distance &amp; Cohorts</b>		<p>There are no cohorts; students attend full time daily.</p>
<b>Hand Washing &amp; Cough</b>		<p>Efforts to promote healthy practices include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• hand washing routines</li> <li>• cover your cough &amp; other good respiratory habits</li> </ul>
<b>Cleaning &amp; Ventilation</b>		<p>Efforts to ensure healthy facilities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• disinfect instructional areas weekly using electrostatic sprayer</li> <li>• HVAC work for high-efficiency performance</li> </ul>
<b>Contact Tracing</b>		<p>Contact tracing is no longer in place for in-school contact, but positive cases are reported as required.</p>
<b>Screening</b>		<p>Students and staff self-assess for symptoms and are encouraged to 'Stay home when sick' according to the screening tool. Temperature checks for students upon arrival are no longer in place.</p>
<b>Vaccination</b>		<p>Families are encouraged to consult their health care provider regarding student vaccination. The school hosts vaccination clinics in partnership with the NJDOH.</p>
<b>Special Education</b>		<p>Reasonable accommodations are provided for students with special needs. Long-term home instruction is provided for medically fragile students. Short-term home instruction via Schoology and Zoom is available for students who are under isolation or quarantine.</p>

**Want more information?** Review the complete plan on our Website: <https://www.commercialschools.org/cts/>  
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