

USD 439 GATING CRITERIA
September 13, 2021 – October 11, 2021

PRIMARY GATING CRITERIA	GREEN	YELLOW	ORANGE
COVID-Related Absences: Percentage of absences COVID-related absences out of 570 students and staff.	0-5% of students and staff are absent due to COVID-related reasons.	5.1-10% of students and staff are absent due to COVID-related reasons.	Greater than 10% of students and staff are absent due to COVID-related reasons.
Positive Cases: Number of positive cases with a family household cluster counting as one positive case.	0-10 Positive Cases	11-20 Positive Cases	Greater than 20 Positive Cases
Out-of-School Quarantines: Total number of students who are quarantined out of school due to being a high-risk close contact.	0-20 students and staff are quarantined out of school	21-40 students and staff are quarantined out of school	Greater than 40 students and staff are quarantined out of school
Modified Quarantines: Total number of students who are quarantined in school due to being a low-risk close contact.	0-20 Students and Staff	21-40 Students and Staff	Greater than 40

SECONDARY GATING CRITERIA	GREEN	YELLOW	ORANGE
County Active Cases	0-60	61-120	Greater than 120
County 2 Week Trend	Up 0-60	Up 60-120	Up Greater than 120
County Hospitalizations	0-10	11-20	20 or Greater

PROTOCOLS	GREEN	YELLOW	ORANGE
COVID-Symptoms	Everyone Must Stay Home when Sick with COVID-Related Symptoms	Everyone Must Stay Home when Sick with COVID-Related Symptoms	Everyone Must Stay Home when Sick with COVID-Related Symptoms
Masks	Highly Recommended when Cases are Increasing or Prevalence is High in the District or County, Emphasis on Grades K-6	Highly Recommended with Targeted Efforts to Increase Mask Wearing with Emphasis on Grades K-6	Highly Recommended with Maximum Efforts to Increase Mask Wearing at All Grade Levels
Physical Distancing	3 to 6 Feet Whenever Possible	3 to 6 Feet at All Times, Other Than HES Lunch (Stable Lunch Groups)	3 to 6 Feet Distancing at All Times
Lunch/Breakfast	3 to 6 Feet with Stable Lunch Groups	3 to 6 Feet with Stable Lunch Groups	3 to 6 Feet with Stable Lunch Groups
Spectator Events	Normal Activity Protocols	Physical Distancing for Indoor Activities with Possible Capacity Considerations	Capacity Limitations and Distancing for Indoor Activities; Everyone Wears a Mask Indoors
Visitors (During School Hours)	Limited Visitors with Masks Required when District or County Cases are Increasing	Limited Visitors: Masks Required for All Visitors During School Hours	No Visitors During the School Day
School Vehicles	Masks Required	Masks Required	Masks Required
Assemblies & Large Group Events	Normal Assemblies with 3 to 6 Feet Distancing	Limited Assemblies with 3 to 6 Feet Distancing	No Large Group Assemblies During School Hours
Hygiene and Handwashing	Opportunities Provided to Wash or Sanitize Hands Often	Opportunities Provided to Wash or Sanitize Hands Often	Opportunities Provided to Wash or Sanitize Hands Often
Ventilation	Utilize outdoor Learning Spaces; HVAC systems set for optimal outside air/ventilation.	Utilize outdoor Learning Spaces; HVAC systems set for optimal outside air/ventilation.	Utilize outdoor Learning Spaces; HVAC systems set for optimal outside air/ventilation.