STAY SAFE TO STAY OPEN



Updated: 1/18/2021

Additions and Areas for Increased Focus.

- Continue with plan in its entirety and included the following areas for additional focus/development:
 - Continue safe practices (masks, handwashing, social distancing...)
 - Continue cleaning efforts. Emphasize safe practice.
 - Family communication. (Information. Symptom tracking. Contact tracing. Quarantine. Vaccines.)
 - Flexible Options: Face to Face, Virtual, Hybrid w/ Self-Quarantine Options
 - Family/Student Support Series (Virtual ambassadors, Q/A series, ...)
 - Increased SEL support: Focused on Individual, Group, and Classroom support. (Loss, Guilt, Fear, Communication, ...)
 - Communication: Data. Vaccine Communication
 - Student Activities (School day, Afterschool, Special events, Sports...)

COVID:

https://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/imce/sspw/pdf/Interium_COVID-19_Infection_Control_and_Mitigation_Meas ures_for_Schools.pdf

Note:

The plan is updated with second semester additions. All editions (1/18/2021) are underlined.

Stone Bank School District Stay Safe to Stay Open - Reopening School Plan 2020-2021 Stay Safe to Stay Open Second Semester Updates (udpated 1/18/2021)

The Stone Bank Board and Administration are committed to keeping students/families informed and engaged as we work to reopen schools in the fall and stay up throughout the school year. Throughout this process, we have shared that reopening, and staying open, will require a flexible and fluid approach as the information we need to make informed decisions becomes available knowing that information/data may change between now and September, or even after the school year has started.

This plan was developed with the assumption that Stone Bank School will be able to reopen in fall with in-person classes five days per week, and a virtual learning option as needed and desired.
However, the status of opening with in-person instruction or with virtual learning will depend on the local health data (Waukesha County Dashboard and Local School Data) leading up to the first day of school on September 1 (and each day moving forward).

Our goal is to provide you with the most updated information available to us at this time. Given our current and changing context, what **won't** change is our commitment to...

- listen to our families, students, and staff
- provide you with the most updated information we can, in the most timely manner, without overwhelming you
- provide staff ample time, resources, and process' that will empower them to use their expertise as educators to collaboratively design safe spaces, and powerful educational experiences partner with our families and our community health departments to keep students, staff, families, and our community safe, while educating learners for their future
- Partnering with the Waukesha County Health Department to monitor data for decision making.

Development of this plan: Stone Bank School's *Stay Safe to Stay Open - Reopening School Plan* has been developed by the Stone Bank Reopening Task Force through close collaboration with our School Board, the Waukesha County Public Health Department and leaders from neighboring school districts. Further, the plan was developed through input and feedback from students, parents and staff feedback, as well as through consultation with legal counsel and our liability insurance company, with Wisconsin's Department of Health Services (DHS), and with the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI). The updates (1/18/2021) were brought forward by task force members, staff, and administration and approved by the school board (1/18/2021).

Use of this plan: Stone Bank School's *Stay Safe to Stay Open - Reopening School Plan* is intended to provide an overview explanation of how Stone Bank School will function to provide educational services and experiences during the remainder of the COVID-19 pandemic. It is not an exhaustive list

of practices and protocols. This is not a permanent plan, but rather currently prepared safety measures to minimize the risk of the spread of infection. As the COVID-19 situation continues to evolve, this plan will be improved and adjusted as knowledge is gained through implementation, and also through the most current information received from local/state/national health, education, and legal experts.

Our operations, safety mitigations, and day-to-day procedures will be modified through the movement through phases that determine specific action steps. Phases are determined by the Waukesha County Health Department Adopted Case Metrics, and the Harvard University Global Health Institute Case Rate Metrics using data specific to our Stone Bank Community.

8450 - CONTROL OF CASUAL-CONTACT COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

The Board of Education recognizes that control of the spread of communicable disease spread through casual-contact is essential to the well-being of the school community and to the efficient District operation.

For purposes of this policy, "casual-contact communicable disease" shall include diphtheria, scarlet fever and other strep infections, whooping cough, mumps, measles, rubella, and others designated by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (hereinafter referred to as DHS).

In order to protect the health and safety of the students, District personnel, and the community at large, the Board shall follow all State statutes and Health Department regulations which pertain to immunization and other means for controlling casual-contact communicable disease spread through normal interaction in the school setting.

If a student exhibits symptoms of a communicable disease, the principal will isolate the student in the building and contact the parents. Protocols established by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services shall be followed.

The District Administrator shall develop administrative guidelines for the control of communicable disease that shall include:

- A. instruction of professional staff members in the detection of these common diseases and measures for their prevention and control;
- B. removal of students from District property to the care of a responsible adult;
- C. preparation of standards for the readmission of students who have recovered from casual-contact communicable diseases;
- D. filing of reports as required by statute and the DHS.

Topics addressed:

- 1. Determination of School Closure and Quarantine of Individuals
- 2. Determination of When Students Attend School Virtually Versus In-person
- 3. <u>Health Risk Mitigation Strategies</u>
- 4. Instructional Models (Face to Face, Virtual, and the Use of 'Blended Strategies)
- 5. Mental Health and Social-Emotional Wellness Practices
- 6. <u>Student Attendance Procedures</u>
- 7. <u>Student and Staff Health-Related Privacy</u>
- 8. Physical Learning Environment (classrooms, cafeteria, outdoors, hallways)
- 9. <u>All-School (Mass Gathering) Events</u>
- 10. Transportation Protocols
- 11. <u>Co-curricular Activities</u>
- 12. Personal Health Statement & Participation Waiver
- 13. <u>Resources Used in the Development of This Plan</u>



Full Closure of School: By law, only three entities are able to close schools:

- The state health department (WI Department of Health Services),
- The local health department (Waukesha County Department of Public Health)
- School district's superintendent/district administrator.
 - The District's 'Phase Plan' will be based on data.

During a disease pandemic, Stone Bank School will be closed (by any of those three parties) for in-person instruction if the student or staff absenteeism rate or total percentage of the population reaches a level whereby:

- It is unsafe to remain open as a result of significant spread of the disease, as determined by local or state health department disease data criteria, and/or
- It is deemed infeasible to conduct in-person classes as a result of significant staff absenteeism (ill, close-contact quarantines, etc.) and an inadequate number of substitute staff members to cover the required positions as determined by the Waukesha County Health Department Adopted Case Metrics, and the Harvard University Global Health Institute Case Rate Metrics
- *If school must be closed for in-person learning, virtual learning will be implemented to the greatest extent possible.

Stone Bank School: Data Driven 'Phases': The following 'Phases' are offered in connection to Waukesha County and Stone Bank data trends.

- Phase 3: Face to Face w/ Mitigation Steps. Virtual option.
- Phase 2: Face to Face w/ INCREASED Mitigation Steps. Hybrid and Virtual option.
- Phase 1: Hybrid Model. Extensive Mitigation Steps. Virtual Option.
- Phase 0: Full Virtual

Quarantine of Individuals Stone Bank will continue to work in close collaboration with our Waukesha County Public Health Department related to the spread of disease and the need to quarantine sick people and also healthy-but-exposed people.

- Criteria used for sick people
 - Anyone experiencing symptoms associated with COVID-19 or the multisystem inflammatory syndrome, should contact a physician for testing.
 - If tested positive for coronavirus, the Waukesha County Public Health

Department will be notified by the physician/testing site, or by Stone Bank if we learn it from a parent/student first.

- The health department will require people who have tested positive with COVID-19 to be quarantined for at least 10 days while ill, and for 24-hours with no symptoms.
- Written permission to return to work/school must be obtained from the health department or a private physician, and provided to Stone Bank' District Nurse/health room (or to the HR Office for staff) before returning to school/work.
- NOTE: Waukesha County Health Department will provide guidelines
- Criteria used for exposed people (Please note- healthy people WILL need to be quarantined.)
 - Close contact to a person with COVID-19 will need to be quarantined to their home for 14 days, per a mandate by the health department. A close contact, as defined by the Waukesha County Public Health Department and the Center for Disease Control (CDC), is any and all person(s) who:
 - Had direct physical contact with the person (e.g.; hug, kiss, handshake).
 - Were within 6 feet of the person for more than 15 minutes.
 - Had contact with the person's respiratory secretions (e.g.; coughed/sneezed on, contact with a dirty tissue, sharing a drinking glass, food, or towels or other personal items).
 - Stayed overnight for at least one night in a household with the person

** The use of a mask or cloth face covering by an infectious individual in a community, non-healthcare setting reduces the risk of transmission of COVID-19. In a community setting, risk assessment and quarantine guidance for a close contact is not affected by the case-patient or the close contact wearing a mask or cloth face covering.

- <u>As determined by the health department</u>, a secondary contact (the contact of a close contact) need not be quarantined.
- According to the health department, obtaining a negative COVID-19 test soon after exposure does not mean the person can avoid 14 days of quarantine. The average incubation period of the disease is five days, with the outside timing of becoming ill after exposure is 14 days later. Thus, the full 14-day quarantine is required.



Determination of When Students Attend School Virtually Versus In-Person

Students/Families may choose between attending school either: PHASE 3

- 1. Five days per week through in-person learning
- 2. Five days per week through virtual learning.

Parents will receive a brief, online survey via email on Friday, August 7 through which you will be asked to make your learning format choice for the start of the school year, by August 14. Final determination of mode of instruction must be made by August 26th.

• Whenever possible, this determination is in effect for at least one month (4 weeks) at a time; it likely will be disruptive to the student and the teacher/classroom environment if students were allowed to jump back and forth between in-person and virtual learning on a frequent basis. If extenuating circumstances arise that necessitates a switch to the other learning format, please contact the main office.

In-person Learning As outlined in the subsequent section, health risk mitigation strategies will be implemented to reduce the risk of exposure and the spread of COVID-19, as feasible.

Virtual Learning Students will be provided with virtual instruction through one or more of the following circumstances:

- The parents/guardians choose for the student to attend school virtually, rather than in-person.
- Stone Bank is provided notice from the student's parent, physician, or the Waukesha County Public Health Department that the student has contracted COVID-19 or other such symptoms that would require her/him to be quarantined at home. Once the quarantine period has expired, and the school receives clearance from the physician or the Waukesha County Public Health Department, the student may return to in-person instruction/learning.
- Stone Bank is provided notice from the student's parent, physician, and/or the Waukesha County Public Health Department that the student must be quarantined as a result of close-contact exposure to someone with a confirmed case of COVID-19. Once the quarantine period has expired, and the school receives a health clearance from Waukesha County Public Health Department, the student may attend in-person school.



Health Risk Mitigation Strategies

The safety of students, staff, and essential visitors at school is of paramount importance. In this time of a worldwide pandemic, there is no guarantee of 100% total safety/no exposure to COVID-19. It is incumbent upon our school staff, students, and families to mitigate or reduce the risks associated with this coronavirus and other illnesses to promote a safe learning and work environment at Stone Bank School.

The district reserves the right to make such measures recommended and/or mandatory while students are participating during school and school related activities.

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- Personal Prevention Practices for Students and Staff Members
 - Stay home when sick.
 - Adhere to Waukesha County Public Health Department's orders for quarantine for sick people and for those deemed a close contact of a COVID-19 positive person.
 - Conduct a daily self-check health screening with questions as provided by the Waukesha County Public Health Department: During the last 24 hours since your last self-check:
 - Have you been in close contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19?
 - Are you experiencing a cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, or sore throat?
 - Have you had a fever of 100.4 or above?
 - Have you had a new loss of taste or smell?
 - Have you had muscle pain or chills?
 - Have you had a new headache?
 - Have you had nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea?

Facial masks- Wearing facial masks is required for students and staff while on campus unless notified otherwise (eg. during certain physical activities, or while eating). Masks may be brought from home, and at least one free mask per student and staff member will be disseminated. While some infected students/staff may show no symptoms, they can still spread the virus to others. The growing body of research indicates the wearing of facial masks protects both the person wearing the mask and the people around the person wearing the mask. (Recent studies published in the Lancet Medical Journal and in the Journal of General Internal Medicine.)

** If a student chooses not to wear a facial mask as required at Stone Bank, it means she/he is choosing to participate in school through virtual learning. If this happens during the school day, the student's parents will be contacted and the student will be released to go home to participate in virtual instruction. If/when they are ready to return using a facial mask, they will be welcomed back.

** If a verified medical, Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) reason exists wherein a facial mask must not be worn, an accommodation to the learning environment, such as participating in virtual learning or student-specific personal protective equipment, will be determined and implemented. Please work with the Director of Student Services or District Nurse if an accommodation is required.

** Per the Waukesha County Public Health Department statement on July 29: The Waukesha County Division of Public Health strongly urges public and private schools, and school districts considering in-person schooling to require all students and all staff to wear a face covering when at school or while participating in school activities. Schools and school districts that require wearing face coverings will not only help reduce the spread of COVID-19 among students and staff but will also reduce the chance that they spread it to their families and the community.

** Per the Governor's Emergency Order #1 on July 30, the wearing of facial coverings is mandated while indoors until September 28, 2020 unless extended longer, or unless the order is withdrawn.

** The district's guidance regarding student and staff use of face coverings/masks will be modified based on pandemic conditions. Any changes to these guidelines/expectations will be made by the Board of Education.

- Physical distancing- Limiting face-to-face contact with others is an effective way to reduce the spread of COVID-19. Maintain a 3 to 6-foot distance from others whenever possible. According to a recent study published in the Lancet Medical Journal, the chance of transmission at a distance of 1 meter (3.3 feet) is 12.8%, while that fell to 2.6% chance at a distance of 2 meters (6.6 feet). Stone Bank classrooms and lunchrooms do have enough space to allow for 6 feet of physical distance between people. In some cases, we will use additional break-out spaces (classrooms) to provide additional distancing.
- Proper hand care- Thoroughly wash hands with soap for 20+ seconds. When unable to adequately wash hands, use sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol and always refrain from touching your face. ALL students are staff will sanitizer/wash hands when arriving to school, and through the day (lunch, recess, projects).
- **Respiratory etiquette** Cover coughs and sneezes with your mask, and the crook of your elbow.
- 'Hanging out' in close proximity to others- Refrain from unnecessary group interactions before, during, and after school in hallways and other common spaces unless physical distancing can be implemented with masks on.
- **Sharing of items/food-** Do not share food, drinks, or other items.
- **Physical Facilities Safety Measures** Stone Bank is unable to guarantee there will be no exposure or spread of COVID-19 or other diseases within our campus buildings & grounds. Stone Bank will implement safety measures to mitigate or reduce the risks associated with disease the spread of disease. The following menu of physical facilities safety measures come from local (Waukesha County), state (DHS), and federal (CDC) sources:
 - Cleaning and disinfecting protocols- Increase daily and weekly protocols, as needed. For example, nightly sanitization of desks, more frequent disinfecting of high-touch areas during the day (door handles), more frequent disinfecting of high-use areas (bathrooms).

- Hand sanitizer stations- Hand sanitizer dispensers planned for all classrooms and common use areas. Sanitizing wipes available in computer labs. Encourage usage and increase placement, as needed.
- Physical barriers and guides (sneeze guards, floor markings, signage)-Increase signage in key, visible locations, install plexiglass barriers in front of high-traffic desk areas (eg. Welcome Center windows), use floor markings for social distancing, as needed.
- **Ventilation-** Verify ventilation is at optimal operation, keep internal doors open when possible, and follow CDC/ASHRAE guidelines as conditions allow.
- Modified layouts of spaces- Modify traffic patterns and rearrange tables/ seating in high-use areas (libraries, cafeterias, and studyhalls) to reduce close contact, as needed.
- **Use of outdoor space-** Go outside for class and/or other activities, when weather permits.
- **Traffic patterns-** Modify traffic patterns when helpful and feasible.
- **Shared objects-** Use individual supplies whenever possible and implement additional sanitization, as needed.
- Drinking water- Use individual water bottles for refilling; no drinking straight from the bubbler/drinking fountain. One time use cups will be available.
- **Private sick rooms-** A room will be identified and used for those who display identified COVID-19 symptoms until the time they can go home.



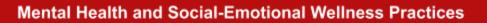
Supporting All Students: Blended Learning

Stone Bank has adopted a blended learning model using SeeSaw at the 4K through second grade level, and Google Classroom from third to eighth grade. Blended learning means that classes will be taught in-person in a traditional setting, along with online opportunities for learning (daily plans, resources, activities and some live/recorded lessons) posted in SeeSaw and Google Classroom, for students who are attending school virtually. Teachers may live stream classes or portions of classes, when necessary, for students attending school virtually or in the case of a full closure of school. Lessons will be recorded for students for playback opportunities.

During the first few days of school, teachers will address with students the protocols and procedures to follow, format, and expectations for both in-person and virtual learning. Parents and students should review the instructional model commitments to understand the procedures for in-person and virtual learning.

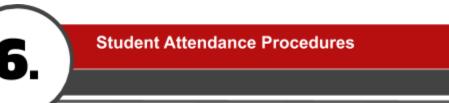
Students Who Will Be Learning Virtually

- When a student is ill, or is medically at risk, or is quarantined, or whose parents have chosen the virtual learning option, they will learn through the district's learning management system Google Classroom / SeeSaw.
- Students who are participating in virtual learning, must engage and interact daily, and fulfill classroom responsibilities for attendance. School staff will follow up with families if a student does not engage in online learning as attendance and truancy regulations are applicable.
- Students will follow their daily school schedule.
- Any live or streamed instruction will occur using Google Meet or SeeSaw.
- Grading: Students who choose the virtual option will be graded on the same grading system and scale as students who choose in-person learning. Progress on learning will be updated in Skyward throughout the semester.
- Students who will be learning online who do not have reliable/consistent access to the wireless internet should connect with Mr. Jaeger at j.jaeger@stonebank.k12.wi.us
- Stone Bank Students will be assigned a Chromebook for the school year. Chromebooks will be assigned at the start of the school year.



During the COVID-19 pandemic, mental health and social-emotional wellness have become an even more essential focus for students' success in learning. According to the National Association of School Psychologists, research conducted in the spring of 2020 suggests more than 20% of students displayed symptoms of anxiety and depression after 1 month in quarantine (Xie et al., 2020). Listed below are a blend of Stone Bank's past and newly developed resources for parents and students concerning the promotion of mental wellness and additional assistance available to all.

- COVID-19 specific resources addressing mental health and wellness
- Virtual Parent Learning Sessions with Q&A offered monthly with Kerry Z (check school calendar)
- Student email and social media mental health promotion and awareness curriculum.
- Positive school culture driven by The Stone Bank 'Empower' Committee.
- Staff awareness of SEL and mental health symptoms and strategies to optimize wellness of their class during the pandemic
- School Psychologists and School Counselors available for any student and parent with questions or concerns.



Attendance in K-12 education is mandatory by law, even during the COVID-19 pandemic. Stone Bank will hold students accountable for their attendance and participation in school. With that being said, students who are ill should not be in attendance while they are ill.

• Students who feel sick or have any of the Covid 19 Symptoms listed below must stay home and will be excused from school (DAILY SELF SCREENING)

• Fever (100.4 or higher) or chills		
• Cough		
 Shortness of breath 	/difficulty breathing	
• Muscle or body ach	es	
• New loss of taste of	rsmell	
• Sore throat		
• Nausea or vomiting		
• Diarrhea		

- For students who become ill at school and have any of the above symptoms of COVID-19, parents/guardians will be contacted immediately to be picked up. Please make sure your emergency contacts are up to date. If they cannot be picked up immediately they will wait in a room where they can be isolated from others yet monitored by staff.
 - If a student tests positive for Covid 19, or is deemed a close contact by the health department, written permission to return to work/school must be obtained from the health department or a private physician is required before returning to Stone Bank
- For students who are attending school virtually:
 - Students will meet attendance requirements by logging into Google Classroom each school day, Monday – Friday and completing daily practice and assignments.

- If the student is not in attendance through virtual learning, they will be marked absent in Skyward.
- Each grade level will have specific directions and expectations regarding daily work, which will impact students' attendance, learning, and grades.
- Students who are attending school virtually, will be expected to follow virtual learning attendance protocols and participate in their classes online by logging into the class learning platform every day, unless they are too ill to participate.
- If students are unable to participate in virtual learning on any given day as a result of illness or essential appointments, parents/guardians are expected to **CALL** the respective attendance office on the day of absence with the reason, which will be entered into the Skyward attendance program.
 - Front office phone number:262-966-2900
- If students are too ill to participate, they should be called in sick and will be marked ILL in Skyward for each day they are unable to participate in school and need to make up work later, when they are healthy.



Student and Staff Health-Related Privacy

Information regarding an individual student's health is part of the official "pupil record." The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. Wis. Stat. s. 118.125(2) states that, with some exceptions, all formal pupil records maintained by a school shall be confidential.

In recognition that the health status of an individual is personal and confidential, Stone Bank shall handle information regarding students and staff with suspected or confirmed communicable diseases in accord with state and federal laws and school board policies regarding the confidentiality of student and staff records, while at the same time complying with applicable public health reporting requirements.



Health risk mitigation efforts will be implemented in targeted areas of the physical learning environment where large groups of students will congregate.

- **Student Seating-** All classrooms will have arranged to limit face-to-face breathing and talking. Please be aware, our classrooms are spaced to accommodate 6 feet between desks, yet the confined space makes the wearing of masks an expectation. Stone Bank classrooms and lunchrooms do have enough space to allow for 6 feet of physical distance between people. In some cases, we will use additional break-out spaces (classrooms) to provide additional distancing.
- **Open Classroom Doors** To reduce spread on high touch surfaces, teachers will leave doors open at times when feasible.

- Lunch- Seating in the commons will be arranged to increase the ability to physically distance since masks will not be feasible while eating. All students will have an assigned seat with grade-level peers (cohort) during lunch. Students will wash hands or use hand sanitizer before eating. Before and after eating, students are expected to wear their facial masks. Our in-house lunch program team will implement a host of health risk mitigation strategies during food preparation and food service including:
 - A procedure for "fingers free" lunch codes will be in place
 - Self-serve will be replaced with pre-packaged (boxed or bagged) or staff-served options; no buffet/salad bar-style service will be used.
 - Extra cleaning and sanitizing practices will be implemented.
 - Gloves and face coverings will be used by food service staff.
- **Study Spaces-** Stone Bank will utilize additional rooms for study to decrease the amount of students gathered in one space. This will include the use of the library, commons, and other classrooms.
- Hallways- Students and staff should not congregate in hallways or outside of classrooms together-- always wear masks and remain at least six feet apart whenever possible.



Stone Bank will adhere to the most current guidelines provided by the Waukesha County Public Health Department for the maximum size of groups (meetings, performances, sporting events, etc.)

• See phase diagram for what types of school sponsored events will be allowed at each stage of reopening.



Transportation protocols include daily bussing of students to and from school, as well as any transportation that may occur in non-bus vehicles and/or outside school hours.

- Vehicles used to transport students will be inspected for cleanliness and safety.
- Vehicles will be cleaned and disinfected between trips whenever feasible, especially focusing on commonly touched surfaces.
- When a positive COVID-19 case is identified as having been in a vehicle, it will be disinfected before using it again.
- The use of facial coverings/masks will be required of riders to prevent the spread of the virus during rides, as well as from one bus run of high school students to the next run of elementary school students.
- When it is necessary for more than one rider to be in a seat, siblings/common household members should sit together.
- All students will have assigned seats
- Eating, drinking, and chewing gum are prohibited in the vehicle, unless medically necessary and written notification is provided from a physician.
- Ventilation systems will operate while students are in the vehicle, and windows will remain open, as weather allows, to increase circulation of outside air.
- The driver of the vehicle has the right to determine assigned seats, and/or specific entry/exit procedures.



Co-curricular activities are an important part of students' school experience. Our hope and desire is to offer Stone Bank's athletics, clubs, and other activities in a risk-reduced manner. Students participating in school via in-person and the virtual option qualify to participate in co-curricular activities, unless ill or otherwise advised by a physician or by a faculty member for disciplinary consequences.

- Health risk mitigation strategies will be implemented during co-curriculars as described in other sections of this plan and/or as described in CDC guidelines.
- When school is open for in-person learning, co-curricular activities will be held, as possible, with health risk mitigation strategies in place.
- Activities and events may be postponed, canceled, or adjusted (perhaps with short notice) in order to meet health department guidelines and/or current conditions in the school or community.
- If/When school is closed by order of a health department or the superintendent, all co-curricular programs typically will also be cancelled, unless determined otherwise and communicated by the coach/advisor, or administration.
- Ongoing communication will be used in order to keep participants, parents, and coaches/advisors informed



Stone Bank's COVID-19 Participation Notice & Personal Health Statement 2020-2021, as approved by legal counsel/liability insurance company:

As confirmed by national, state, and local health authorities (Center for Disease Control, WI Department of Health Services, and Waukesha County Public Health Department), a disease pandemic currently exists for COVID-19. COVID-19, and other similar diseases including Multisystem Inflammatory Disorder and any additional novel coronaviruses, may be contracted and spread through person-to-person contact and through person-to-object contact. The Stone Bank School District will hold school including curricular and co-curricular activities and non-school activities within our campus buildings and grounds and off our campus (e.g. field trips, student transportation/busing) during the time period of this disease pandemic.

Stone Bank cannot and will not guarantee there will be no exposure to COVID-19 and other diseases while on our campus or while participating in school-based functions off our campus. Students, family members, staff members, and other members of the public, merely by participating in Stone Bank events and activities on and off our campus, are acknowledging that they understand the risks associated with participating in Stone Bank events and activities on and off our campus.

In consideration for participating in such events and activities, the signer acknowledges that they have read and understand this statement and that Stone Bank cannot and will not guarantee there will be no exposure to COVID-19 and other diseases while on our campus or while participating in school-based functions off our campus. Stone Bank will offer strategies to reduce the health risk factors related to COVID-19 and other similar diseases, but individuals are responsible for their own health safety while participating in all Stone Bank activities, on or off our campus.

To reduce the risk of contracting and/or spreading COVID-19 and other similar diseases, participants in all Stone Bank activities are advised and requested to implement the following

Personal Health Risk Mitigation Strategies:

- Stay home when sick
- Daily self-check health screening questions, as provided by the Waukesha County Public Health Department. During the last 24 hours since your last self-check:
 - Have you been in close contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19?
 - Are you experiencing a cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, or sore throat?
 - Have you had a fever of 100.4 or above?
 - Have you had a new loss of taste or smell?
 - Have you had muscle pain or chills?
 - Have you had a new headache?
 - Have you had nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea?
- Wearing of facial masks is required for students and staff while on campus, unless notified otherwise (eg. during physical activities, while eating). If a verified medical reason, or an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requires no mask can be worn, accommodations to the learning environment, such as participating in virtual learning, will be determined and implemented. Please work with the District Nurse/Director of Student Services if an accommodation is required.
- Physical distancing (3-6 feet apart from others) whenever possible
- Proper hand care thorough washing, sanitizer, refrain from touching the face
- Respiratory etiquette cover coughs and sneezes with your facial mask and the crook of your arm.

Thank you for your cooperation in keeping yourself and others safe and healthy. Stay Safe to Stay Open!



The following is a non-exhaustive list of the resources used in the development Stone Bank's *Stay Safe to Stay Open - Reopening School Plan*.

- Guidance from the Waukesha County Public Health Department's Safe Schools Stone Bank's webpage
- Guidance from the WI Department of Instruction (DPI) and WI Department of Health Services (DHS) plan: *Education Forward- Safely and Successfully Reopening Wisconsin Schools*
- Guidance from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC)
- WIAA's Sports Specific Guidelines
- Medical Express article referencing the recent study published in the Lancet Medical Journal
- Social Distancing and Masks Reduce Risk of Getting COVID-19, Review Finds, referencing the recent study published in the Lancet Medical Journal
- Journal of General Internal Medicine- Masks Do More Than Protect Others during COVID-19: Reducing the Inoculum of SARS-CoV-2 to Protect the Wearer
- New England Journal of Medicine's VIDEO- Visualizing Speech-Generated Oral Fluid Droplets with Laser Light Scattering

Stone Bank: Waukesha County Data Dashboard 'PHASE PLAN' - UPDATED 11/4/20

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PHASE 3:

PPE

Screening

Masks for all employees and students per Governor's order & Waukesha County Health Guidelines and Board Policy.

PHASE 2:

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PHASE 1:

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PHASE 0:

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PHASE 3:

Routine home oversight of illness tracking.

*Daily symptom tracker *Promote self guarantine.

PHASE 2:

At home symptom tracking each morning for students and staff in accordance with Waukesha County Health guidelines.

*Promote self quarantine.

PHASE 1:

At home symptom tracking each morning for students and staff in accordance with Waukesha County Health guidelines,

*Required self quarantine.

PHASE 0:

PHASE 0:

Routine home oversight of illness tracking.

Visitors/Volunteers

PHASE 3:

No Visitors.

*Visitors or volunteers only with administrative approval.

PHASE 2:

No visitors or

volunteers.

Follow CDC guidelines

PHASE 3:

PHASE 2:

Restrict in-person before/after school events, clubs, athletics. This includes both school events on and off SB campus.

PHASE 1:

PHASE 1:

No visitors or

volunteers.

No in-person before/ after school events, clubs, athletics. This includes both school events on and off SB campus.

PHASE 0:

To be determined.

Activities/Events

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Stone Bank Four Phase Model for Reopening	Schools should follow the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), and Waukesha County Public Health's guidance for COVID-19 prevention (e.g., hand washing, cleaning protocols, distancing).	Stone Bank will closely monitor their data trajectory and other key considerations. School considers strict preventive measures to further reduce the risk of spread. Consider Hybrid/Virtual for all.	Stone Bank will closely monitor their data trajectory and other key considerations. Stone Bank will implement strict preventive measures to further reduce the risk of spread including Hybird/Virtual	Stone Bank moves to virtual learning models based on risk level as red and other key considerations. *Phase 0 is also the "Quarantine Phase"
Instruction Model	Face to Face *w/ Virtual Option	Face to Face *w/ Virtual Option	Hybrid / Virtual *Specific cohorts of students may be required to due confirmed illness.	Virtual
Distancing	Routine classroom protocols and room layout.	Additional Distance. Assigned seats in gyms, commons, restricted movement	Maximinzed distancing if in school. No student movement (class to class)	N/A
Cleaning	Daily cleaning protocols with continued disinfection of high touch areas throughout the day and evenings.	Daily cleaning and disinfection of school; frequent during the day cleaning of high touch areas. hand hygiene routinely managed within the day. (Required before/after lunch snack, after recess, etc)	Daily cleaning and disinfection of school; frequent during the day cleaning of high touch areas. Hand hygiene routinely managed within the day. (Required before/after lunch snack, after recess)	Thorough cleaning once all are out of building; ongoing cleaning to prepare for return of students and staff.
PPE	Masks for all employees and students per Governor's order & Waukesha County Health Guidelines and Board Policy	Masks for all employees and students per Governor's order & Waukesha County Health Guidelines and Board Policy	Masks for all employees and students per Governor's order & Waukesha County Health Guidelines and Board Policy	Masks for all employees and students per Governor's order & Waukesha County Health Guidelines and Board Policy
Screening	Routine home oversight of illness tracking. *Daily symptom tracker *Promote self quarantine.	At home symptom tracking each morning for students and staff in accordance with Waukesha County Health guidelines. *Promote self quarantine.	At home symptom tracking each morning for students and staff in accordance with Waukesha County Health guidelines. *Required self quarantine.	Routine home oversight of illness tracking.
Visitors/ Volunteers	No Visitors. *Visitors or Volunteers only with administrative approval.	No Visitors or Volunteers.	No Visitors or Volunteers.	N/A
Activities / Events	Follow CDC Guidelines.	Restrict in-person before/after school events, clubs, athletics. This includes both school events on and off SB campus.	No in-person before/after school events, clubs, athletics. This includes both school events on and off SB campus.	TBD