

English

August 26, 2021

The North White School Board voted to implement the following measures beginning on **Monday, August 30th** as a way to help:

- 1- Reduce the number of positive COVID cases
- 2- Reduce the number of students who are required to quarantine
- 3- Keep our students in-person for their education

1-Masks will be mandatory in the following situations for ALL students and staff:

- On school buses, except when the outside heat index reaches 90 degrees
- In classrooms and other areas deemed appropriate **ONLY** where social distancing of six feet is not available
- Masks do not need to be worn during passing periods.
- Masks do not need to be worn at lunch as students are in assigned seats.

2-Our threshold for changing to virtual education is set at 5% of our entire school population testing positive for COVID.

- Exception: If we do not have the necessary staffing to conduct in-person education, then the school may have to change to virtual education prior to meeting the 5% threshold.

3-All classrooms will be spaced out with as many seats being six feet apart as possible.

4-Students will be spread out as much as possible in the lunchroom to minimize the possibility of being considered a close contact. Students will have assigned seats.

5-Classrooms will be cleaned **and disinfected.**

6-Any student who is quarantined will receive information on what tests will qualify for re-entry to school.

7-Athletics will follow the IHSAA guidelines.

Please note that these items are fluid and as such may be adjusted or changed if deemed necessary by our school board and/or designees.