

# Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan



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# Introduction

On March 11, 2021, the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act was signed into law. In it, the U.S. Department of Education is providing an additional \$121.9 billion for the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER III Fund). This legislation will award grants to state educational agencies (SEAs) for providing local educational agencies (LEAs) with emergency relief funds to address the impact that COVID-19 has had, and continues to have, on elementary and secondary schools across the nation.

Wisconsin will receive \$1,540,784,854 in ESSER III funds from the Act, with 90 percent being awarded to school districts with amounts determined in proportion to the amount of Title I, Part A funds they received in summer 2020 from funds under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). The remaining funds will be used for state-level activities to address issues caused by COVID-19.

With a number of COVID mitigation measures adopted and implemented for the 2020-21 school year and through the close, collaborative working relationship established with our local Wood County Public Health Department, Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools (WRPS) was able to provide full in-person instruction at the PK-Grade 5 level throughout the course of the entire 2020-21 school year. At the grades 6-12 level, a hybrid model of online and in-person instruction was utilized at the beginning of the year before transitioning to a 4-day, in-person schedule on March 15, 2021 and ultimately to a 5-day, in-person schedule on April 26, 2021 to finish out the year. It was a challenging, stressful year with great strides made to meet the academic, physical health, and social-emotional needs of both students and staff members under the ever changing circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic.

This Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan describes how WRPS will continue to provide a safe return to in-person instruction and continuity of services for all schools, and strive to meet the needs of all educational stakeholders involved.

# Maintaining Health and Safety

## Overview

WRPS is committed to keeping our students and staff safe and healthy; we also genuinely care about the health and welfare of our community at large. Due to careful planning and precautionary measures and mitigation strategies implemented during the 2020-21 school year, our district was able to offer full in-person instruction at the PK-grade 5 level throughout the course of the entire year and a hybrid model of online and in-person instruction for grades 6-12 to begin the year with a transition to full in-person instruction by the end of the school year. We recognize the value of having students in school, and our district remains committed to a full in-person instructional model in 2021-22. Through our continued partnership and collaboration with the Wood County Public Health Department and local medical professionals, we will be closely monitoring local circumstances in order to make well informed decisions that keep our schools open and operating.

This reopening plan explains how WRPS will maintain the health and safety of students, school staff, and how WRPS has adopted policies or practices based on Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) safety recommendations; modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing (e.g., use of cohorts/podding); hand washing and respiratory etiquette; cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation; contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine in collaboration with the state and local health department; diagnostic and screening testing; efforts to provide vaccinations to staff members and provide awareness of vaccination opportunities for students and their families, if eligible; appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies or practices; and on-going coordination with state and local health officials.

### **Update May 2023**

As the conditions of the pandemic changed, several of the modifications in the original Continuity of Services Plan were phased out and discontinued. Areas of change are noted as updates throughout the plan document.

## Maintaining the safety of staff and students

WRPS began the 2021-22 school year with in-person instruction 5 days per week for all students (4K-12) and required masks/ face coverings for all students, staff, and visitors to buildings in grades 4K-8. The school year began with optional masks/ face coverings for students, staff, and visitors to buildings in grades 9-12 with the strong recommendation for unvaccinated individuals to wear masks/ face coverings, and for those eligible to get vaccinated if they or their parents choose to do so. This mask-free environment option is frequently revisited as signs of school transmission of COVID-19 are monitored. Additionally, face masks/ coverings are required on all school buses regardless of vaccination status as a result of an existing Federal order. Parents and guardians continue to have the ability to file a medical exemption from the mask requirement. Effective September 13, 2021, the District began requiring masks in grades 9-12 due to high numbers of quarantined students and evidence of school spread of COVID-19. The District will:

- continue to publish all parent communications regarding COVID-19 mitigation strategies and information clearly on the District’s website,
- continue providing a link to a WRPS COVID Dashboard for 2021-22 in order to keep students, parents, staff members and the community apprised on the prevalence of COVID activity within each school,
- publish information that outlines locations in Wood County to receive the COVID-19 vaccination, any free drive-thru COVID-19 testing sites, a link to the Wood County Health Department Hub, a link to the Wood County COVID vaccination information site, and the Wood County COVID Dashboard on the District website,
- publish a link on the District website to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services “Back to School for Parents and Families” webpage and a link to CDC Information regarding School COVID Precautions,
- encourage staff members and students to stay home or go home if they are exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms, and isolate students and staff who have tested positive for COVID-19,
- provide sanitizing stations throughout all buildings.

### Update May 2023

In August of 2022, the Board of Education voted to begin the 2022-23 school year in a similar fashion to how 2021-22 ended in terms of COVID-19 mitigation strategies with some modifications. WRPS began the 2022-2023 school year without a facemask requirement in place for school facilities and during student transport. However, at the beginning of the school year the District continued to exclude positive COVID-19 cases from the school environment for 5 days and closely monitor and report positive cases on the COVID-19 dashboard found on the WRPS website. The same guidelines concerning isolation and quarantine used at the end of the 2021-2022 continued to be used, and layered mitigation strategies remained in place as appropriate.

WRPS continued to offer free COVID-19 testing in coordination with the state of Wisconsin. This program began to wind down in March, 2023 and was discontinued by the state on April 28, 2023.

## Continue to provide services regardless of the mode of instruction

WRPS will offer in-person learning five days per week in accordance with the Board adopted 2021-2022 Academic Year Calendar. The school district continues to provide families the option to enroll their students in virtual learning. Students in grades 4K-8 can enroll in Central Oaks Academy Virtual Charter School. Students in grades 9-12 can enroll in the Lincoln High School Virtual Program. In the event of school closure due to the pandemic, the District purchased Chromebooks for all students in grades 6 - 12 to continue learning in an off-site capacity. In addition, the District has purchased Chromebooks for families of K-5 students who need to borrow a device to continue their learning remotely in the event of a school closure. Kajeets and mobile hotspots are available to families who have poor, limited, or no internet service. In some cases, the District will pay for basic internet service to households who qualify.

Regardless of the mode of instruction, WRPS will continue to provide meals under the community provision as long as the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) continues the allowance. If school is closed due to a pandemic, the District will assess its ability to distribute meals utilizing the same process it used during the spring of 2020.

WRPS employs four full-time school nurses who will continue to offer health services in-person or virtually. Additionally, the District employs school psychologists, counselors, and social workers to directly work with students and families to provide resources and support for the social emotional needs of students and also partners with a variety of community agencies such as Aspirus and Advocate Psychotherapy Services to provide mental health support for students and families, and uses Gaggle Therapy to offer teletherapy sessions during the ongoing pandemic.

### Update May 2023

WRPS has employed one additional part time school nurse in addition to the four full time school nurses currently on staff.

WRPS has updated Board Policy 723.1 - Emergency School Closings to reflect changes that the District has adopted to respond to the school closings prompted by the COVID-19 pandemic, and to include other potential causes for school closure such as inclement weather or school emergencies. Building upon the strategies learned and innovative instruction that was implemented during the pandemic, modifications to the policy define how remote teaching and learning will be implemented 4K-12 in the event of an unforeseen school closing.

## Mitigation Measures

### Universal and correct wearing of masks

The overarching goal of the WRPS Board of Education has been to keep as many students in school to learn in person, as much as possible. If there is evidence of COVID spread within WRPS schools, the mitigation requirements may change. Early in the school year, approximately 10% of the student

body at Lincoln High School was quarantined or in isolation due to a positive COVID test results or being a close contact. As a result, effective Monday, September 13, 2021, masks/ face coverings are required for all students, staff, and visitors (regardless of vaccination status) while inside Lincoln High School. Masks are not currently required during outdoor activities. Masks continue to be required at all District elementary schools, as well as the middle school.

#### Update May 2023

WRPS began the 2022-2023 school year without a facemask requirement in place for school facilities and during student transport.

### **Modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing**

Mitigation measures such as the installation of floor decals and water bottle filling stations, and the promotion of physical distancing have been implemented at each facility. Extended and/or staggered meal service has been implemented to support physical distancing while ensuring adequate time for students to consume their meals. Individual schools determine the cafeteria service that best suits the needs of their students based upon available space. Both cafeterias and/or classrooms may be used as settings for student meals.

Students will have assigned seats in classrooms, at lunch, and on buses in order to help with contact tracing in the event of any positive cases. As much as possible, students will be spaced at 3 foot distances in classrooms in order to minimize close contacts.

Students will be assigned to cohorts if public health conditions warrant the use of hybrid or remote learning instructional models.

#### Update May 2023

Although classroom teachers continue to attempt to facilitate some distance between students in classrooms to mitigate the spread of any germs, classrooms are returning to small group and partner work. Students are allowed to play contact games in physical education classes as well as greet each other with high fives or handshakes. Lunch periods are slowly returning to normal, although some teachers continue the practice of eating lunch in their classrooms with their students. Cohorts at the middle and high school level were phased out at the tail end of the 2021-22 school year as students returned to a 5 day in person schedule.

### **Handwashing and respiratory etiquette**

Handwashing and respiratory etiquette (cover your mouth when coughing or sneezing) is taught to students with high emphasis in the primary grade levels. Signage is posted throughout buildings as reminders of handwashing and respiratory etiquette.

In addition, hand sanitizing stations/liquids are available in all classrooms and in highly traveled areas.

### **Cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation**

WRPS has implemented enhanced disinfection procedures to help mitigate the spread of COVID-19. The District uses 3M cleaning solutions that meet CDC requirements to effectively disinfect surfaces and reduce the potential spread of infection. In addition to routine daily cleaning, staff members are increasing disinfection of high touch surfaces. Classroom teachers and other staff members are helping to support these additional cleaning measures, and part-time staff have been hired and building custodial staff time schedules have been rearranged in order to meet the demands of the increased workload.

The District has taken steps to improve indoor air quality at all buildings by increasing air flow turnover rates in order to circulate greater amounts of fresh, outside air as much as possible. HVAC schedules have been adjusted to bring additional fresh air into buildings two hours prior to the start day of school, and the systems are running an additional two hours after students and staff leave to purge existing air. HVAC filters throughout the District have been upgraded to MERV-13 wherever possible.

#### **Update May 2023**

During the 2022-2023 school year, WRPS no longer employed extra staff to wipe down doors and common areas throughout the course of the school day. These tasks are, once again, completed by classroom teachers and other staff members. HVAC schedules have also been scaled back to run as normal during pre pandemic times.

### **Contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine, in collaboration with the State, local, territorial, or Tribal health departments**

WRPS will continue contact tracing and transparent reporting to the public of COVID-19 cases within the District. To provide transparent reporting for our stakeholders, the District maintained a COVID-19 case dashboard throughout the 2020-21 school year and will continue to do so for the 2021-22 school year.

WRPS will guide parents/students, employees, and contractors on screening protocols for the daily pre-screening process, which all parties should complete before entering the campus/building. Each school will continue to provide current health information to staff, students, and families about the signs and symptoms of COVID-19, when they should stay home, and when they can return to school. Procedures for contact tracing can be found on the district website.

#### **Update May 2023**

During the 2022-2023 school year, WRPS no longer utilizes contact tracing when there is a positive case detected in a classroom. The District discontinued contact tracing and quarantines for close contacts (non-family members) effective Friday, March 4, 2022. However, the District continues to isolate COVID positive individuals and track positive cases



on the District COVID-19 dashboard.

Volunteers and visitors are allowed, once again, into the buildings without the pre-screening protocols in place. Staff, students and family members continue to be reminded and encouraged to stay home if they are not feeling well or have any COVID-19 symptoms.

### **Diagnostic and screening testing**

As part of its mitigation strategy and to return to additional in-person instructional days for grades 6-12 during the 2020-21 school year, WRPS developed a COVID-19 surveillance testing program that was implemented from February-May, 2021. The data gathered from performing these tests helped to inform decision making around moving students to a 5-day, in person instructional schedule on April 26, 2021 which is how they concluded the school year.

WRPS District Administration has been working with the State of Wisconsin to set up free, voluntary COVID-19 testing during the 2021-22 school year for symptomatic individuals and/or individuals who are considered close contacts including students, family members, and staff. Voluntary testing is available to students, families, and staff from any/all of our schools during normal school hours at two sites: Wisconsin Rapids Area Middle School (WRAMS) and Lincoln High School (LHS). Both locations use the "drive-thru" approach and will be available on every regularly scheduled school day until further notice. Communication regarding the available testing options is provided to families via email, school communications/newsletters, and is posted on the District website. The tests being used are the fairly non-invasive nasal swab PCR test in which a swab is taken from just inside each nostril. Registration and consent paperwork can be done online through a State-based program or in person at each testing site.

### **Update May 2023**

Diagnostic and screening testing changed several times throughout the 2022-2023 school year. WRPS continued to offer free COVID-19 testing in coordination with the State of Wisconsin. Both "rapid" and PCR tests were available to students and staff who are symptomatic. The testing was offered at Lincoln High School only on Thursdays and Fridays. It eventually expanded to include Mondays and Tuesdays. In addition, the State provided school districts with free at-home COVID tests which were made available to families through the various school offices. At the end of April, 2023, on site testing ended.

### **Efforts to provide vaccinations to educators and other staff**

All eligible staff employed in 2020-2021 were provided the opportunity to be vaccinated through an on-site clinic hosted by WRPS in spring, 2021. New staff are able to obtain vaccinations through local healthcare partners and the County Public Health Department.

## Appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies and practices

When circumstances require specific policies or procedures designed to protect the health and safety of students, 504 and IEP teams will determine if modifications and/or reasonable accommodations are needed for individual students with disability-related issues. Parents will be notified if any changes will be made for their student.

For the 2020-2021 school year, elementary students attended 5 days per week in person in their cohort groups allowing for IEPs to be carried out in a “normal” capacity. In the event of quarantine, IEP needs were met in communication and partnership with the students’ families and/or service providers dependent upon the needs of the students. Our students in grades 6-12 were served in a “hybrid” capacity with relevant services being provided both in person when the students attended in person as well as virtually when the students were off campus learning virtually. Many students with more complicated needs were attending 4 days per week in person for the duration of the 2020-2021 school year.

For the 2021-2022 school year, all students at all levels (4K-12) are attending school in person 5 days per week allowing for IEPs to be carried out largely in a traditional fashion. If a student with an IEP or 504 is required to quarantine, services are continued virtually and/or in partnership and communication with the student and their family.

### Update May 2023

Students continue to attend school 5 days a week in person with the option of virtual school at all levels.

## Coordination with state and local health officials

The CDC recommends that all decisions about implementing school-based strategies should be made locally, collaborating with local health officials who can help determine the level of COVID transmission within the community. WRPS continues to work closely with the Wood County Public Health Department as well as local medical professionals to implement mitigation strategies that are in the best interest of students and staff to keep them healthy and students attending school in person as much as possible.

### Update May 2023

As the District emerges from the COVID-19 pandemic and resumes normal operations, collaboration and consultation with the Wood County Public Health Department and local medical professionals continue as necessary, albeit on a less frequent basis.

# Continuity of Services

## Overview

WRPS will continue to provide services to address the myriad of needs students have not only in the area of academics, but also in the areas of social-emotional, mental health, and other needs such as those associated with physical health and food services. Staff social, emotional, and mental health needs are also an area of focus to ensure their well-being is attended to.

### District response on continuity of services

**WRPS will provide for continuity of services as follows:**

#### **Student Academic Needs**

WRPS plans to continue full-time, in-person instruction beginning in the fall of 2021, with limited exception. The District utilized a number of screeners during the 2020-21 school year to identify the degree of student learning loss experienced as a result of the pandemic. Additional instructional personnel have been added to implement further academic recovery efforts in core curriculum areas by reducing class sizes, mainly at the elementary level. Additional reading and math interventionist time has been added district wide to help with academic recovery efforts in these content areas.

#### **Student Social, Emotional, and Mental Health Needs**

Additional pupil services staff have been added to address our students' social and emotional learning needs.

#### **Other Student Needs**

Food services will continue to provide meals under the community provision as long as USDA continues the allowance.

#### **Staff Social, Emotional, and Mental Health Needs**

The District has provided staff with opportunities for social and emotional support through the use of the Compassion Resilience Framework that is being implemented this school year for staff. Staff members' social, emotional, and mental health needs may also be addressed through the Employee Assistance Program provided through the District's insurance program.

#### **Other Staff Needs**

Accommodations and flexibility for staff to work from home have been and continue to be made where plausible when they have either contracted COVID or been required to quarantine as a result of being identified as a close contact. The District will continue to follow national, state, and local governing agencies' laws and directives concerning staff employment and benefits.

#### **Update May 2023**

Specific Child Nutrition program flexibilities have evolved and changed since 2021-22 as USDA guidelines have been revised.

# Periodic Review

## Overview

Districts are required to review and, as appropriate, revise their Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan at least every six months through September 30, 2023, including seeking public input and taking such input into account when revisions to the Plan are determined to be necessary.

### District response on ensuring periodic updates to its plan

WRPS will periodically review and, as needed, revise the Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan. The plan will be reviewed at least every six months, and the District will seek and take into account public input during the review process. Plan revisions will address updated CDC and County Public Health guidance on safely reopening schools if any are issued.

#### **Tentative** Review Schedule *(requirement is to review at least every six months through September 30, 2023):*

- November 8, 2021 (Plan Reviewed/Approved)
- May 9, 2022 *(Update of Plan Reviewed by Board of Ed / Recertified by DPI)*
- November 14, 2022 *(Update of Plan Reviewed by Board of Ed/Recertified by DPI)*
- May 8, 2023 *(Update of Plan Reviewed by Board of Ed/Recertified by DPI)*
- September 11, 2023 *(DPI confirmed no update necessary in September as requirement is for every 6 months)*

# Public Input

## Overview

The American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act requires that school districts make their Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan available to the public online and that the plans be in an understandable and uniform format; to the extent practicable, are written in a language that parents can understand or, if not practicable, orally translated; and upon request by a parent who is an individual with a disability, provided in an alternative format accessible to that parent. Before making its plan publicly available, school districts must seek public comment on the plan and develop the plan after taking into account public comment.

WRPS has been developing its Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan since the original COVID-19 shutdown that occurred in March, 2020. Throughout the summer of 2020 and since that time, the District has engaged with stakeholders in numerous ways to solicit feedback and gather input on measures taken as well as measures being considered for implementation. To guide the decision-making process, feedback has come from students, parents, staff members, community members, business partners, private/parochial schools residing in the WRPS attendance area, as well as neighboring school districts and Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association conference affiliated schools. Feedback has been generated through a “District Reopening Committee” formed in June 2020 which met on numerous occasions leading up to the 2020-21 school year reopening, verbal contact and multiple phone calls with individuals inside and outside of WRPS (students, parents, staff members, community members, etc.), emails sent to District administrative staff and members of the Board of Education, public comment made at Board meetings, and various surveys conducted of parents and staff members at specific intervals during the course of the pandemic as plans have developed and evolved.

### District response on public input in the development of its plan

WRPS has taken the following steps to make its plan available to the public:

- The plan is posted at [www.wrps.org](http://www.wrps.org) under [COVID Updates for 21-22 School Year](#)
- The plan is communicated to educational stakeholders via District messaging systems
- The plan is available in multiple languages through the use of our web provider powered by Google Translate and has been communicated through in-person contact by WRPS bilingual staff as needed to help families with language barrier concerns receive the information they need
- Upon request, a parent or other interested person who is an individual with a disability as defined by the ADA may be provided with the plan in an alternative format accessible by contacting the District office at 715-424-6701
- The plan has and continues to be shared with the WRPS Board of Education at various monthly Committee and regular Board of Education meetings, and the formal plan contained within this “Safe Return to In-Person and Continuity of Services Plan” document is scheduled

to be shared with the WRPS Board of Education meeting at its regular meeting scheduled to occur on November 8, 2021 - as with numerous other meetings held over the course of the past year and prior, the public has another opportunity at this meeting to share their commentary/feedback in person regarding the plan

- Specific communication shared and feedback sought and received relative to the plan can be found in the links below:
  - [Communication to Parents and Resources Shared for 2022-2023](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 8-9-2022 2022-2023 COVID-19 Protocols](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 9-6-2022 COVID Testing Availability at LHS](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 9-23-2022 Expansion of COVID Testing to Include Mon/Tue](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 3-20-2023 Regarding Changes in COVID Testing Program Effective March 20, 2023](#)
  - [Communication to Parents and Resources Shared for 2021-22](#)
    - [NEW Updated 5/9/22 Communication to Parents 2-28-22 COVID Mitigation \(Contact Tracing/Quarantine\) Measures Changing Effective 3-4-22](#)
    - [NEW Updated 5/9/22 Communication to Parents 2-14-22 COVID Mitigation Measures Changing Effective 2-16-22](#)
    - [NEW Update 5/9/22 Communication to Parents 1-3-22 COVID Isolation/Quarantine Guidelines Updated](#)
    - [NEW Update 5/9/22 Communication to Parents 11-20-21 COVID Community/Public Health Update](#)
    - [NEW Update 5/9/22 Communication to Parents 11-11-21 Update on COVID State Testing](#)
    - [NEW Update 5/9/22 Communication to Parents 11-10-21 Regarding Inclement Weather Procedures for 2021-22](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 10-13-21 Quarantine Updates](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 9-9-21 COVID Mitigation Measures Changing](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 9-7-21 COVID Testing Availability](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 8-10-21 Regarding Board Action for 2021-22](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 7-13-21 Regarding Masks/Face Coverings Optional Effective July 13, 2021 for Summer School](#)
    - [Resource: WRPS 2021-22 District COVID Dashboard](#)
    - [Resource: Mask Exemption Form](#)
    - [Resource: Places in Wood County to Receive COVID-19 Vaccination](#)
    - [Resource: Free Drive-Thru COVID-19 Testing](#)
    - [Resource: Wood County Health Department COVID Hub](#)
    - [Resource: Wood County COVID Vaccination Information](#)
    - [Resource: Wood County COVID Dashboard](#)
    - [Resource: Wisconsin Dept. of Health Services Back to School Webpage](#)
    - [Resource: CDC Information - School COVID Precautions](#)
  - [Communication to Parents and Resources Shared for 2020-21](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 5-14-21 CDC Modifications for Fully Vaccinated](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 4-23-21 5-day Return to Instruction on 4-26-21](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 4-16-21 5-day Return / Student Exclusion Criteria](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 4-12-21 COVID Detection Via Surveillance](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 4-1-21 Face Covering Requirement/Mitigation](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 2-19-21 Surveillance Testing Information Update](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 2-12-21 Surveillance Testing for Secondary Level](#)
    - [Communication to Parents 2-9-21 4 to 5-Day In Person Instruction](#)

- [Communication to Parents 12-8-20 COVID Quarantine Criteria](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 11-16-20 COVID Update](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 11-3-20 Exclusion Due to Symptoms](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 10-23-20 Inclement Weather Procedures](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 10-12-20 Dashboard/COVID Update](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 9-24-20 COVID Update](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 8-26-20 Health Protocols](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 8-11-20 Reopening](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 8-3-20 Educational Services Committee Meeting Including 2020-21 Reopening Plan](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 7-17-20 Concerning Mask Grant Award](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 7-9-20 Concerning Reopening for 2020-21](#)
  - [Communication to Parents 6-24-20 Requesting Feedback for Reopening 2020-21](#)
  - [Resource: WRPS 2020-21 District COVID Dashboard](#)
  - [Resource: COVID-19 Vaccine for Ages 12 and Older Parent Information](#)
  - [Resource: COVID-19 Vaccination Information from Wisconsin DHS](#)
  - [Resource: Mask/Face Covering Exemption Opt-Out Form](#)
  - [Resource: Back-to-School 2020-21 Tips for Parents](#)
  - [Resource: COVID Testing Information / Options](#)
  - [Resource: When Does My Sick Child/Family Member Need to Stay Home?](#)
  - [Resource: Wood County Health Dept Parent Information for School Return](#)
- Specific Board Meetings Held Where COVID Mitigation Strategies/Reopening Plans Were Discussed and/or Public Comment/Input Was Provided
- [June 8, 2020 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [July 13, 2020 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [August 3, 2020 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [August 3, 2020 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [August 10, 2020 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [September 8, 2020 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [September 8, 2020 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [September 14, 2020 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [October 5, 2020 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [October 5, 2020 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [October 12, 2020 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [February 1, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [February 1, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [February 8, 2021 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [March 1, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [March 1, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [March 8, 2021 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [April 5, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [April 5, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [April 12, 2021 Regular Board of Education Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [May 3, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [May 3, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes \(Public Comment\)](#)
  - [May 10, 2021 Regular Board of Education Meeting Minutes \(Public Comment\)](#)
  - [June 7, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Agenda/Background](#)
  - [June 7, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#)
  - [June 14, 2021 Regular Board of Ed Meeting Minutes \(Public Comment\)](#)

- [July 6, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Background/Agenda](#)
- [July 6, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#) (Public Comment)
- [July 12, 2021 Regular Board of Education Meeting Minutes](#) (Public Comment)
- [August 2, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Background/Agenda](#)
- [August 2, 2021 Educational Services Committee Meeting Minutes](#) (Public Comment)
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