



Fall  
2021

# Calvary Road Christian School

## Health and Safety Update



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**Updated Sept. 17**

Calvary Road Christian School is committed to reviewing data that affects our health policies, with the goal of safe, in-person learning for our students. We do expect that more changes in our policies and practices are likely throughout the school year and are committed to communicate with our community as adjustments are made.

## Mitigation Overview

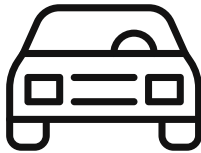
We will continue to be vigilant with our health and safety measures. To that end, we will:

- Require a universal indoor mask mandate for all students, staff and visitors (with the exception of eating and outside)
- Continue to use our established, increased cleaning practices in all areas of the school
- Continue to encourage hand washing and the use of hand sanitizer
- Require a health and safety agreement from parents
- Social distance when possible

**This guide is intended as a living document and will be periodically updated in order to ensure the most current guidelines are in place.**

# Arrival and Dismissal

## Elementary K-6



### Arrival

- Extended care should report to the gym through Door #4. All others students should their designated door. Please note, students not in extended care will not be permitted to enter the playground or building until 8:00am  
K-4, 6 (Door #3)  
5 (Cottage A)
- Parents / Guardians who are not in extended care will walk their child(ren) to Door #3 or Cottage A for admittance
- Face coverings must be worn by all students upon entering the building
- All students will immediately use hand sanitizer
- Parents / Guardians may not escort their students to their classrooms

### Late Arrivals

- Parents should bring students to Door #3 and ring the bell for assistance
- Students not in class by 8:15 will be tardy

### Early Pick Up

- Parents can wait in their car and call 703-971-8004 to request their child be released early or they can use the buzzer at Door #3 to talk to the office

### Dismissal

- All non-extended care students will be picked up in the carline loop between 3:15 and 3:30

## Elementary Ext. Care

### Arrival

- Extended care parents will drop their student off in the gym through Door #4
- The doors will lock at 7:55 in preparation for the start of school

### Dismissal

- Parents will ring the bell at Door #3

# Preschool Arrival & Dismissal

## Preschool



- Preschool 3's will enter Door #2
- Preschool 4's will enter Door #8
- Preschool 4 parents may not walk their child to their classroom. Staff members will escort the to their classrooms
- Masks must be worn upon entry
- All office visits must take place by appointment

## Cleaning

### Nightly

- Sanitize all student desks
- All touch points to include door knobs, door pushes, light switches, hand rails and water fountains will be cleaned and sanitized with a disinfectant

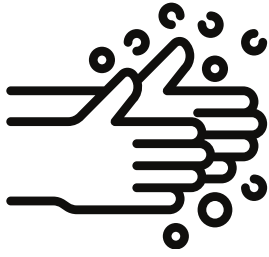
### Daily

- Clean and disinfect restrooms at least 3 times during school hours
- Sanitize all classroom door knobs, restroom door pushes, office door knobs, teacher's lounge door knobs, water fountain, and stairwell handrails at least 6 times during school hours

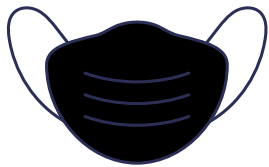


Frequent cleaning and disinfecting of all classroom supplies, art supplies, PE equipment and recess equipment

# Personal Hygiene



- Hygiene Education
- Hand washing stations and touch-less hand sanitizing stations will be placed in common areas and entrances throughout the building
- Each classroom will contain hands-free sanitizer
- Hand washing before eating, after being outside and various times throughout the day



- Masks are not required when outside or eating
- We understand that prolonged use of face coverings could be difficult and even inappropriate for some students/staff (especially our younger students), and we hope to provide flexibility based on meeting physical distancing criteria. We also know that there will be students on campus who will wear face coverings for longer periods of time, including students/staff who are directed to do so by their healthcare providers
- Visitors, when permitted to enter the building, are required to wear a mask



- All students are to bring water bottles from home
- Water filling stations will be available to students

# On Campus Health & At Home Health Screening Expectations

- Campus visitors should be free from illness
- Students and employees should complete health screening at home
- Parents agree that they will neither send a student nor enter the campus themselves if they are exhibiting, or have been in recent contact with any persons exhibiting any of any of the symptoms listed below:
  - Consistent cough or sore throat
  - Fever in the last 72 hours
  - Unexplained shortness of breath
  - Living with someone who is ill with a fever, cough or sore throat
  - Had contact with someone known to have or be under investigation for coronavirus in the last 14 days
- Parents must pick up children who exhibit a fever of 100.4 + or who present with symptoms consistent with possible COVID-19
- If a student/staff has a negative COVID-19 test, they can return to school once they are free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medicines and they have felt well for 48 hours
- In order for a person who tested positive for COVID-19 to return to campus they must be able to answer YES to the following questions
  - Has it been at least 10 days since the individual first had symptoms?
  - Has it been at least 3 days since the individual has had a fever (without using fever-reducing medicine)?
  - Has it been at least 3 days since the individual's symptoms have improved including cough and/or shortness of breath?
- Absences due to Health Screening restrictions will not be counted as school day absences. During self quarantine, students will complete assignments according to guidance in the Parent-Student Handbook
- No perfect attendance awards will be given for the 2021-2022 school year

## Positive COVID-19 Case on Campus

- Individual classes or groups of students may need to quarantine if recommended by the local health officials
- The privacy of students and families will be respected at all times
- Our staff will follow established and required protocols for notifying or reporting others who may have been exposed

# Quarantine Changes

The following changes have been made to the quarantine guidelines in Fairfax County Public Schools in coordination with Health Officials and will be implemented at Calvary Road Christian School.

- Quarantine can end after Day 10 without testing and if no symptoms have been reported during daily monitoring
- Or quarantine can end at 7 days with a negative PCR COVID-19 viral culture on or after day 5. Quarantine cannot be discontinued earlier than after Day 7.
- If a family elects to quarantine for the full 14 days, those days will be an excused absence.

# Protocols for Potential Temporary COVID-19 Closures

In-person Type Closure	Threshold to Initiate In-Person Closure	Student Support During Closure
<b>Individual Students</b>	Student(s) is directed by their health provider or local health department to quarantine or isolate; or CRCS is directed by the local health department to pause a student's access to in-person instruction while contact tracing is implemented as a matter of public health, but their school and class remain open for all other students.	Students will complete asynchronous assignments made by their teacher(s). Assignments will be accessed through the Learning Management System (e.g. Google Classroom/Seesaw) and/or be available for pick up at the school.
<b>Individual Teacher</b>	Teacher is directed by their health provider or local health department to quarantine or isolate; or CRCS is directed by the local health department to pause a teacher's access to in-person teaching while contact tracing is implemented as a matter of public health;  AND  The teacher's school and class remain open for students.	We will secure a substitute / alternate coverage for continuity of in-person instruction for the teacher's class(es).
<b>Class</b>	CRCS is directed by the local health department to temporarily close the class as a matter of public health while contact tracing and case investigation is conducted, respond to an outbreak, or to address other health matters.	All students and staff in the impacted class will transition to a mixture of synchronous and asynchronous virtual learning for that class until the class can reopen.  Assignments will be accessed through the Learning Management System (Google Classroom/Seesaw) and/or be available for pick up at the school.
<b>School</b>	CRCS is directed by the local health department to temporarily close the entire school as a matter of public health to conduct contact tracing and case investigation, respond to an outbreak, or address other public health matters.	All students and staff at the school will transition to a combination of synchronous and asynchronous virtual learning to ensure continuity of learning until in-person instruction can resume.