



Fairport Harbor Exempted Village School District

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Fairport Skipper families,

Yesterday, the Ohio Department of Health issued new guidance to school districts regarding COVID-19.

As COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations have dramatically dropped across the state, the Ohio Department of Health is easing requirements for case reporting by K-12 schools effective immediately.

School districts are no longer required to:

- Have a designated COVID-19 coordinator for the district.
- Notify parents of positive COVID-19 cases among staff, students, or coaches (school dashboard).
- Report positive cases of COVID-19 to their local health department unless the school tests a student for COVID-19 and the result is positive.

Despite the ease in requirements, we will continue to keep the following health and safety protocols in place for the remainder of the school year:

- Hand sanitizer is available in all classrooms and common areas of the District.
- Buildings, classrooms, bathrooms, and other high-traffic areas are cleaned thoroughly throughout the day.
- Face masks remain optional in school buildings.

We encourage families to talk with their family healthcare provider – or visit the Lake County General Health District's website - for updated information on COVID information, vaccines, vaccine clinics, or vaccination opportunities throughout the area.

Thank you for your patience, flexibility, and understanding as we all navigated the changing recommendations regarding COVID.

Thank you!

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