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# Reopen Strong COVID-19 Operations Handbook Mann ES School Plan

Developed by the Office of the Chief Operating Officer Draft as of October 23, 2020

## **COVID-19 Operations School Plan**

This document is a draft overview (as of October 23, 2020) of the COVID-19 operational planning in place for the start of Term 2. All information below has been developed in alignment with CDC, DC Health, and OSSE guidance and with DCPS central office support.

Please see the corresponding, detailed COVID-19 Operations Handbook Guidance here.

For additional information on reopening plans, see: https://dcpsreopenstrong.com/school-plans/

## **Key Points of Contact**

Clear communication is important in our planning, please see key points of contact by planning area.

Key Points of Contact		
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## **Key Locations**

To support in-person student programming, the following locations and spaces have been identified and prepared with consideration for health and safety requirements.

Key Operational Locations		
Location Guidelines		Location(s) in Your School
Arrival Space	Each school should designate a minimum of one entry point.	3 entry points: Range,

	<ul> <li>The entry point that most allows for social distancing/staff oversight should be selected.</li> <li>Based on the volume of students and availability of staff, schools should select more than one entry point to improve the arrival process.</li> <li>Please indicate the number of entry points.</li> </ul>	Front Red Door, Back Red Door
Health Isolation Room	Each school is required to designate a COVID-19 related Health Isolation Room separate from the nurse's office. A student who shows COVID-19 symptoms during the arrival process or school day is to be directed to the specific room until they can be picked up by a guardian. Staff must also wait in this room if they exhibit COVID-19 symptoms at arrival or throughout the day if they are waiting for someone to pick them up.  The Health Isolation Room should:  • Be no more than 100 feet from the arrival/entry location, but ideally within 50 feet.  • Be a minimum of 850 square feet to accommodate 10 students. If a room this size is not available, the number of students that can be accommodation will be reduced.  • If possible, the room should have an en-suite bathroom. Otherwise, a nearby all-gender toilet room should be identified for use by students in the Health Isolation Room.  Have chairs or desks available to accommodate students.	Performing Arts Room (# 108)
Guardian Pick-Up Space	Each school is required to designate a Guardian Pick-Up Room. Students will be directed here if they do not have a designated classroom to attend that day and have passed the OSSE "Ask, Ask, Look" protocol.  For additional information on scenarios in which students would come to this room, please see "Unanticipated Student Scenarios" section.	Business Suite

## **Facilities Overview**

To support in-person student programming, the following locations and spaces have been identified and prepared:

Facilities Overview		
Number of entrances & exits	8 main total	
Number of general education classrooms	20	
Number of specials classrooms	3	
Number of ECE classrooms	2	
Number of self-contained special education classrooms	n/a	
Number of resource or support services rooms	11	
Number of office or shared staff spaces	15	
Number of bottle fillers (not water fountains)	0	
Number of student and adult bathrooms	19	
Accessible large green space and/or garden area	Yes: field, Range, Library Garden, hillside	
Playground and/or structure	3, including Green Front Porch	

#### **Student Arrival**

To support social distancing, both students and staff will be scheduled to stagger arrival. Please see student staggered arrival planning:

Stagger	red Arrival Schedule
Average number of students per day	75

Number of waves	3
Time of waves (i.e. 7:45-8am, 8am- 8:15am, etc.)	8:15, 8:25, 8:35

Please describe your strategy to stagger arrival & staff the arrival process.

Students will enter through three entrances: front & back red doors (Pk, K, 1, 2) and rear Range atrium entrance (3-5). One grade level class will enter through each of the doors at each wave start.

8:15

Front Red Door- K Back Red Door- 1st Range- 3rd

8:25

Front Red Door- PK Back Red Door- 2nd Range- 4th

8:35

Range-5th

#### Student Dismissal

Student dismissal may be staggered by dismissal type (guardian pickup, walking, etc.), by grade, or by any other strategy that support social distancing in the dismissal process.

Staggered Dismissal Schedule				
Wave Cycle	Time Period	Location in Your School	Grade Band	Type of Dismissal
1	3:00	Front Red Door & Range Exit	К, 3	Teacher walks students out to initial arrival location
2	3:05	Front Red Door & Range Exit	1, 4	Teacher walks students out to initial arrival location
3	3:10	Front Red Door & Range Exit	2, 5	Teacher walks students out to

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				initial arrival
				location
4	3:15	Front Red Door & Range Exit	PK	Teacher walks
				students out to
				initial arrival
				location

## Bathroom Use Scheduling & Strategy

To support students, there will be a developed bathroom use strategy for students to abide by health and safety guidelines.

Bathroom Use Strategy		
Number of student bathrooms	8 student bathrooms (2 inside of classrooms- PK & K)	
Number of classrooms	7	
Please enter how you plan to limit the number of people in the bathroom at the same time through one of the strategies above, or through a plan tailored to your school.		
PK, K will rely on the bathrooms located within the classrooms 1, 2 & 3, 4, 5 will rely on the bathrooms located in their respective hallways		

## Water Access Strategy

To support students, there will be a developed water access strategy for students to abide by health and safety guidelines.

Water	Access Strategy
Number of water filler stations in school that are currently operational	0
Placement of water coolers (identify locations throughout school suitable for water cooler)	
Please enter your water access strategy (e.g. students will be scheduled to fill reusable water bottles 2x/day, pitchers and cups will be available in classrooms, etc.)	

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Students will be asked to bring in full water bottles daily. Teachers will prepare pitchers each morning and refill cups or provide refills for accessible water bottles. If student bottle is not safely refillable, cups will be used.

## **Learning Spaces & Hallways**

Learning spaces, classrooms, and hallways will be uniformly set up to welcome students and staff safely.

Space Set-up		
Classrooms	<ul> <li>Classroom counts are limited to 11, or fewer, students</li> <li>Classrooms are set up to facilitate social distancing and limit sharing of materials</li> <li>Classrooms have cleaning materials present</li> <li>Hand sanitizer will be present</li> </ul>	
Hallways	<ul> <li>Social distancing floor decals are placed across school hallways</li> <li>Signage is posted throughout the building for health and safety guidance</li> </ul>	

## Visitor Management

Whenever possible, visits should be conducted virtually. In event an in-person visit is required, visitors will be required to schedule an appointment.

## **Scheduling of Visitor Appointments**

- Whenever possible, meetings should be moved to a virtual platform. If an in-person meeting is essential, all visitors must make an appointment at least 24 hours in advance.
- Visitors without an appointment should only be permitted entry with the approval of school administration.
- All visitors will be required to complete the OSSE "Ask, Ask, Look" protocol prior to entry, have their temperature taken, wear a face covering at all times on the school grounds and inside the school building, and adhere to social distancing guidelines should be followed.