



2021-2022 Return to School

Kettering City Schools

Our Priorities for 2021-2022

- Health and safety of our students, staff and their families
- Providing high quality educational opportunities for our students
- All students attend every day with safety precautions in place
- Providing an alternative for families unable to attend in person instruction due to health concerns
- Implementing health and safety guidelines and recommendations from the State of Ohio, Dayton-Montgomery County Public Health, the Center for Disease Control, and the American Academy of Pediatrics



Health and Safety Guidelines

The Ohio Department of Health and Ohio Department of Education issued COVID Health and Prevention Guidance for Ohio K-12 Schools. The Kettering City Schools will follow those guidelines including:

- Strongly recommending eligible students and staff be vaccinated
- Strongly recommending unvaccinated students and staff wear a mask when indoors
- Improving ventilation systems
- Maximizing distance between people as much as possible
- Providing hand sanitizer and encouraging hand washing
- Providing sanitizing spray for students to disinfect their work surfaces



Options for Families

In person instruction will be delivered as 5 days a week following CDC and Ohio Public Health guidelines to the greatest extent possible in all environments.

If the in-person option is not acceptable due to health concerns, families may may apply to **learn in a remote environment** through the Montgomery County ESC Remote Learning Center.



Flexibility and Adaptability

- Everything shared is based on the information we have today
- We will continue to re-evaluate based on evolving conditions, data about the status of the pandemic, and recommendations from public health authorities
- Flexibility will again be crucial as we move forward together in the coming weeks and months

