

1. Will students be required to wear masks all day?

According to ISBE/IDPH guidelines, face coverings must always be worn in school buildings even when social distancing is maintained. Face coverings do not need to be worn **outside** if social distancing of 6-feet is maintained or when seated for lunch. Outdoor activities and lessons will be utilized to the best of our ability to provide breaks for students and faculty, especially PE classes. Doctor notes are required for any student and staff member unable to wear a face-covering due to specific medical conditions. A face shield will be required for these students. ICCP will add an addendum to our Student-Parent Handbook requiring face coverings as part of the school uniform. **Students must wear a solid colored mask with no writing, graphics, or design or an ICCP issued mask. Acceptable masks include disposable surgical masks, N95, or cloth masks.** [Purchase ICCP masks here.](#)

Disposable replacement masks will be available in the Main Office for students. Students who repeatedly misplace their masks will be charged a \$1 fee. Students will be sent home if they do not adhere to this policy.

2. How will social distancing be maintained?

IC Catholic Prep will develop procedures to ensure 6-foot physical distance from other persons as much as possible. The expectation pertains to students and staff members in all areas and settings to the greatest extent possible. ICCP will post visual reminders throughout buildings and place indicators of safe distances in areas where students congregate or line up (e.g., arrival and departure, lunchroom lines, hallways, libraries, cafeterias). Extra furniture has been removed in the classrooms and common areas. Plexiglass is being utilized in areas where 6-foot distancing is difficult.

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3. How many students will be in each classroom?

This will vary from class to class, but most classes in the hybrid model will seat 15 students or less. Common areas such as the gym, Dyer Center (study halls), and cafeteria will not exceed 50 students in one space.

4. Will students be changing classrooms?

Yes, per traditional high school scheduling, students will be required to change classrooms while following altered traffic patterns in the hallways to practice social distancing. Locker use will be limited to specific periods of the day.



5. How frequently will classrooms be cleaned or sanitized given that students will be changing classrooms every period?

Student desks will be cleaned after each period with disinfectant. Hand sanitizer will be used when entering and exiting a classroom. Common areas will be disinfected frequently throughout the day and intensified cleaning will take place each evening with emphasis on high contact areas.

6. How will lunches be served?

Seating will be limited to 50 students per space. Costello Hall and the cafeteria will be utilized for socially distanced lunches. Students may continue to bring a lunch from home or pre-order a prepackaged lunch through Quest Food Services. An online application will be sent to parents/students to allow for pre-ordering and payment. No cash payments will be accepted. More information will be forthcoming next week as lunches will not take place until Wednesday, August 26.

7. What day should my student attend in person class?

Please visit our Return to School Resource Page for the exact schedule and updates.

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8. Can students change their original choice of remote or hybrid instruction?

Yes, students will have the ability to change their original choice, however, there are restrictions on moving back and forth between the two options.

9. Do students need to bring their own laptop device to school?

Yes, students will interact with classmates at-home virtually and need the ability to access applications /online platforms throughout the day. All parents have received notification through email outlining their option to purchase a device or borrow an ICCP Chromebook. Smartphones are not an approved personal device. Devices with keyboards are preferred.

10. The school calendar lists a full year of events and activities. How do you plan to handle events (i.e. school dances, pep rallies, assemblies, clubs, etc.)?

Each event will be evaluated individually. Given IDPH restrictions placed on larger events, alternate events will be discussed to ensure the safety and well being of our students, faculty, and staff.

11. When will students receive ICCP Email addresses and schedules?

Students will receive their emails during the first week of school along with their plus portal access and google classroom codes. Schedules will be distributed on Wednesday, August 19th.



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12. Do students need to wear their uniforms at Orientation on 8/19 and during the half days on 8/20, 8/21, 8/24 & 8/25?

Freshmen and Transfer students need to be in full fall uniform on 8/19. Returning students picking up their schedules and dropping off forms/books should be dressed appropriately for entering school. Knight Up shirts will be sold on Wednesday, 8/19 for \$20. This year's Knight Up shirt may be worn with uniform bottoms on half days, 8/20-8/25 by all students.

13. What if my uniform is on back order?

Students should be dressed in a white/navy blue polo or button-down shirt with dress pants/shorts. Please see Mr. Doyle, Dean of Students, for a uniform pass on Wednesday, 8/19 or Thursday, 8/20.