

# Oliver Beach Elementary School Reopening Snapshot

**Pre-K:** 8:45 AM-11:15 AM

**K-Grade 2: March 1-March 12:** 8:45 AM-1:30 PM and March 15-June 25: 8:45 AM-3:30 PM

**Grades 3-5 students: Virtual: March 1-March 25 and in-person:** April 6th (cohort A) or April 8th (cohort B), from 8:45 AM-3:30 PM

**Introductory statement:** At Oliver Beach Elementary, safety has been our top priority since before the pandemic, and it will continue to be priority one.

We are very much looking forward to welcoming students into our building, and appreciate the support of our staff, parents, and students as we navigate this new process.

<p><b>Arrival &amp; Dismissal Procedures:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students will enter and exit school using separate bus rider, walker, and car rider entrances/exits.</li> <li>• Students are required to wear masks while on all BCPS property, including the bus stops and buses.</li> <li>• Buses will operate at limited capacity, with only one student per seat (except for siblings, who will be permitted to sit together). Students will be assigned seats based upon their bus stop. Students (and the driver) will be required to wear face masks. The eating of food and drinking will not be permitted on the bus. High-touch areas on the bus will be cleaned frequently. Compliance is required to use BCPS transportation.</li> <li>• If a child arrives late or will be dismissed early, parents must call the main office to communicate pickup and drop-off times. A staff member will walk the student into the building, or out to the car. Parents will remain in their cars. Masks are required for all students and parents while on BCPS property.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Face Covering:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Face coverings are required for all persons in a BCPS facility or vehicle as well as on BCPS property. Face coverings are required during transportation to/from school on a bus as well as outdoors on campuses.</li> <li>• Each school, office, and school bus will have a supply of disposable face coverings for students and employees who forget their face covering or whose face covering becomes soiled or damaged.</li> <li>• All faculty and staff are required to wear a mask throughout the day. Staff members may also wear a plastic face shield.</li> <li>• It is recommended that students keep an extra mask in their backpacks for emergency purposes. Additionally, Oliver Beach Elementary will provide disposable face masks to students when needed.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Screening &amp; Stay Home When Appropriate:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All employees and students are expected to screen themselves daily for symptoms of COVID-19 utilizing the symptoms check list on the <b>Daily Home Screening for Students &amp; Staff</b>.</li> <li>• <b>Remain home</b> if you have symptoms, confirmed COVID-19 illness, had recent contact with a person with COVID-19 and/or awaiting test results.</li> <li>• Parents will receive a screening checklist and magnet with the screening practices.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Social Distancing:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Classroom furniture is arranged to provide 6-feet of separation between students, when possible.</li> <li>• Specials will be held in the special area's classroom space. All tables/desks have been placed with students seated 6 feet apart from one another.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Hand Hygiene:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Times for handwashing or use of hand sanitizer to include before and after meals, upon arrival to schools' offices and home, before and after use of any shared items, after use of the restroom, after sneezing/coughing and other times when hands may be contaminated.</li> <li>• All students must wash hands or sanitize upon reentry into their classroom.</li> <li>• Teachers will direct handwashing breaks to ensure CDC compliance and social distancing protocol.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Breakfast &amp; Lunch:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All breakfasts will be eaten in classrooms. Breakfasts will be delivered to each homeroom every morning.</li> <li>• All lunches will occur in classrooms.</li> <li>• Lunches will be free for all students and will consist of individually packaged items in a brown bag "grab and go" format.</li> <li>• There will be no sharing of food, or a common share table.</li> <li>• The daily lunch menu will be posted on the BCPS website (<a href="http://www.bcps.org">www.bcps.org</a>).</li> <li>• Students may also bring their lunch to school.</li> <li>• Students will be permitted to bring their own water bottles to school.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Supplies &amp; Devices:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A school supply list has been sent out to all parents.</li> <li>• Students will bring their own supplies and may not share.</li> <li>• Personal devices should not be brought to school.</li> <li>• Each homeroom teacher will communicate with parents if their child should be bringing their charged BCPS device to school.</li> <li>• OBES and the PTA will provide each classroom with extra school supplies.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Visitors:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visits will be conducted remotely or outside, whenever possible. In-person visits will not be permitted unless it is necessary.</li> <li>• If an indoor visit is required, visitors will be required to wear a face coverings and practice social distancing.</li> <li>• The number of people admitted to the building will be limited.</li> </ul>