



COVID-19 Health Plan Summer School Addendum

Through all phases of reopening, Pittsylvania County Schools will follow guidance provided by the Governor's Office, the Virginia Department of Education, the Virginia Department of Health, and the Pittsylvania County Health Department.

Governor Ralph Northam issued Executive Order 79 on May 14, 2021. This order provides updated guidance for social gatherings and facial coverings, effective May 28, 2021. As recommended, Pittsylvania County Schools will use [Executive Order 79](#), jointly with [CDC Indicators for Dynamic School Decision-Making](#) and [Interim Guidance for K-12 School Reopening](#) to inform decisions about school operations.

As a result of EO79, required revisions to the division's [COVID-19 Health Plan](#) and previous [addendums](#) include the following:

- All students, teachers, staff, and visitors must wear a mask over their nose and mouth, regardless of vaccination status, when indoors on school property. While outside on school property, students, teachers, staff, and visitors who are fully vaccinated can remove their masks.
 - Existing exemptions for mask usage remain in place. Please reference [Section C](#) for a full list of exemptions.
- There are no gathering limits in place at this time. Therefore, school-related gatherings are free to take place without restriction.