

# COVID-19 Safety Mitigations for the 2021-22 Year



## VACCINATIONS ENCOURAGED

According to the CDC and the IDPH, vaccination is currently the leading public health prevention strategy to end the COVID-19 pandemic. Please get vaccinated as soon as possible.



## UNIVERSAL MASKING

Consistent and correct mask use is required for all students, faculty, staff, and visitors while indoors, regardless of vaccination status. Masks must cover both the nose and mouth.



## WEEKLY SALIVA SCREENING

D200 will partner with SHIELD Illinois to provide on-site testing to all students, faculty, and staff. Testing is optional, but strongly recommended.



## HANDWASHING & RESPIRATORY ETIQUETTE

Students, faculty, and staff will wash hands frequently (using soap and water for at least 20 seconds) and practice proper respiratory etiquette (coughing/sneezing into a tissue or elbow). The use of hand sanitizer is encouraged if hand washing is not immediately available.



## STAYING HOME WHEN SICK

Staying home when you are ill or experiencing COVID-19 symptoms is essential to keep infections out of the building and prevent spread to others. Absences for illness will not count toward the 12-day absence policy.



## CLEANING AND DISINFECTION

B&G staff members will use enhanced procedures to clean, disinfect, and sanitize all common and high touch areas multiple times a day, and throughout the evening.



## VENTILATION AND FILTRATION

Upgrades to our air ventilation systems ensure proper filtration of airborne viruses, including SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19.