SHAWNEE MISSION SCHOOL DISTRICT



SMSD Guidance for fall events during the 2021-2022 school year

Follow all mitigating measures as outlined in the BOE approved Plan D Document

- Masks required indoors
- 3-feet social distancing/seating to the extent possible
- No food or drink consumed at indoor events (could provide a take home option)
- Direct service providers from partner organizations may be allowed access to the school building to provide essential educational services (i.e. Johnson County Mental Health, university supervisors, NAEP testing proctors)
- Continue with practice that most outside guests are not allowed past the office when students are on-site during regular school hours (i.e. classroom volunteers, MVP's, guardians visiting for lunch)
- Intra-district academic trips will be considered (for example, a trip to the CAA, Environmental Learning Labs, Broadmoor Urban Farm, or The Career and Technical Campus)
- Field trips to non-SMSD facilities will be considered. Requests can be made by the building principal to elementary and secondary directors

Events during the school day

- Participants include students, staff, and or direct service providers from partner organizations
 - The decision to allow external building visitors (including volunteers) will be determined based on community transmission data and/or additional guidance offered from public health officials. All visitors must wear a mask
- o Follow mitigating measures that are consistent with the Plan D Document
- Guest speakers/presenters/direct service providers from partner organizations for learning opportunities aligned with grade level standards
 - Virtual speakers/field trips are recommended to enhance learning
 - Scheduled outdoors and or indoors

• Events outside of the school day - Indoors

- Schedule guests in shifts via sign-up or assign times to the extent possible
- Utilize multiple large spaces to provide space for social distancing (cafeteria, gym, library)
- Recommend multiple designated stations to allow for social distancing of participants
- o Utilize outside spaces for events to the extent possible

Events outside of the school day - Outdoors

- o If applicable, provide for a virtual event to allow families choice
- o Provide specific direction/guidance to families regarding the event
- Masks are not required outside
- Social distancing is encouraged to the extent possible
- No restrictions on the number of patrons that may attend