SES Re-Entry Plan for families

Slanesville Elementary School Re-Entry Plan

*Utilizing the requirements and recommendations provided by the West Virginia Schools Re-entry Toolkit and Hampshire County Schools Re-Entry Plan Guidance for Covid-19

| Activity | Procedures |
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| Arrival/Departure | Arrival (7:00-8:00 am) 1st-5th grade students arriving on buses will go directly to their classrooms. Kindergarten students will go to the cafeteria and sit in their individual, designated seat. This will be where they sit to eat breakfast and lunch each day. Staff will be on duty at their doorways to ensure that 1st-5th grade students go directly to their classrooms. |
| | Departure (2:55-3:55) Parent pick-up – During the week of August 24, parents will be called by their child(ren)'s homeroom teacher(s) to collect some information that will help us in additional planning for the school year. Parent pickup will be at 3:05 pm. Bus dismissal – 1st bus at 2:55 pm. Students will be dismissed by class to limit the number of students in the hallway. Staff will be on-duty in the hall to ensure that students are moving directly to their buses. Late bus – Students riding the late bus will wait in the cafeteria in their pods. Homework club will be offered. The last bus will arrive around 3:55 pm. |

| Core Instructional Groupings and Transitions | All students at Slanesville Elementary will remain in their assigned classrooms for instruction. If students need to travel to another area (lunch, recess, pull-out groups, etc.) they will travel with face coverings on while maintaining social distancing (per Hampshire County and West Virginia guidance on face coverings for children). Students may wear a face mask while in their classroom but will not be required to do so. Hallways will be marked with signs and directional arrows to remind of social distancing and safe traveling procedures. Resource teachers (art, music, guidance) will travel to classrooms. PE will take place outside or in the gym, limiting the use of supplies and allowing for social distancing. Classes will not be combined for PE. |
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| Breakfast | Teachers will pick up breakfast for their class by 8:00 am. Kindergarten will eat breakfast in the cafeteria with appropriate distancing. |
| Lunch | In-person Arrival to the cafeteria will be staggered by grade so that students are not waiting in congregated areas. Lunch procedures have been developed based on guidance in the West Virginia Schools Re-Entry Toolkit and Hampshire County Schools Re-Entry Plan. Students will not pick up any utensils or condiments. The cooks, behind a plexiglass shield and wearing face coverings, will pass the trays to add food and then hand off to the children. Children will sit on one side of the table, spacing out with the cafeteria at 50% capacity. Classes will dump trays as they finish. Custodian and staff on lunch-duty will thoroughly clean and sanitize surfaces between student use. Our custodian's schedule has been shifted to allow for additional disinfecting and to meet the expectations outlined in the Hampshire County and West Virginia re-entry plans. Curbside Pickup for Virtual Students – Based on Hampshire County procedures. SES parents will pull up to the second entrance, adjacent to the cafeteria. They will remain in their |

| | car, and a staff member will load their lunches. The time slot for pickup will be from 10:05-10:50 each day. |
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| Management of Classroom Supplies | Any classroom supplies for student use will be stored in plastic pencil boxes, clearly marked with the student's name, and will be used by that student only. Any item that must be used by multiple students, such as pencil sharpeners, will be thoroughly cleaned and sanitized between uses. Each child will be assigned a laminated hall pass that will be kept with their supplies. This will be used when taking an un-scheduled restroom break. Backpacks WILL BE ALLOWED. They will be stored individually in a designated area, away from other student backpacks. |
| Students Arriving Late/Leaving Early | Adults entering the building to drop students off after 8:00 am or pick up prior to 2:55 pm must wear face coverings and take their temperature at the thermometer stand. Visitors to the building should be limited and so we ask that plans be made to limit late arrivals and early pick- ups to only when absolutely necessary. Only one person at a time may be in the entrance so markings will be placed outside of the building and in the entrance in order to maintain social distancing protocols. In order to best manage changes in schedule, we ask that plans to pick students up early be communicated to the main office as soon as possible by sending a note to school with the child or calling the main office by 11 am. Parents may also email Laurie at <u>lathorne@k12.wv.us</u> with notes prior to 11am each day. |
| Visitors | All non-essential visitors are prohibited from entering the building. Essential visitors will be asked to be screened upon entry and asked to complete the Symptom Screen Checklist as provided in the <i>West Virginia Schools Re-Entry Toolkit</i> by the WV Department of Health and Human Resources in partnership with the WV Department of Education. These procedures are subject to change based on state and county guidance. Visitors will be required to wear proper face coverings and have their temperature checked upon entering the building. |
| Parent/Guardian Meetings (IEP, SAT, 504, disciplinary) | All parent/guardian meetings will be held in a clean/sanitized area that is close to the main office. Visitors will be asked to comply with guidelines listed above. |

| Student Screening and Health Measures | Daily Screening All families will be provided with information regarding daily student screenings. Families will be asked to completed a daily screening form and return to school. Teachers will also screen students upon entry and report any concerns to the school nurses. All parents and guardians are encouraged to follow protocols and keep students home if they are ill. Information will be sent home and shared via Messenger calls, Schoology, Seesaw, Slanesville Facebook page, and the PTO Facebook page regarding steps for daily screening of children. |
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| | Health Measures Per Hampshire County guidance, face coverings will be worn by students in grades 3rd-5th during bus transportation, while in hallways or congregant areas, or anytime social distancing is not possible, unless medically waived. Students in grades PK-2nd can also opt to wear masks during these same times. All students will be offered a mask upon arrival to school. Any student who cannot wear a mask or face shield due to a medical condition, including those with respiratory issues that impede breathing, a mental health condition, or disability, and students who would be unable to remove a mask without assistance are not required to wear face coverings (see <i>Hampshire County Schools Re-Entry Plan Guidance for Covid-19</i>). Students will be taught safety procedures including traveling safely, maintaining social distancing in the school and classroom, using materials, classroom-specific procedures, etc. Families will be provided with information and be encouraged to work with students at home to remind of updated safety expectations. As an additional safety measure, we have designated areas of the nurses' offices as "well check" areas. This is where students will be treated for playground injuries, receive daily medications, and other well health checks. Symptomatic Students Should a student become ill while at school, the student will be supervised at all times and escorted to a designated area to limit further exposure until parents pick them up. |

| Staff | f Screening | Prior to arrival each day, staff will complete an online screening tool with answers reported to the head nurse or principal if nurse is not in the building. Upon arrival in the building, staff are screened with temperature checks. |
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| Cleaning Protocols | Classrooms 1st-5th grade teachers will bag up breakfast trash and place in garbage cans positioned in the hallway. Teachers have cleaning supplies in their classrooms to frequently disinfect touched surfaces and supplies. Our custodian will deep clean classrooms daily. Common rooms All common rooms including, but not limited to, the cafeteria and gym will be cleaned/sanitized after each group exits. Restrooms All restrooms will be cleaned/sanitized between scheduled class bathroom break times. Students are still able to use restrooms as needed outside of scheduled times. To keep from students mingling in the restroom, each student will be given their own laminated pass that they will use when going alone to the restroom. If there is a pass hanging on the hook outside the restroom, the student will know to wait. Once the student leaves, the waiting student can hang their pass and proceed into the restroom. Our custodian will check back in between other tasks to clean commonly touched surfaces. Touch Point Surfaces All touch point surfaces will be cleaned/sanitized between each use. A custodian is on duty at Slanesville Elementary prior to the start of school and after hours to do deep cleaning. |
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| Recess | The playground will be accessible on a week-to-week basis. 1 st through 5 th grade will have access to the playground equipment for a week at a time. Sanitizing the equipment will not be |

necessary after a two day weekend. We are purchasing a kit for each classroom that will consist of balls, jump ropes, hula hoops, etc that can be used during the weeks classes are not utilizing the playground equipment. Teachers will be responsible for sanitizing their kits after each use. The SES playground will be CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC until further notice.

The administrator and staff at Slanesville Elementary School appreciate the understanding and cooperation of our families during this school year. As new information becomes available, guidelines and protocols given in this document may change. I will do my best to make sure that families and staff are informed of any changes as they happen. Above all, please know that the safety of our students and staff remains our top priority during the upcoming school year. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, you can reach me at 304-496-7960 or via email at iblong@k12.wv.us. Jodie Long, Principal

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