

# THE EMINENCE SCHOOLS

# RED, WHITE, AND BLUEPRINT

## FOR REOPENING 2021-2022



**STOP WARRIORS STOP**  
DID YOU WASH YOUR HANDS?

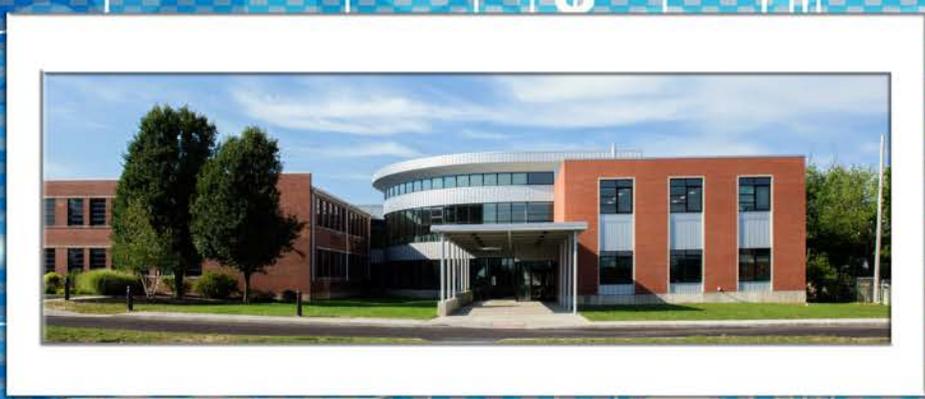


WASH YOUR HANDS WITH SOAP AND WATER FOR **AT LEAST 20 SECONDS** TO REDUCE THE SPREAD OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE

**CLEAN HANDS SAVE LIVES**



**WARRIORS ALWAYS PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCE**  
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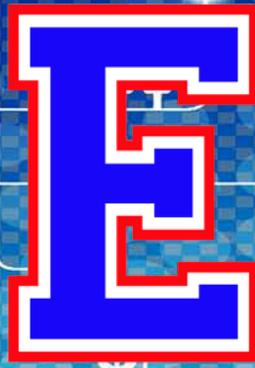
**STAY INFORMED**  
Monitor state dashboards and the Center for Disease Control for information and guidance.



State **SCAN ME**



Federal **SCAN ME**



## **Eminence Schools' "Red, White, and Blueprint" For 2021-22 Re-Opening**

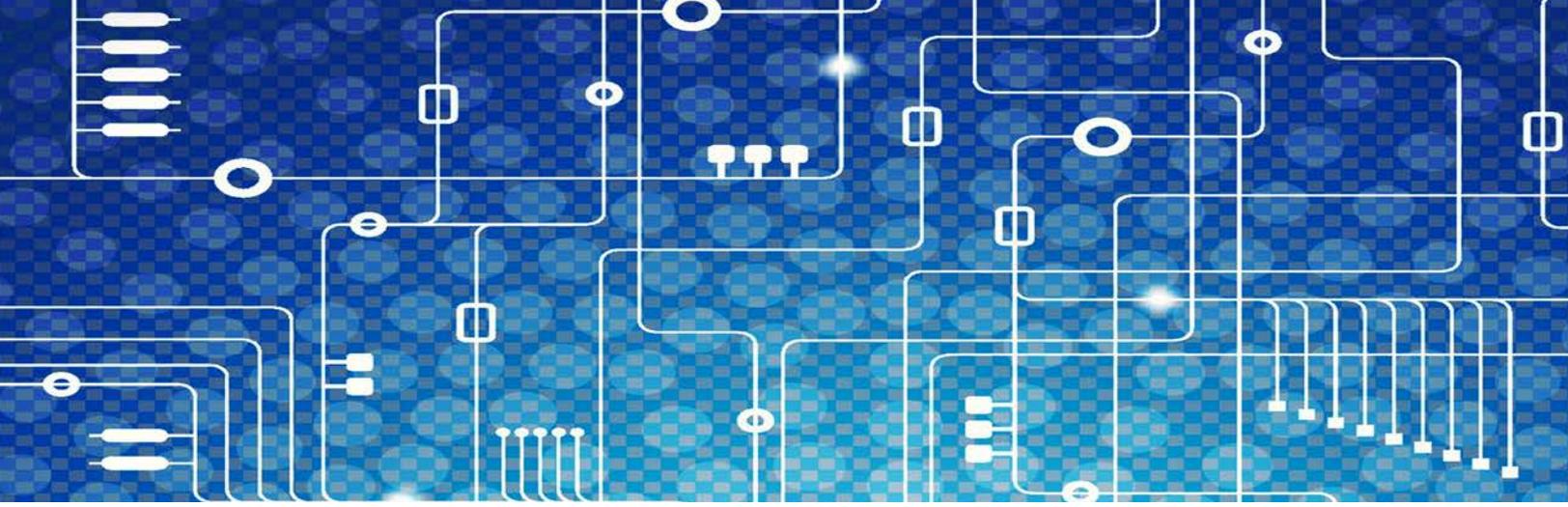
The Eminence Independent Schools in conjunction with our Board of Education, the Kentucky Department of Education, and the North Central District Health Department are pleased to present our current plans for reopening for the 2021-2022 school year. Our plans have been made based on guidance provided by KDE and the Kentucky Department of Public Health ("**Guidance on Safety Expectations and Best Practices for Kentucky Schools (K-12)**," and through the CDC's **Considerations for Schools**. Again, the most effective tools we have for a successful face-to-face school year are for sick students and staff to stay home, hygiene, and social distancing when possible. We will follow national and state guidelines in an effort to have the safest school year possible.

### **Key Reminders For All Shareholders:**

1. The keys for a successful year will be flexibility and positivity.
2. Our vision will be put to work & will be tested. (Surprise & Delight; Thinking Differently; and Yes-And Thinking)
3. We desire to create as normal of a year as possible within the parameters we are given.

### **SAFETY:**

- ▶ A Healthy-At-School Team and Coordinator have been established.
- ▶ Students and staff will hand sanitize and have a temperature check upon arriving to school each day. This includes bus riders as well.
- ▶ No students or staff will be allowed to enter the building with a 100.4 temperature or higher.
- ▶ Masking (indoors) will be required for all students, staff, and visitors (KBE Mandate).
- ▶ Bus riders will wear masks at all times, regardless of vaccination status (Federal Mandate).
- ▶ Students and staff are recommended to not enter another person's 3 foot bubble for more than 15 minutes.
- ▶ Two State-Of-The-Art Hand Washing Stations have been installed outside of the cafeteria. Classes will be cleaned / sanitized nightly, with high traffic areas receiving cleaning and sanitizing throughout the day.
- ▶ A "Sick Waiting Area" has been established outside of the nurses office and the front office conference room.
- ▶ If a fever or other symptoms are detected during the school day, the nurse will be immediately notified.
- ▶ If a student exhibits at least one symptom (fever, cough, vomiting, diarrhea, new rash, or exposure to COVID-19 case in 48 hour period), parent/guardian will be contacted to pick up student.
- ▶ Room Sanitizers will be used on a daily basis. These sanitizers are completely safe and are the same sodium chloride as used in salt water swimming pools.
- ▶ Each classroom will be equipped with paper towels, disinfectant, and gloves. During this COVID-19 pandemic, asthma treatments using inhalers with spacers (with or without face mask, according to each student's individualized treatment plan) are preferred over nebulizer treatments whenever possible. Include similar statement in procedure:
- ▶ Students or staff exhibiting symptoms of illness will be provided a mask to wear (unless they are not able to wear one) while waiting to be picked up or leave school.
- ▶ Close Contact definition: Exception: In the K-12 indoor classroom setting, the close contact definition excludes students who were within 3 to 6 feet of an infected student (laboratory-confirmed or a clinically compatible illness) where both students were engaged in consistent and correct use of well-fitting masks; and other K-12 school prevention strategies (such as universal and correct mask use, physical distancing, increased ventilation) were in place in the K-12 school setting.
- ▶ Parents/guardians may voluntarily submit documentation of COVID-19 vaccination status, but documentation is not required.
- ▶ Eminence Schools will continue to educate on screening, testing, hand washing, respiratory etiquette, staying at home when sick and getting tested, contact tracing in combination with quarantine and isolation, and cleaning and disinfection efforts.



### **LOGISTICS:**

- ▶ All school instruction will take place, in-person, as shown in the Board Approved school calendar.
- ▶ NTI Days will be referred to as EON Days (Eminence ONline Days). For now EON days will only be used in the event of a weather event or breakout of the virus within our schools.
- ▶ School Day for Staff: 7:20 AM - 3:50 PM and School Day for Students: 8:00 AM - 3:30 PM
- ▶ Staff will need to be in the room by 7:30 AM. Students will report directly to their first period classes and will be allowed in the building after 7:30 AM.
- ▶ Teachers (5-12) are recommended to sanitize rooms between classes.
- ▶ A Service window has been installed in the Edhub and only essential visitors will be allowed in the building.
- ▶ Staff will be encouraged to keep a window or windows open when possible to allow for more air circulation.
- ▶ HVAC filters will be changed on a more frequent basis and settings maximized for fresh air intake.
- ▶ Seating charts will be required for all routine activities: buses, classes, cafeteria, etc.
- ▶ Sharing of materials will be very limited and only allowed if shared item is sanitized between uses and essential.
- ▶ Buses will be loaded from the rear to the front/ unloaded from the front to the rear and sanitized after every trip.
- ▶ Bus riders will be assigned seats with siblings grouped together as a priority.
- ▶ Students are recommended to remain three feet apart in classes, halls, and whenever possible.
- ▶ Water fountains will be cleaned regularly throughout the day, but water bottles will be encouraged to reduce use.
- ▶ Students will be allowed to use the playgrounds, but all students will wash their hands prior to playing and upon returning to the building.
- ▶ Students will have 10 minutes to transition at the end of the day to all after school activities or dismissal.
- ▶ Camp Fire Services are being planned after school from 3:30 - 5:30 PM and on all day on Fridays when school is out.
- ▶ Virtual school interest will be surveyed to determine needs and feasibility.
- ▶ Lunch Capacity will be reduced by 50% in all seating configurations.

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