





North Kansas City Schools has consistently followed the ordinances requiring masks that are voted upon by members of the respective city councils in which our schools are located. The previous school mask ordinances approved by the City Council of Kansas City, Missouri and the city of North Kansas City expired on Thursday, February 17, 2022.

As a result, masks were recommended, rather than required, for students, staff and patrons beginning Friday, February 18, 2022.

[Clay County Health Department's guidance](#) 02/18/22 09:00 AM

The goal of NKC Schools' COVID-19 protocols is to minimize the risk of COVID-19 in our school sites. The district works in close partnership with the Clay County Health Department and the Kansas City, Missouri Health Department.

Students or staff who test positive for COVID-19 should follow the guidance of their medical provider and inform their school or supervisor.

Health department partners may provide expert guidance to those who have tested positive or may have been exposed to a positive case. NKC Schools will provide support to staff and families in accessing diagnostic testing through widely available community resources.

Clay County Public Health Center:

<https://www.clayhealth.com/279/COVID-19-in-Clay-County>

Kansas City, Missouri Health Department:

<https://www.kcmo.gov/city-hall/departments/health/coronavirus>





NKC Schools' goal is to ensure that vaccination against COVID-19 is convenient and accessible





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