The SWRS COVID-19 Programs Overview Summary of Changes August 23, 2022

1. Transportation Section

- a. CDC order under Section 361 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C 264) and 42 Code of Federal Regulations 70.2, 71.31(b) "A Requirement For Persons to Wear Masks While on Conveyances And At Transportation Hubs" has expired.
- b. As a result, masks are optional on vehicles involved in school transportation.
- c. Social distancing on buses is encouraged but nor required. Family members are encouraged to sit together when possible but not required.
- d. Schools may assist with the sanitizing of vehicles for school transportation but not required.

2. Food Service Section

- a. Hand washing is encouraged, not required.
- b. Lunch will be served in common areas, not in classrooms.
- c. Social distancing during lunch is encouraged but not required

3. Screen Protocol Section

a. This section has been removed. Screening protocols for all staff, students, and visitors when entering the school is no longer required.

4. Symptomatic Response Protocol for Visitors

- a. Visitors displaying symptoms are encouraged to get a COVID Test before coming to the building.
- b. The narrative about visitors not being allowed to return to the school for 10 days unless they receive a negative test result has been removed.

5. Positive Case Response Matrix

a. Contracting tracing protocols have been removed.

For more information about the changes to the SWRS COVID-19 Programs Overview visit: www.swrsd.org