

## Protocol for Arrival to School

Upon student arrival and dismissal, the staff will stand at least 6 feet away from the parent/guardian and child (and other adults) if possible. If a distance of six feet is not possible, the school staff will wear appropriate PPE. Please note: parents/guardians will not be allowed to enter the building.

### **STEPS per the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) upon entering the school building:**

#### **1. Parents/guardians will be asked the following questions: if you drive your child to school.**

- Does your child have a fever (100F+)?
- Does your child have shortness of breath?
- Does your child have a cough?
- Does your child have any other symptoms of illness?

**If you say “yes” to any symptoms of illness or visual inspection reveals signs of illness,** your child cannot attend school and a call to the School Health Office for instructions will be made.

#### **2. Staff will make a visual inspection of your child for signs of illness if transported by bus:**

- Do you see the child having flushed cheeks, rapid breathing or difficulty breathing (without recent physical activity), fatigue, or extreme fussiness?

**Students using transportation:** If your child arrives with signs of illness, they will be sent to the health office, or back-up isolation space, and the School Nurse will be contacted for further guidance. A phone call home will be made in order to arrange for your child to come home.

**Signs of illness will be taken very seriously.** If a student shows signs of illness during the day (fever, cough, fatigue, complaining of not feeling well, paleness, etc.) staff will contact the School Health Office. Guardians/parents and/or emergency contacts are to come pick up the student from school as soon as possible. Students who don't feel well will be quarantined in the health office, or back-up isolation space, with supervision until picked up.