

# Back to School

## 2021-2022



According to the California Department of Public Health (CDPH), recent evidence indicates that in-person instruction can occur safely without a minimum physical distancing requirement when other mitigation strategies are implemented.

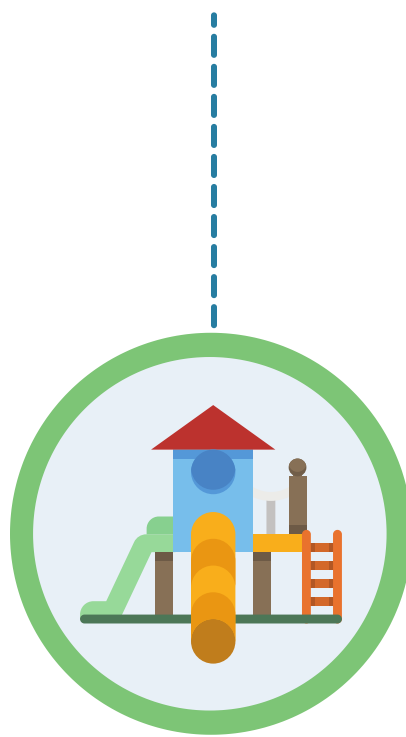
As California schools plan for a complete return to in-person instruction for the 2021-22 school year, universal masking and other Covid-19 mitigation strategies will be prioritized.

### Masking in School Settings Regardless of Vaccination Status\*



#### When Indoors

Masks are required  
for everyone



#### When Outdoors

Masks are optional  
for everyone



#### On School Buses

Masks are required  
for everyone

\*Based on CDPH guidance released July 12, 2021. CDPH will continue to assess conditions and will determine no later than Nov. 1, 2021 whether to update its universal mask requirement.

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