



Farragut Families,

I would like to share additional information that is specific to Farragut Middle School for you to consider as you make decisions about whether your student will attend school in person or take advantage of the virtual option.

We are diligently working on a detailed plan at FMS that aligns with the District's Reopening Plan and I felt the following information is vital to share as soon as possible to assist you in making the most informed decision regarding your child's educational experience.

- **Masks or face coverings:** Masks will be required for all staff members and students at all times. This policy will be enforced consistently and appropriately.
- **Temperature Checks:** All students and staff members will be required to have temperatures checked each time they enter the building.
- **Lunch Room Use:** On most days, students will be eating lunch in their classrooms.
- **Student Classroom Transitions:** We will review and modify student traffic patterns in an attempt to avoid clustering of students in large groups as much as possible; however students will still transition between classes.
- **Limitations of Visitors and Dropping off of items:** To help increase student and staff safety, visitors will have very limited access to FMS. Parents should only be dropping off essential items, outside food items are deemed non-essential and will not be allowed.
- **Social Distancing:** Social Distancing is difficult to accomplish at FMS due to the number of students in our classrooms and the limitations in terms of square footage. We will make every attempt to spread students out in our classrooms, but in reality, we will not be able to fully meet social distance guidelines at FMS.

We are excited about getting students back into our building soon. We understand that every parent needs to make a decision that best fits their family's situation. The staff at Farragut Middle School will continue to modify and improve our procedures to increase safety, and look forward to seeing and instructing your children in whichever version of school you choose.

Sincerely,

Weston Edmonds  
Principal, Farragut Middle School