

Donovan CUSD #3

One Page Summary of Donovan's Plan for Safe Return

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1st Student Attendance Date is Thursday, August 19, 2021

- School will observe a Heat Schedule through Labor Day
 - Donovan Elementary 8:10 a.m. - 1:22 p.m.
 - Donovan Jr. Sr. High 8:10 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

1. Symptom Free

- Parents and staff will be responsible for daily symptom checks. If you have a symptom, please do not attend school or come to our facilities
- Please keep your symptomatic students at home
- Quarantines and close contacts are established by the Iroquois County Health Department

2. Remote Learning

- Beginning with the 2021-22 school year, the state has decided that all schools must resume fully in-person learning for all student attendance days pursuant to 105 ILCS 5/10-30.

3. Mask Use

- On August 4, 2021, Governor Pritzker issued a new mandate for schools requiring that masks be worn indoors by all students and staff regardless of their vaccination status.

4. Transportation

- All passengers (including coaches/athletes/drivers) are required to wear a mask on school buses and masks will be available on all buses for those who need them.
- The buildings will be open daily for student drop off at 7:45 a.m.

5. Physical/Social Distancing

- The CDC recommends schools maintain at least 3 feet of physical distance between students within classrooms, combined with indoor mask wearing, to reduce transmission risk.

OTHER POSSIBLE MITIGATION STRATEGIES

Donovan Jr. Sr. High School

- Staggered bell system / schedule
- Seating charts in classrooms
- Stairways using directional traffic
- Old Gym used as 2nd cafeteria and spacing students 6' apart for lunch
- Lockers spaced out 3 feet apart

Donovan Elementary School

- Separate entrance for Preschool
- Separate entrances and exits for students being dropped off and picked up
- Seating charts for students
- Floor markings in hallways and 'line-up' areas for social distancing
- Lockers spaced out 3 feet apart