

FLOUR BLUFF JUNIOR HIGH

Procedures and Schedule starting October 5th

AT HOME BEFORE SCHOOL SCREENING	Parents/guardians are expected to screen their students for COVID-19 symptoms each day prior to sending their students to school. We need parents' cooperation in not sending children to school who are exhibiting COVID symptoms, especially if they are running a fever.
ARRIVAL / DISMISSAL	ARRIVAL <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Drop-offs before 8:15 AM are highly discouraged unless your child needs breakfast.● Breakfast will be held in the cafeteria from 7:45 AM to 8:15 AM.● Students who do arrive before 8:15 AM will be placed in the gym where they will be socially distanced.● At 8:15 AM, students will leave the gym and go straight to their 1st period class.● Students that arrive after 8:15 AM will go straight to their 1st period class.● All students will enter the building through their 1st period classroom hallway.● Parents who drop off their students will need to remain in their cars. DISMISSAL <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Students will be dismissed on a staggered schedule.● Students will exit the building through their last class period hallway.● Upon dismissal, students will not be allowed to congregate on campus.
PASSING PERIODS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Staggered releases will be implemented between all passing periods.● When transitioning between classes, students will travel as far to the right as possible when in the hallway.● Visual markers will assist students maintain physical distances and adhere to established campus traffic flow in hallways.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traffic patterns will be established throughout the campus that separates individuals to the greatest extent possible. • Where possible, one-way traffic throughout campus hallways may be established.
MASKS/FACE COVERINGS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students, staff, and visitors will be required to wear face mask/face covering while at school. • Students and staff will wear a face mask/face covering (over the nose and mouth) when they are in close proximity to other students or staff for an extended period of time (when they would otherwise meet the definition of close contact). • It may not be appropriate for students to wear masks/face coverings while participating in some UIL, non-UIL, or other extracurricular activities. Please see UIL guidelines for further information. • “Mask breaks” will be implemented as appropriate and when social distancing guidelines can be enforced. • Students’ individual needs will be addressed on a case-by-case basis. Requests for accommodations should be submitted to campus administration. • Students and staff will need to provide their own personal face masks/face covering.
CLASSROOM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teachers will monitor students throughout the day and refer to the nurse if symptoms are present. • Each class will be outfitted with the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Visual reminders of distancing requirements will be in all classrooms, marking off areas for common spaces and distancing best practices. ○ Refillable alcohol-based hand sanitizer stations. ○ Access to disinfectant wipes to sanitize working surfaces. ○ Safety partitions will be provided for each student desk. ○ Desks will be socially distanced where applicable. • Teachers will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Require hand hygiene before entering the classroom and after group activities. ○ Establish student responsibilities to clean personal areas and materials/supplies with hand sanitizer, disinfectant wipes, and other self-cleaning products. ○ Incorporate outdoor teaching when appropriate. ○ Keep classroom doors open to improve circulation and reduce the touching of the door handles.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teachers and staff will have access to disinfectant wipes to sanitize high-touch and working surfaces and shared objects regularly. • Teachers and staff will limit the use of shared supplies when possible; shared supplies will be sanitized between use.
<p>ISOLATION PROTOCOLS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Student or Staff Displaying COVID-19 Symptoms</p> <p>When a student has displayed symptoms of COVID-19, the school nurse will provide a clinical assessment to determine if and when a student needs to be sent home.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students who are ill will be separated from their peers and should be picked up within 30 minutes and no later than 1 hour from the time the campus contacted the student’s parent/guardian. • Other students will be removed from the classroom and taken to an alternate location on campus (ex. walk outside, move to a different classroom etc.) so the classroom can be disinfected. • District communication will be provided to the parents of students who came in close contact with a COVID-19 positive student or staff member. • Staff members displaying COVID-19 symptoms will follow district protocols including isolation from students and other staff members. • Students or staff who come into close contact with a COVID-19 positive individual will be asked to self-quarantine for 14 days and may not return to campus during that time.
<p>INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE CONFIRMED OR SUSPECTED COVID-19, OR A CLOSE CONTACT TO COVID-19:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An individual who was diagnosed with COVID-19 may return to work/school when all three of the following criteria are met: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ At least one day (24 hours) have passed since recovery (resolution of fever without the use of fever-reducing medications). ✓ The individual has improvement in symptoms (e.g., cough, shortness of breath); and ✓ At least ten days have passed since symptoms first appeared. • In the case of an individual who has symptoms that could be COVID-19 who is not evaluated by a medical professional or tested for COVID-19, such individual is assumed to have COVID-19, and the individual may not return to work/school until the individual has completed the same three-step set of criteria listed above.
<p>INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE SYMPTOMS THAT COULD BE COVID-19 AND WANT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The individual must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Obtain a medical professional’s note clearing the individual for return based on an alternative diagnosis

<p>TO RETURN TO WORK/SCHOOL</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Obtain an acute infection test at an approved testing location that comes back negative for COVID-19 • If an individual has had close contact with an individual who is lab-confirmed with COVID-19, they must remain out of the campus until the 14-day incubation period has passed. Close contact is defined as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Being directly exposed to infectious secretions (e.g. being coughed on while not wearing a mask or face covering ✓ Being within 6 feet for a cumulative duration of 15 minutes, while not wearing a mask or face covering
<p>REQUIRED ACTIONS FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO WERE AT WORK/SCHOOL AND HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED WITH A LAB-POSTIVE CASE</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The district must notify the local health department in accordance with federal, state, and local laws and regulations. • The campus/building will close off areas that are heavily used by the individual with the lab-confirmed case until the surfaces in the areas can be disinfected.
<p>WATER</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will need to bring water bottles from home. • Students may fill their water bottles at the touchless water dispensers.
<p>CAFETERIA: BREAKFAST AND LUNCH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breakfast and lunch will be served in the cafeteria. • Food deliveries will not be accepted during the school day. • Visitors will not be allowed during lunch. • Cafeteria capacity will be based on current guidelines. Physical distance will be provided around each occupiable seat. • Signage and staff will reinforce physical distance and traffic patterns in the cafeteria. • Hand sanitizer stations will be available at entrances and exits of the cafeteria. • Eating in classrooms may be an option if we cannot safely distance children. • The campus will devise lunch schedules and formats, including outside areas (as needed), that allow students to eat safely apart from each other.
<p>VISITORS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Campuses will utilize virtual meeting options to limit campus visitors when possible. All visitors who enter the building will be required to wear a face covering. Individuals who proceed beyond the reception area will follow specific guidelines for visitors.

	<p>Individuals proceeding beyond the reception area will be subject to the following guidelines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Symptom screening form ✓ Temperature screening ✓ Sanitizing of hands <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Virtual meetings will be available when possible.
PARENT MEETINGS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ARD meetings, 504 meetings, and parent conferences will be held virtually.
BUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It is encouraged for parents to drop students off or walk with their student to school to reduce possible COVID-19 exposure. • Students will use hand sanitizer upon boarding the bus. • All students must wear a mask on the bus. • After each bus route, buses will be cleaned, focusing on high-touch surfaces such as bus seats, knobs, and handles.
EXTRACURRICULAR AND ATHLETICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All extracurricular and athletic events will follow participation guidelines set by the UIL (University Interscholastic League). • Athletic practices and contests will be conducted following safety protocol provided by guidance from Flour Bluff ISD, UIL, and TEA. This will include COVID screening, group sizes, sharing and sanitizing of equipment, locker room usage, etc. • Hand sanitizing stations will be in gym facilities and equipment will be sanitized on a regular basis.
DAILY CLEANING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each classroom and restroom will be disinfected daily. • All high touch areas will be disinfected daily. • Cleaning cloths and wipes will be provided in each classroom and common area to maximize room to room cleanliness. • Custodians will wear face masks and gloves during work hours. • The cafeteria will be disinfected between lunch periods. • Staff will have access to disinfectant wipes to sanitize working surfaces and shared objects after each use and during breaks in instruction.

Flour Bluff Junior High Bell and Calendar Schedule

The Flour Bluff Junior High's desire is to sustain a culture of high expectations and student excellence as well as creating a safe environment for all Flour Bluff students. Furthermore, the Junior High has designed an Odd/Even block schedule for the 2020-2021 school year for both remote and face-to-face instruction. Remote and face-to-face students will continue to receive instruction from their current teachers. Students will participate in 4 academic/elective classes each day allowing for natural social distancing.

The Odd/Even block schedule is beneficial for the following reasons:

- The schedule eliminates half the number of passing periods students transition between classes, allowing for fewer students in the hallways.
- Students and teachers encounter fewer people each day, due to fewer classes meeting each day.
- The Odd/Even block schedule creates longer instructional time for teachers to provide effective and varied instruction to close instructional gaps.
- A fourth lunch shift allows fewer students in the cafeteria per lunch and allows more room for social distancing.
- All students (face-to-face and remote) will follow the Odd/Even schedule.

Period Schedule

Odd Day	Even Day
1st Period	2nd Period
3rd Period	4th Period
5th Period	6th Period
7th Period	8th Period

Flour Bluff Junior High
Bell Schedule 2020-2021

	Odd Day	Even Day
1 st Meet 8:20 – 10:00	1st Period	2nd Period
2 nd Meet 10:05 – 11:40	3rd Period	4th Period
3 rd Meet 11:45 – 1:51 A- Lunch 11:45 - 12:15 B- Lunch 12:17 - 12:47 C- Lunch 12:49 - 1:19 D- Lunch 1:21 - 1:51	5th Period	6th Period
4 th Meet 1:56 – 3:40	7th Period	8th Period

FLOUR BLUFF ISD



2020-2021
Official School Calendar

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LEGEND

- New Staff Inservice
- Inservice (Student Holiday)
- Staff Preparation Day
- First / Last Day of School
- Holiday (District-wide)
- [Six Week Reporting Period Begins
-] Six Week Reporting Period Ends
- STAAR/EOC Test Days
- ☆ High School Graduation
- △ Student Holiday / Staff Weather Day
- ◁ Student Half Day / PM Inservice
- ➔ Nine Week Reporting Period Begins
- ➔ Nine Week Reporting Period Ends

Flour Bluff Junior High Block Schedule

Maroon Dates - Odd Days

Gray Dates - Even Days

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| 7th Period | 8th Period |

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