



Mask Requirement Changes

Masks are optional. Respect is mandatory.




Starting March 16, wearing a mask at school is an individual decision. Please be kind and respect everyone's mask choice.



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A pair of glasses and a stack of face masks on a dark background. The glasses are in the foreground, and the masks are stacked behind them. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

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- Beginning Wednesday March 16th, you will have the option to wear a mask.
- Some people might not feel comfortable not wearing a mask or being around people who aren't wearing a mask. And that's okay.



Why might
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- They may not be vaccinated.
- They may live with someone who is not vaccinated like a grandparent or a young child.
- They might live with someone who has a compromised immune system.
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**Don't judge people for
the choices they make
when you don't know
the options they
had to choose from.**

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How does this impact you?

- **RESEPECT** everyone's choice. You don't know why they have chosen to wear a mask.
- Be **KIND**!
- Don't bully or make fun of someone who has chosen to wear a mask.
- If you have chosen to wear a mask and feel uncomfortable sitting next to someone who doesn't wear a mask, speak to your teacher and advocate for a seat change.

LET'S GO UP!



TREAT
others
THE WAY
you
WOULD WANT TO BE
treated