



Western Line School District

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“COVID-19 Mask Mandate”

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Western Line School District COVID-19 Protocol

Avon, MS (March 11th) --- The Western Line School District has been working diligently to provide students with the best, in-person learning while maintaining safe, clean learning environments. During Thursday’s Board of Trustees Meeting, the board voted to cease the mask mandate for Western Line School District.

This decision will no longer make masks a requirement for our faculty, staff, and students while on school property. Anyone who does not feel comfortable without a mask, is free to continue to wear a mask or shield. Our schools will still be implementing other COVID-19 protocols such as spacing, hand sanitizer/hand washing, spraying for germs, and consistent cleanings, and weekly testing.

The WLSD Board of Trustees understand COVID-19 is still a major concern; however, they are confident the school staff will be working together to ensure our buildings remain safe for our students and staff.

Superintendent, Dr. Lawrence Hudson, will continue to stay abreast of the COVID-19 cases in our district; and in the event mask-less learning becomes a greater hazard, he will make the decision to revert back to masks mandates.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation as we remain **“Committed to Excellence in Education.”**

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