

10 things you can do to prepare for returning back to school

Action Plan.

Practice Hand Hygiene often throughout the day. Teach them to sing their ABCs or have them count for at least 20 seconds ensuring they wash front, back, & in-between their fingers.



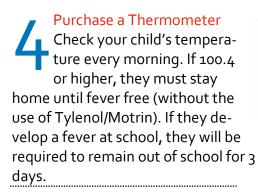
Practice Putting Mask On/Off. Your child will be required to wear a mask on the bus, upon entering school, & within the hallways. Teach them to not touch the inside of their mask when taking it off.



Practice 6ft of Distance. floor. Consider temporarily for a visual.



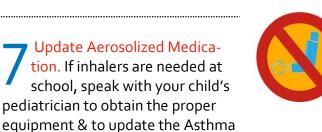
Measure the distance on the laying pieces of paper down



Make/Purchase Extra Masks. When possible, masks should only be used one time. Consider making or buying multiple masks to give you proper time to wash them between use.



Update Immunizations/Physical. Check with the school's website to see what is required to enroll for the school year. Contact your child's pediatrician for an appointment. Immunizations can also be obtained at the Health Dept.



Purchase Reusable Water Bottle to be brought to school. Water fountain use will be limited.



Verify/Update Emergency Contacts. If your child presents with COVID-like symptoms, they will be placed in an isolation room and will need to be picked up immediately. Please ensure a contact can be reached at any given time.

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Stay Informed. Educate yourself from reliable sources such as the CDC, Illinois Department of Public Health, and your local health department websites.



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