



Revised Mask Wearing Settings

The current Public Health Order requires all persons over the age of 12 to wear a face mask indoors and outdoors across both 'stay at home areas' and 'areas of concern'. While the Public Health Order does not require students to wear a face mask while they are in school, the department has taken the positions based on health and safety grounds that face masks are required by staff and students under the indicated settings.

COVID safe schools framework	Staff	Students
Level 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No masks required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No masks required
Level 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks recommended indoors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks recommended indoors for all students K-12
Level 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required indoors and outdoors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required indoors and recommended outdoors for Year 7 and above (unless exercising or eating) Masks recommended indoors and outdoors for primary students (unless exercising or eating)
Level 3 Plus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required indoors and outdoors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required indoors and outdoors for Year 7 and above (unless exercising or eating) Masks recommended indoors and outdoors for primary students (unless exercising or eating)
Level 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required indoors and outdoors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required indoors and outdoors Year 7 and above (unless exercising or eating) Masks strongly recommended indoors and outdoors for primary students (unless exercising or eating)