

COVID Plan for Great Expectations (August 10, 2020)

- All students and teachers will be encouraged to wear either a face mask or a face shield inside the church building. Please label your child's mask or shield with their name. This is at the discretion of the teacher and will be impacted by class size, the room being used and whether or not there is a high risk person in the group.
- We will keep the fan on the air conditioning unit running while we are in class, and keep windows and doors open when possible, in order to keep the air circulating.
- Teachers will take 5-10 minute mask breaks for each class at 40-55 minutes.
- Hand sanitizer will be available for use in each classroom.
- Signage will be posted from the CDC or other appropriate medical resources on infection control measures, like proper handwashing, the 3 W's, and 6ft apart social distancing when possible.
- Teachers will wipe down all high traffic surfaces after each class meeting including but not limited to tables, chairs, light switches, doorknobs, and pencil sharpener, with antiviral disinfecting wipes.
- Students will be directed to clean their hands when entering the classroom with hand sanitizer, and again when leaving each classroom. They will also do this before and after eating lunch, and before or after any group activities.
- After students have cleaned their hands with sanitizer they may use the microwave. Microwaves will be wiped clean at the end of each day.
- If your student has been in close contact (within 6 feet for at least 15 minutes) in the last 14 days with someone diagnosed with COVID-19 they should not attend classes and can return 14 days after the last time they had close contact, as long as they do not have any symptoms.
- If your student presents with any of the following symptoms - fever, chills, shortness of breath, new cough, or new loss of taste or smell, they should stay home and please call your health care provider.
- Parents, or students, are asked to take their temperature each school day before leaving the house. Students experiencing fever may return the following week to classes as long as they have had no fever for 24 hours (without the use of fever-reducing medicine).
- If a student tests positive for COVID, or does not get a COVID test but has had symptoms, the student must remain home for 14 days, or two weeks of classes, and can return after two negative test results as long as no one else in the household is positive. All other parents of students in their classes will be notified.
- All students and parents/guardians must sign this plan demonstrating that they have read and understood our COVID plan, as well as signing a COVID waiver prior to attending class.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____