

SVA Covid-19 Procedures
A Day In The Life

Prior Day The school building is sanitized using electrostatic sprayers on all high-touch surfaces.

6:30-7:00 Parents do a health assessment on their children before departing their homes. This assessment will include:

- A temperature check. Must be below 100.4 degrees
- Verify the absence of a cough

If either of these symptoms are present, the child must stay home. The parent should notify the school. The school nurse will follow up with the parent to give further instructions.

7:30-8:00 Students exit their cars wearing a cloth mask and receive a friendly greeting from an administrator at the front entrance. They pause in front of an infrared temperature scanner to rule out fever before taking a squirt of hand sanitizer. Then they proceed directly to their first period classrooms.

Upon entering the classroom students may elect to swap the cloth mask for a school issued clear face shield. Students in *all* grades must wear one of these face coverings at all times while in the building.

All adult teachers and staff member will be required to wear a face covering at all times in the building

School Day

Hand Hygiene - Students will be required to sanitize their hands at every academic transition time and every time they enter the building from the outside. Hand sanitizer stations will be provided in every classroom and exterior entrance.

Desk Cleaning - Desks will be sanitized at every academic transition time.

Distancing - The maximum number of students in a classroom will be 16 with most classes in the 9-13 range. This will allow ample distancing in classrooms.

Face Coverings - All adult staff and students will wear a cloth face covering or clear face shield while indoors except when eating.

Recess – Students will not be required to wear face coverings during outdoor recesses. They can play with each other normally but will remain at a minimum arms length distance and not physically touch. Students will sanitize their hands at the entrance when returning indoors.

Art- Students in grades 1-6 will have art class every other week. These classes will be conducted either in their classrooms or outdoors. Grade 7 will meet for art twice a week and grades 9-12 will meet in the art room with sanitation taking place between classes and plexiglass barriers have been installed on the art tables.

Music – Students in grades K-4 will have music class 1 time per week. These classes will be conducted either in their classrooms or outdoors. There will be no singing. The content will focus on music theory and appreciation, rhythm and beat, and occasional humming.

In grade 5, students will have music class but there will be no singing. There will not be a beginner band while we are on the A/B schedule.

Grades 6 will choose from music appreciation or band with each meeting once a week. Band will be taught in large venues like the chapel to allow extra distancing for safety.

Grades 7-8 will choose from music appreciation, band or choir each meeting once a week. Band and choir will be taught in large venues like the chapel to allow extra distancing for safety.

Grades 9-12 band and choir classes will meet once per week plus every 4th Friday. Again these classes will rehearse in large venues with significant spacing.

Lunch

Hot lunch will be served as usual but with no self-serve options.

Grades 7-12 will eat lunch outside on all good weather days. On bad weather days they will eat in the extended dining area in assigned seats to meet distancing recommendations.

Elementary students will alternate days eating in the extended dining area with assigned seating and with their teachers in the classroom or outdoors.

P.E. Classes

These classes will be held outdoors on all good weather days. On bad weather days, classes will be held in the gym with all students wearing face coverings and no physical contact

Dismissal/After School

SVA is adopting a carline app whereby parents will register their arrival for carline. The last period teacher will receive the alert and release the student to proceed directly from the classroom to the parent vehicle with no waiting in the lobby.

Dismissal time will be staggered in this way:

Monday-Thursday

3:00 - Grades K-2
3:15 - Grades 3-6
3:34 - Grades 7-12

Friday

2:30 - Grades K-2
2:45 - Grades 3-6
3:07 - Grades 7-12

Parents with more than one child will pick them all up at the dismissal time for their oldest student. If at all possible, students not participating in aftercare or after school activities (sports or work) should be picked up by 3:45. Aftercare charges will begin at 3:40 for students in grades K-6.

At 3:45, all remaining 7-12 students who are not working or in an organized activity, will report to a supervised classroom where they will remain until their departure. These students will be required to report to aftercare if they haven't departed by 5:00.