



Holy Rosary Academy
COVID-19 Mitigation Plan

1. Those presenting COVID-19 symptoms should not enter the premises of Holy Rosary Academy. We ask parents to refrain from sending their students to school when symptomatic, and teachers shall monitor students for symptoms while at school.
2. The facilities will have signage posted pursuant to health guidelines and mandates. Signage will be posted to reflect maximum occupancy of 15 students per class, and classrooms will be arranged to accommodate social distancing. Outside of the classroom, students, staff, and visitors should maintain social distancing of six feet where possible. Visitors will be limited and need to sign in.
3. Students, staff, and visitors should wear face coverings when not social distancing. Face coverings for students will be based on guidance from the American Association of Pediatrics (AAP). Students will wear face coverings when entering into and exiting the school buildings. Once in classroom pods, students may remove face coverings in the elementary classrooms. Students and faculty will wear face coverings when interacting with other faculty or students outside of their pod. Face coverings for grades 7-12 are recommended as per AAP guidance but allowance will be made for medical exemptions. Hand sanitizer will be available for all classrooms, and best practices for hygiene, e.g., hand washing, coughing into the elbow, etc. will be emphasized throughout the day.
4. Mixed group gatherings will be limited, e.g., the lower school lunch will be held in the classrooms and recess will be split between K-2 and 3-6th grades. Upper School lunch will be held in the classrooms as well; Junior High and High School will be separated.
5. All school gatherings will be limited, e.g., Mass attendance will be separated by Upper and Lower school. Protocols will follow Diocesan guidelines established for Mass attendance.
6. Buildings will be cleaned and disinfected on a daily basis with CDC approved cleaning agents. Touchpoints will be sanitized regularly and air purifying filters will be installed in each classroom.
7. When possible, there will be separate entry and exit points into classrooms with signage marking the altered traffic flow.

8. In the event of a COVID-19 infection, the infected person, or their parent, will inform the administration of a positive COVID-19 test result. The administration will inform HRA families, faculty and staff of the positive test result. Those that may have come into contact with the infected individual will be notified. The individual who tested positive and their family members will commence online instruction. In the event of a second infection within the pod, online instruction will commence for the affected pods for 48-72 hours. In accordance with HIPAA regulations, specific names of the infected will not be shared. HRA facilities will be closed for cleaning as prescribed. In the event of multiple pods having positive COVID-19 test results the school will commence online learning for the prescribed 10-14 days and the entire facility will be sanitized as prescribed by the CDC.
9. Holy Rosary Academy will begin targeted online learning if a 5% positivity rate is reached within the staff and students of Holy Rosary Academy according to CDC guidance.

Phase I. High Risk (Red). The high risk phase is established when or if Holy Rosary Academy classifies the local COVID-19 community situation as high risk. HRA will determine the situation is high risk due to faculty, staff, or students testing positive to COVID-19. During high risk periods students will learn online.

Phase II. Medium Risk (Yellow). The medium risk phase is established when the positivity rate is below 5% or when Holy Rosary Academy classifies the local COVID-19 community situation as medium risk.

Phase III. Low Risk (Green). The low risk phase is established when no laboratory confirmed cases of COVID-19 have been reported at Holy Rosary Academy in the last 14 days.