



Oneonta Montessori School

SUMMER SAFETY PROTOCOLS

TK- 6TH GRADE, 2022



DROP OFF PROCEDURE

K- 6th Grade Students

- * Use upper parking lot.
- * Parents must remain inside vehicles.
- * Students walk to designated social distancing spots & await turn at designated area by gate.
- * **TK Students** park on street in front of school & use lower parking lot. (No driving into lot).
- * **TK & Elementary Students** who have siblings in the preschool must enter from the lower parking lot.

TEMPERATURE CHECK

- * **Temperature check**
 - * **Children get hand sanitizer and teacher walks them into building.**
- At entry, any children displaying any symptoms associated with Covid-19 will not be allowed into school.
- Pls do not leave until your child gains entry to school.***
- During the school day, children exhibiting any symptoms will be isolated immediately and must be picked up within 15- 20 minutes. Child must stay home for a minimum of 5 days until symptoms have improved & are free of fever for at least 24 hrs without fever reducing medication and a negative test before returning to school.

PICK UP PROCEDURE

Adults must use **same entrances**. Adults must use walkway and stay on social distancing spots. Staff will use Walkie Talkies to send children out to meet parents.

WELCOME FAMILIES

We are looking forward to gradually getting back to 'normal' & are eager to forge ahead. We have prepared a very exciting Summer Camp program for all our students. Once your child has been placed on the Summer Camp class roster, the teacher will get in touch with you via our school app called DOJO. This will be the means of communication between teacher & parent.

FEWER RESTRICTIONS

LA County Dept of Public Health has deemed that LA County has met the metrics to ease restrictions; however, schools must remain vigilant and follow recommendations. We will continue to abide by all the layers of mitigation & strategies we have implemented as it restricts the spread of Covid-19 in schools. They are listed here; since some of our students are not vaccinated, therefore, we need all families to comply with the protocols unconditionally to ensure the health & safety for all. Thank You for your utmost cooperation.

COVID EXPOSURE – Please inform us immediately.

If child tests positive; child has a mandatory ISOLATION for 5 days. Child may return to school ONLY after the 5th day, the child tests negative & has no symptoms.

If there is ANY exposure; child has a mandatory QUARANTINE period for 5 days. Child may only return after 5th day with negative test & no symptoms.

If we are notified of an exposure when child is already in school; child will be isolated & sent home immediately. The pod of children close to the exposed child will be notified & must be picked up. The entire class will be notified; however, all students do not have to leave school.

Thank You for your utmost cooperation.

MASKS

All students 2 yrs and over must wear a mask at all times INDOORS. Students may remove their masks when outdoors, however, if parents would like their child to keep the mask on outdoors, please inform the teacher. All Oneonta staff members will wear a mask indoors as well. Extra masks can be brought & kept at school. A little personal paper bag with child's name will be provided so masks can be stored when not in use.

SNACKS/ LUNCHES

Snacks and lunches must be brought from home. All food items must be kept inside backpacks & stored inside lockers. Sharing of food is not allowed at school.

WATER BOTTLES

All drinking fountains are no longer operational; disposable water bottles or thermoses must be brought from home & kept inside classrooms on desks or inside lockers. All items brought from home must be kept inside backpacks and stored in lockers.

SAFETY STANDARDS

CLASSROOMS

Children will remain mainly with their own class group all day. Desks/tables are laid out across the room & classrooms have been restructured & configured to maintain social distancing.

OUTDOOR RECESS

Each class will have outdoor time during recess, lunch & daycare. Children will be closely monitored by staff; class groups will mainly stay & play together.

LOCKERS

All students will be assigned a personal locker. **Backpacks are mandatory**; all items brought to school must fit inside backpacks and stored inside lockers.

INSIDE BACKPACKS

Snacks: morning and afternoon
Lunch
Water bottles
Personal Hand sanitizer
Extra Masks

COVID-19 SYMPTOMS + CHILDHOOD DISEASES

Please make sure all children come to school not exhibiting any type of symptoms, even a slight case of the sniffles. Staff conducting wellness check will ask that child be taken home.

VISITORS NOT ALLOWED

No one other than Oneonta staff & service personnel will be allowed on campus. We ask that everyone please understand that Covid 19 is once again on the rise in LA County, therefore, limiting the number of people inside our campus will help us keep our students & staff healthy.

PLEASE DO NOT BE LATE!

CAMP STARTS AT: 9:00 A.M. – TK- 6TH GRADE

We ask that all our students be in school by 9:00 a.m. the latest. Our summer program is jam packed with activities that have been scheduled to start on time. Please make sure that children are in school and inside their classrooms by 9:00 a.m., set & ready to begin the day. Thank You!

DAY CARE HOURS

To limit time on campus, our daycare hours were shortened this school year; **Start time is 7:00 a.m. and closing time 5:00 p.m. daily.** Please do not be late as the late fee is \$1.00 per minute past 5:00 p.m., payable to the teacher who stays with the children until pick up.

HAND WASHING

Children will be supervised with hand washing at numerous intervals throughout the school day; before/after eating, before/after recess & many other times throughout the day.

HAND SANITIZER STATIONS

Numerous stations have been installed all around the school; classroom entrances, hallways and under patios. Children may use hand sanitizer whenever they pass these stations.

RESTROOMS

Class groups will take turns to use the restroom. For emergency use, only 1 student per class will have access.

TRAVEL

According to the CDC guidelines, all persons (any child, family or staff member) returning from vacation from any other state or another country must not return to school until a 5 day mandatory self quarantine period has lapsed. Five days after arrival, if a Covid19 test is conducted and it is a negative result, & no symptoms are present, student may return to school on 6th day. We ask that everyone, please comply with this guideline so that all of us at Oneonta can remain healthy.

Thank you for your cooperation!

CELL PHONES & ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Students are not allowed to bring any of the above as they are not needed during summer camp. Students will not be assigned work on any electronic device in the summer.

DISINFECTING SCHOOL/CLASSROOMS

We have always used a professional janitorial company to clean and sanitize our school on a daily basis. They will continue to do so with an emphasis on disinfecting all high touch common areas such as door knobs, light switches gates etc on a daily basis.

WELCOME TO SUMMER CAMP @ ONEONTA