

WHAT TO EXPECT

In accordance with school reopening guidelines, here are some of the procedural protocols specific to BCMS that students should anticipate.



Wearing a mask is required during the school day.



Social Distancing (1 meter – World Health Organization recommendation) will be practiced to the greatest reasonable degree at all times while on campus.



Except for the 6th grade hall, the building will follow a **one way traffic pattern** “to the left” when exiting classrooms during passing periods.



Upon entering school prior to the 8:08 bell, students are to **report directly to their TRIBE room**. (Students will be given a structured passing period prior to the start of TRIBE to go to their locker to drop off/acquire materials.)



Use of student lockers will be done according to a defined schedule.



Restroom occupancy will be limited. Students are asked to refrain from using the restrooms during passing periods. (Students will be provided passes from class for restroom use as needed.)



Refillable water bottles are permitted. Water bottle fill stations (newly installed) will be available for student use throughout the school day.



Water fountains will be **closed** to student use.



Students will have **assigned seating at lunch**. A maximum of five (5) students will be permitted at each lunch table. (With a maximum cafeteria capacity of 85 students, a cafeteria overflow area will be set up at lunch time in the hall outside the cafeteria.)



Noon recreation in the gymnasium will either: 1) **not be possible**, or 2) greatly **limited** in the number of students participating. (If option #2 is allowable, students will have noon recreation on a rotation schedule.)



Students are **not to handle or touch the materials belonging to other students** at any time.



Students will have the opportunity to use **sanitary wipes** to clean their desk/workspace as they enter the classroom each period.



Hand sanitizer stations will be available for “respectful” and “responsible” student use (not abuse ☺) throughout the building. Hand sanitizer will also be available in classrooms.



Students should educate themselves on the **symptoms and signs of COVID**. Self-monitor! If sick, COVID or not, stay home!