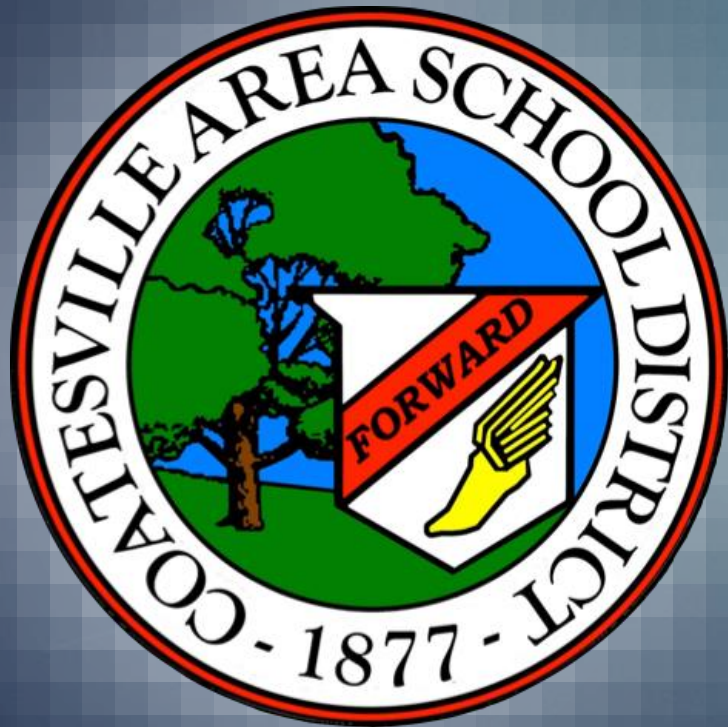
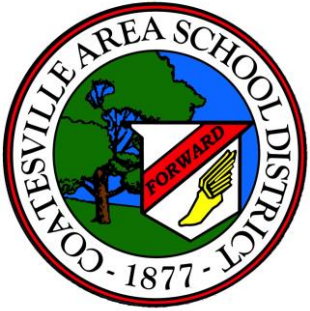


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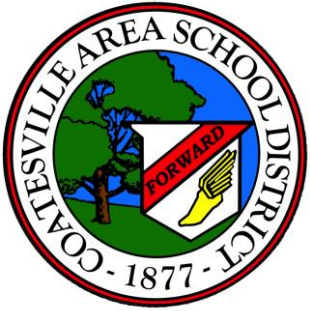
HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN: AN UPDATE

Tomás Hanna
Superintendent
January 25, 2022



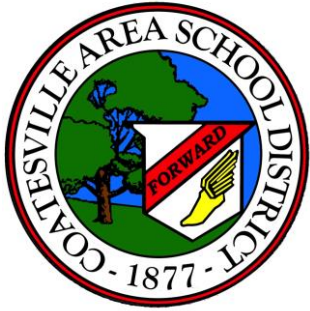
Contact Tracing

- Guidance issued by CCHD on January 4, 2022, indicates contact tracing in the classroom setting can be discontinued. The rationale is that classrooms are a controlled setting, masks can be worn and monitored, and 3 feet distance is generally able to be maintained.
- CASD will follow the guidance.



Isolation

- Someone who tests positive for COVID is required to stay home and isolate for a 5-day period from their symptom onset date or test date if they are asymptomatic.
- After their 5-day isolation, if they are asymptomatic or their symptoms are resolving (without fever for 24 hours), they can return to school on day 6.
- Upon return, they must wear a well-fitting mask for an additional 5 days, regardless of the schools current masking policy.



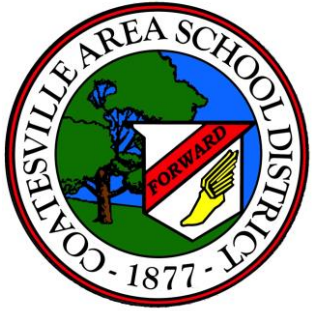
Testing and Vaccinations

- CASD will accept at-home Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) testing.
- CASD will partner with Woodlyn Pharmacy to provide a vaccination/PCR testing clinic:

Monday, January 31st, 2022

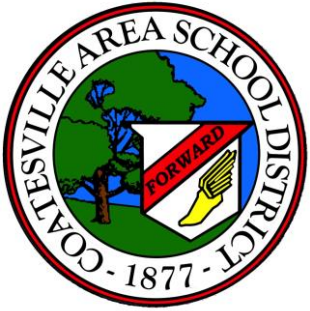
4:00PM – 7:30PM

CASH Auditorium Lobby



Reporting

- Any student, staff, or visitor/volunteer who has tested positive for COVID-19 should notify the appropriate designated school staff. Guidance on isolation and follow-up steps will be provided.
- CCHD is no longer requiring schools to submit a disease report form for each positive student/staff in school. Schools will report cases on a bi-weekly basis.



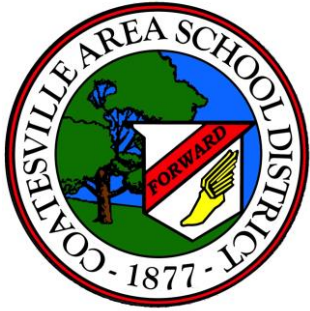
CASD Health and Safety Plan

7-Day Chester County Transmission Level*

HIGH

	<u>Positive Test Counts</u>	<u>Incidence Rate per 100K</u>	<u>% PCR Positivity</u>
Week 1:	4,746	904.2	27.85%
Week 2:	6,111	1,164.02	30.57%
Week 3	6,243	1,189.17	30.11%%
Week 4	4,407	839.45	20.98%

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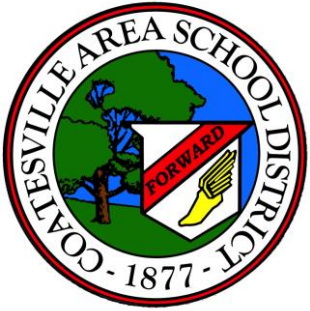
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7-Day CASD Transmission Level*

HIGH

	<u>Positive Test Counts</u>	<u>Incidence Rate per 100K</u>
Week 1 (Most recent):	653	996.86
Week 2:	883	1,347.97
Week 3	938	1,431.93
Week 4	611	932.74

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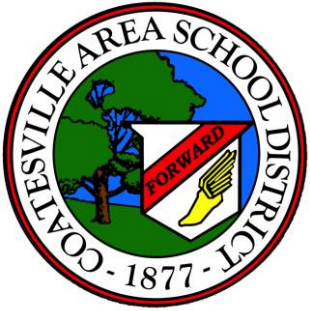


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New Cases in CASD (Past 14 Days)*

During the past 14 days, there were 112 positive/probable cases.

** Reported to CASD*

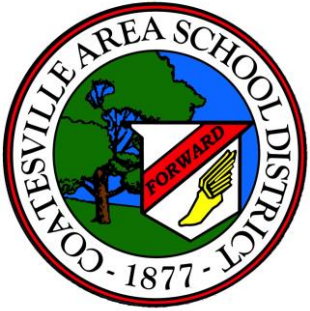


Vaccination Levels (at least one shot)* Chester County

January 7

<u>Ages</u>	<u>Vax Rate</u>
5+	85%
5-9	46%
10-14	59%
15-19	81%

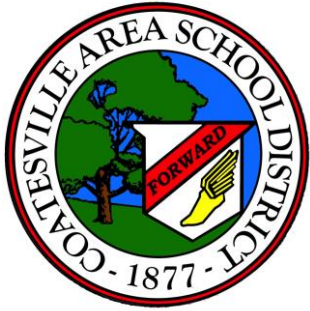
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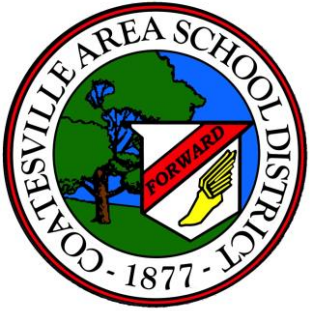
Administration Recommendation

- All students, staff and visitors are required to follow masking guidelines in all CASD buildings dependent upon transmission levels in Chester County.
- CASD will no longer conduct contact tracing.
- In accordance with federal mandate, students and staff are required to wear masks while riding a school bus.
- The administration will continue to review transmission rates and make recommendations to the Board that may result in further revisions to the Health and Safety Plan regarding masking and other mitigation strategies.



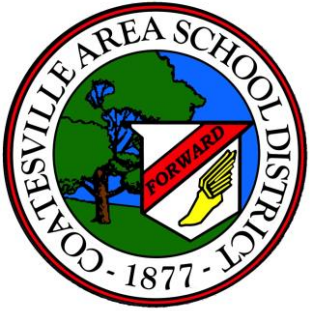
CASD Health and Safety Plan Masking Guidelines

County Transmission Level	7-Day Incidence Rate per 100,000		7-Day Percent Positivity	Masking Status
Low	<10	AND	<5.0%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks optional when indoors Masks required on busses
Moderate	10-49	OR	5.0% - 7.9%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required K-6 when indoors Masks recommended 7-12 Masks required on busses
Substantial	50 - 99	OR	8.0% - 9.9%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required in school buildings and busses irrespective of vaccination status. Masks may be removed for outdoor recess and outdoor physical education classes.
High	≥ 100	OR	≥ 10%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masks required in school buildings and busses irrespective of vaccination status. Masks may be removed for outdoor recess and outdoor physical education classes.



THANK YOU!!!!!!

- School-based staff, particularly nurses, have led the way and continue to support our students and staff throughout the pandemic.
- Nurses are in constant communication with each other and with the CCHD.



CASD Health and Safety Plan

Discussion