

Prince George's County

Matrix for Safe School Reopening Based on COVID-19 Indicators and Continued Progress in Community Vaccination

Transmission Risk Level	Percent of Positive Tests (7-day average)	Daily New Case Rate per 100,000 (7-day average)	Grade*	Instruction Type Based on Health Metrics **
LOW	◌<5.0%	◌<10	Pre-K-5	In-Person
			6-8	In-Person following Pre-K-5*
			9-12	In-Person following 6-8
MODERATE	5.0-7.9%	10 to 49	Pre-K-5 6-8 9-12	Limited in-person/hybrid model
SUBSTANTIAL	8.0-9.9%	50-99	Pre-K-5 6-8 9-12	No in-person instruction: Virtual Only
HIGH	≥10.0%	>100	Pre-K-5 6-8 9-12	No in-person instruction: Virtual Only

Status (as of 5/13/21):

Positivity: 3.0%

Daily Case Rate: 8.7

*Special education is subject to the same actions as PreK – 5

**If numbers are trending towards low risk may be able to accelerate hybrid in-person model in consultation with the Health Department

Developed in consideration: [Operational Strategy for K-12 Schools through Phased Prevention](#); [Prince George's County Vaccinations](#), Revised 4/12/21