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Dear Parents and Guardians:

On Monday, September 13, 2021, the Board of Education discussed and changed the criteria to determine when students would transition from face coverings optional to face coverings required and back to face coverings optional. Face coverings are encouraged but at this time optional for students.

Effective immediately, the Board has implemented building specific plans as described below.

High School Students, Grades 9-12, Masking will remain optional unless:

- 5% or more of the high school student body is COVID-19 Positive (8 students)
 - Students will be required to wear face coverings for 7 calendar days
 - Masks will always be optional for students practicing or competing in team or individual sports, engaging in any cardiovascular exercise in class, and any student utilizing the weight and cardiovascular rooms for exercise

Elementary School Students, Grades 4K-8, Masking will remain optional unless:

- 2% or more of the elementary school student student body is COVID-19 Positive (8 students)
 - Students will be required to wear face coverings for 7 calendar days
 - Masks will always be optional for students practicing or competing in team or individual sports, engaging in any cardiovascular exercise in class, and any student utilizing the weight and cardiovascular rooms for exercise
- Current mitigation practices in Choir and Band will continue as they have from the start of school.
- District staff will remain with face coverings on when around students or other staff.
- Face coverings are required on all school transportation per federal mandate.
- All visitors to the buildings are required to wear face coverings.
- The District follows County Quarantine guidelines for vaccinated and unvaccinated staff and students

The goal of the district is to keep students safe and our schools open. The District dashboard, with up to date positive and quarantine information, may be found on our website: pittsville.k12.wi.us. We ask for your continued patience as we make adjustments to address continuously changing situations. Thank you for your continued efforts to keep symptomatic children home. It has helped keep our school community infection numbers down and is needed now as much as ever.

Sincerely,

R. Figueroa