Superintendent's Report

School Board Meeting
August 16, 2021

Wallingford-Swarthmore School District

Mission and Vision Statements

<u>MISSION</u>
The Wallingford-Swarthmore School District is committed to assuring the academic achievement and personal growth of all students within an environment that promotes:

- Respect for self and others
- Active engagement in learning
- Leadership in the global community
- The pursuit of excellence

<u>VISION</u>
Our vision is to develop a world-class school district that provides students with the skills to succeed in a changing global environment. This vision will be realized through a commitment to high-quality programs and continuous improvement based upon careful analysis and integration of the most effective practices.

High School Entrance Project

- Project commenced 6/16/2021

  - Next week is the new expected delivery of storefront and glass, which should accelerate progress.

- The majority of the work; walls, drywall, ceilings, paint, electric, HVAC, is on schedule and anticipated to be substantially complete by August 25th

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Technology

- Last day to enroll in the WSSD Virtual School is August 18th.

WSSD Virtual School 2021-22
Expanding the learning opportunities in our community.

- Parents/Guardians need to complete the annual authorization and permission forms in the Parent Portal prior to the start of the school year.

- Dr. Wheeler our Director of Instructional had created a Technology Handbook and website to help families understand the ins and outs of the department, what we provide, troubleshooting, and support information for parenting in the Digital Age

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

LUNCH TIME

Health and Safety Plan Summary
Wallingford-Swarthmore School District

New Effective Date: August 16, 2021

Approved Date: August 2, 2021 (Board Approved - First Revision)

June 19, 2021 (Board Approved - Initial)

Date of Last Review/Revision: August 2, 2021

Date of Last Revision: N/A

1. How will the LEA, to the greatest extent practicable, support prevention and mitigation policies in line with the most up-to-date guidance from the CDC for the reopening and operation of school facilities in order to continuously and safely open and operate schools for in-person learning?

The School District implemented a health and safety plan throughout the 2020-2021 school year using mitigation strategies supported by the CDC, PA Department of Health, CHOP Policy Lab, and other health agencies. These strategies were successful in supporting the larger public health initiative to slow the spread of COVID-19 and to protect our District community, especially those at increased risk for severe illness. Further, our District supported vaccination clinics for our teachers and staff and led vaccine clinics for students.
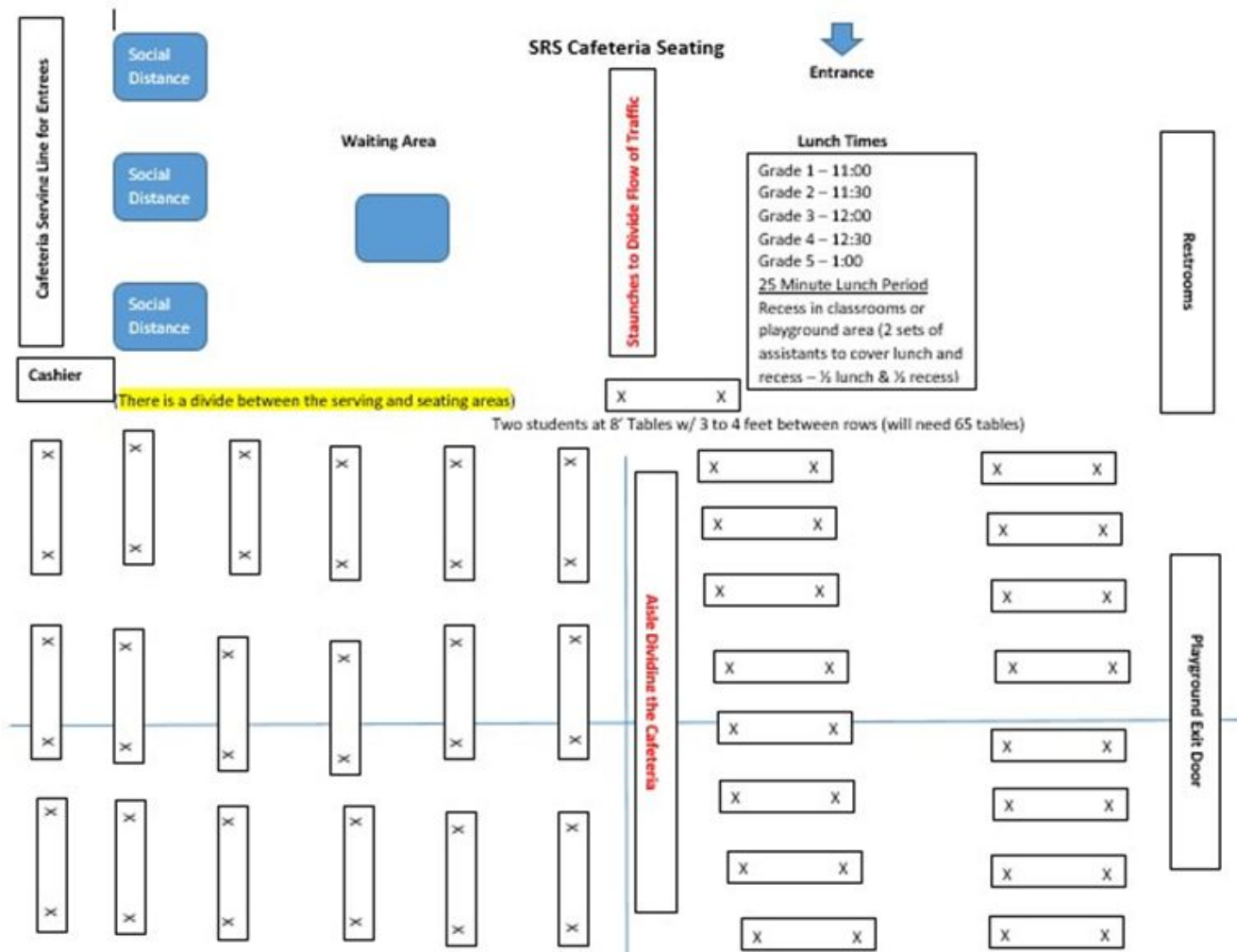
Even though the Order of the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Health Requiring Universal Face Coverings was lifted on June 28, 2021, the District must still follow the Federal Order issued by the CDC in January 2021. This Order requires face coverings for anyone, regardless of vaccination status, being transported on school buses and vans operated by public and private school systems as a means of public transportation.

Our District will continue to review the latest guidance from the CDC, the PA Department of Health, CHOP Policy Lab and other health agencies. This information will assist the District when reviewing our mitigation strategies for effectiveness. The guidance will also be used to revise our health and safety plan as necessary. The chart below provides strategies, policies, and procedures to be used within the District.

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- Each Elementary School will receive an additional recess/lunch aide

- Middle School will receive two additional lunch aides

- High School will receive four additional lunch aides

Tents, Tables, Chairs, Walkie-Talkies, Cones, Barriers, Signage

HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN FOR COMPETITION AND VOLUNTARY WORKOUTS

Fall 2021

STRATH HAVEN HIGH SCHOOL
Wallingford-Swarthmore School District

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