



## South Bay Deutscher Schulverein COVID-19 Guidelines

We acknowledge the highly contagious nature of the coronavirus and therefore are taking the following precautions in line with State and County guidance.

All students, staff, volunteers and Board members are required to comply with all of these measures whenever they are on campus. We sincerely appreciate everyone's support in helping SBDS minimize the risk of exposure to COVID-19 for students and staff,

1. **Masks:** Students, staff and volunteers are required to wear masks in all indoor settings per [CDPH Guidance for Face Coverings](#) and the [Santa Clara County Public Health Mask Order](#). While physical distancing is not required when masking indoors per the guidance, our staff has maximized space in classrooms whenever possible. Outdoors, masking is optional, except at the Cake Tables (Kuechentisch) and Library (Bucherei) where masks are required.
2. **Hand washing / sanitizing:** Students and staff will be directed to wash hands or sanitize when entering the classrooms.
3. **No visitors:** Only students and staff are allowed on campus at this time. The following exceptions are allowed:
  - a. Parents escorting Pre-K and/or Kindergarten children to or from their classrooms
  - b. Adults and teens working as volunteers
  - c. Adults visiting the SBDS office (Room 15)
4. **Drop-off and Pick-up:** All students should be dropped off and picked up in the parking lot or red zone. Do not leave your car unattended in the red zone. Staff and/or volunteers will be available to help children find their classrooms **until 9:10am**. Per item 3a above, parents of Pre-K and Kindergarten children should drop-off and pick-up their children at the classroom.
5. **Vaccinations:** Staff and volunteers are required to be vaccinated or to provide a negative COVID-19 test result (conducted within 72 hours of class start time) prior to each class session. If you anticipate volunteering in any capacity this school year, please complete this [vaccination information form](#) and complete it again if your vaccination status changes.
6. **Daily COVID-19 Health Screening:** Students, staff and volunteers agree to stay home and refrain from coming to campus if they answer "YES" to any **COVID-19 Health Screening questions (insert link)**.
7. **Notification of positive COVID-19 test result:** Members agree to notify SBDS immediately if they or anyone in their household test positive for COVID-19 and to follow all Santa Clara County Health Department guidelines for quarantining.
8. **SBDS reserves the right to change these guidelines** as needed, during the school year, to do our part to minimize the risk of exposure to COVID-19 and comply with state and county guidelines.