

Update on TAMC Masking Policy

In its monthly meeting on March 16, The TAMC Board of Directors voted unanimously to continue with the masking-optional policy now in place.

You should make the decision about whether your child should wear a mask or not for ordinary activities inside the school buildings. Masks are no longer required to be worn by bus riders, by children who arrive at school before the classrooms open, by children participating in after-school care, or by children participating in Lego Club.

Teachers and administrative staff will continue to monitor classroom by classroom very carefully, and we will continue to send out alerts through ClassStory when a new positive exposure occurs in your child's classroom.

In addition to considering the number of cases in your child's classroom, we urge you to

- review information about masking provided by the CDC (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/science/science-briefs/masking-science-sars-cov2.html>),
- review the data about weekly cases locally (<https://moorecounty.maps.arcgis.com/apps/dashboards/4c11e5bf79b64a6e9c8377d5129cc97>),
- Read the updated StrongSchools Toolkit, our state-level source of official information [StrongSchools Toolkit](#)

Covid numbers continue to drop and we are seeing a return to normalcy. Please be respectful of other people's choices: to wear a mask or not is an individual decision.

TAMC Administration and Board of Directors