

BOWLEGS PUBLIC SCHOOLS COVID-19 LEARNING OPTIONS

OPTION A

- Remain enrolled in Bowlegs Public Schools
- Attend school daily in a traditional, face-to-face classroom environment
- Engage in a variety of learning experiences with teachers and peers
- Continue to access educational technology supports
- Continue to access all courses and activities offered at Bowlegs Public Schools
- Continue to access guidance and counseling, media centers and other student programs as needed

If necessary, at-school learning will move to distance learning online.

OPTION B

- Distance Learning through Bowlegs Public Schools
- Remain enrolled in Bowlegs Public Schools
- Access learning activities via Bowlegs Schools online platforms
- Progress will be monitored by a certified Bowlegs Public Schools teacher
- Receive supplemental instructional support for coursework from a certified Bowlegs Public Schools teacher
- Requires at-home parental guidance and support during learning activities and course work.
- Have access to guidance and counseling services, media centers, and other student programs as needed
- A technology device and internet access support are needed
- Must attend in person the class hour before athletics to participate. J.H. must be present at 12:45 p.m. and H.S. must be present at 1:40 p.m. Extra-Curricular Activities must be present at the same times according to J.H. and H.S. times listed above.
- Student(s) must login in daily and do their work to be counted as present. After 10 non-logins student will automatically fail course.

To participate in virtual learning students must notify Bowlegs Public Schools at time of enrollment. Once signed up for virtual learning, the student will not be able to switch to another learning option until the end of the fall semester.

COVID-19 Protocol for Bowlegs Public Schools

Daily Screening

1. Parent screening using CDC checklist; if parents send their child to school, they are certifying they have screened their child. It's the parent's responsibility to do the parent screening and it will be relied upon by the school district.

2. Staff also screen themselves; it is the staff member's responsibility to screen themselves before coming to work. By coming to work, then they are certifying they have screened themselves.

At School Procedures

Teachers and staff temperatures will be checked at the beginning of each day.

Isolation Room: Any student or staff member who exhibits a fever of 100.1 degrees or more will be instantly isolated in a predetermined isolation room and immediately sent home.

After being sent home, the student or staff member cannot return to school until one of the following criteria is met:

- * Without COVID testing, the student or staff member must not be present at school for 10 calendar days from symptom onset. The student or staff member may return on 11th calendar day if symptoms have resolved.
- * After a negative COVID test, the student or staff member can return to physical school after 1 day of being fever free with no fever reducing medication.
- * The student will become a distance learner at home until he/she can return to school.
- * The student will be counted as present because distance learning will be provided.
- * The student will be entered into a database accessible only to necessary school personnel.

- * Wearing of masks for students and school personnel will be a personal/parental preference. If a mask is chosen to be worn the student/school personnel must follow the CDC mask wearing protocol (mask will cover the nose and mouth) the entire school day with the only exception being while eating or drinking. Exception: If the State Color Coded Covid-19 Threat System reaches the appropriate color or we receive a mandate from the State, then mask wearing for students and school personnel will be required.
- * Social distancing will be communicated to students in classroom settings but in other situations, this will not always be possible. When possible, family members/cohorts will be seated with each other.
- * Hand sanitizer will be made available in every classroom. Enrollment packets will include information on respiratory etiquette and the importance of hand washing.
- * Grades Headstart thru 12th will have staggered lunch times. This will keep the cafeteria limited to 50% capacity.
- * Elementary students will have P.E. and Recess.
- * Appropriate accommodations will be made for students with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies.
- * Parents/Guardians will not be allowed in the school during regular school hours. There is a communication device at the North door to the high school that will allow you to talk with the administrative staff if you need to pick your child up. Please do not try to enter any of the buildings.
- * No visitors will be allowed in the school without prior approval by the building administration. All approved visitors will have to go through the CDC symptom checklist, temperature taken and a mask must be worn.

Positive Case – Elementary Campus

1. Consult with Seminole County Health Department as they begin contact tracing.
2. Communicate to staff

3. Communicate to applicable parents depending on classroom arrangement.
4. Thoroughly sanitize classroom.
5. Seminole County Health Department will decide which students must be quarantined and go to distance learning dependent on exposure level as determined by the county health officials. If the student has siblings, the siblings will be quarantined.
6. If the attendance of campus learners at the site and/or district where the positive case occurs reaches a 35% absenteeism rate, the site and/or district (dependent on school size and structure) will go to distance learning for 14 calendar days. The count starts on the first day of distance learning.
7. Grab and Go meals will be provided starting on Day 1 of distance learning. Delivery will not be available.

Positive Case – Secondary Level Campus (High School and Junior High)

1. Consult with Seminole County Health Department as they begin contact tracing.
2. Communicate to staff
3. Communicate to parents at site about positive case
4. Thoroughly sanitize classroom.
5. Seminole County Health Department will decide which students must be quarantined and go to distance learning dependent on exposure level as determined by the county health officials. If the student has siblings, the siblings will be quarantined.
6. If the attendance at the site and/or district where the positive case occurs reaches a 35% absenteeism rate, the site and/or district (dependent on school size and structure) will go to distance learning for 14 calendar days. The count starts on the first day of distance learning.
7. Grab and Go meals will be provided starting on Day 1 of distance learning. Delivery will not be available.

Requirements for all elementary and secondary teachers

1. Maximize classroom space.
2. One directional seating (for all classrooms that do not have tables)
3. Seating charts (required by all teachers for all classes)

Bus Transportation

1. Recommend alternate transportation, if possible, for all bus riders.
2. All students will be required to wear a mask while riding the school bus, as well as the bus drivers.
3. Siblings/cohorts will be seated near each other.
4. Maximize air flow.
5. Seating chart required.

Covid-19 Vaccination

Bowlegs School will work with local agencies to provide vaccinations to school communities.

Facility Improvement

Bowlegs School will continue to use every effort to sanitize and protect students and staff members. We also will be working to improve and update our facility so that we may continue to protect those on our campus from Covid-19. We will work to improve ventilation throughout our campus to reduce risk of exposure