Safety and Well Being

In the event there is evidence of district wide transmission of COVID-19, or if there is wide-spread human-to-human transmission in Boone County or the City of Columbia, CPS will enter the highest level of alert, which may include restrictions on access to buildings, if recommended by public health authorities.

In order for CPS employees and the general public to best understand access rules, CPS will use a Daily Mode Indicator.

Traditional School (Pre-Pandemic School): All classes will take place in school buildings. There are no restrictions on visitors and volunteers in the building.

AMI (Alternative Method of Instruction): AMI refers to school courses taught only online when triggered by a building closure.

In School with AMI Support: Courses will be taught with a technology integration model. Courses will be taught in the building with teachers using technology. Only students and staff in CPS buildings. Visitors and volunteers must receive preapproval from the elementary or secondary assistant superintendent.

Hybrid: In an effort to observe social distancing recommendations, students enrolled in the in-person option will receive instruction two days a week in person and three days a week online. Students already enrolled in the online programs (CPSElementary@Mizzou and CPSVirtual) will NOT be impacted by this model.

Online School: Elementary students will receive instruction online through CPSElementary@Mizzou and Middle and High School students will receive instruction through CPSVirtual. Online School will NOT be impacted by COVID-related building closures.