



# Lutie R-VI School District

**EMPOWERING ALL STUDENTS TO SUCCEED IN A CHANGING WORLD**

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Dear Lutie Families,

Due to the increase in COVID-19 cases, we will be increasing our efforts to keep our students, staff, and families safe. Effective Tuesday, December 1, 2020, the Lutie R-VI school district will implement the following changes:

- All staff members will be required to wear a mask at all times while on campus or in a district vehicle.
- Students in grades 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> will be required to wear a mask at all times while on campus or in a district vehicle. This will include on the school bus. Students will need to have their mask on BEFORE getting on the school bus and keep the mask on the entire ride. Students in Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are not required, but are encouraged to wear a mask.
- Face shield and neck gators will no longer be allowed. On Friday, November 20, 2020, all students were given four (4) white cloth masks that have been provided by the Missouri Department of Education. Students may choose to wear other masks, as long as they meet the requirements of a mask. If you wish for your child to wear disposable masks, you will need to provide those.
- The mask needs to be properly worn over the nose and mouth areas. Failure to wear a mask correctly will have the following consequences:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> offense-1 day ISS (In School Suspension)
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> offense-2-3 days ISS (In School Suspension)
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> offense and each subsequent offense-1 day OSS (Out of School Suspension)

Our goal is to ensure everyone's safety during this pandemic. We will still check staff and students' temperatures when arriving to school. Please discuss these new procedures with your student(s).

Thank you for your assistance in keeping our community healthy.

Sincerely,

Scot Young, Superintendent  
Amy Lane, Principal