



MASHPEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
School Committee Meeting Agenda**
February 18, 2022 at 1:15 PM (ZOOM ONLY)
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The Mashpee Public Schools recognize and honor the many generations of Wôpanâak people who have lived and been sustained in this territory for more than 10,000 years.

The **mission** of the Mashpee Public Schools is to ensure a student-centered, comprehensive program of rigor, scope, and depth that prepares all students to be college, career, service, and civic ready and teaches respect and acceptance of others. The **vision** of the Mashpee Public Schools is that every student, every day, is safe, respected, and engaged to achieve academic and social growth in a personalized learning environment.

MASHPEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS' PLAN FOR SUCCESS (PFS)--(2021 - 2025)

PILLAR	STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE
1. Portrait of the MPS Graduate	Fully implement the Mashpee Public Schools' Portrait of a Graduate
2. Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion	Honor diversity, provide equity, and ensure inclusion throughout the Mashpee Public Schools
3. Teaching & Learning	Fully align teaching and learning PreK - 12 with our Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) framework
4. Mashpee--A Connected Community	Strengthen and grow positive and reciprocal relationships between the District and the community

Item	Time	Agenda Item
1	1:15 PM	Call Regular Meeting to Order, Pledge of Allegiance, Land Acknowledgement
2	1:17 PM	*Ratify agenda of February 18, 2022
3	1:18 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review/Discussion of Massachusetts Association of School Committees (MASC) draft Face Coverings updated policy (EBCFA)--dated 2/10/22, including suggested edits from the Superintendent (Page 1) Review/Discussion of Mashpee Board of Health guidance Review/Discussion of Policy Subcommittee updated Face Coverings Policy (EBCFA) recommendation *Vote on updated Mashpee Public Schools' Face Coverings Policy (EBCFA)
4	1:35 PM	*Vote to amend SY 21-22 School Committee Meeting calendar--cancellation of March 2, 2022 meeting
5	1:40 PM	Public Comment
6	2:00 PM	Adjournment of Public Meeting

***Vote Required** **The listing of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion.

MASHPEE TOWN CLERK

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**Massachusetts Association of School Committees (MASC) Draft Updated Face Coverings Policy
(including suggested edits from the Superintendent)--for review by the Policy Subcommittee**

File: EBCFA

FACE COVERINGS

The Mashpee Public Schools District is committed to providing a safe environment in schools during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. Maintaining a safe environment is critical to the District's ability to ensure students remain in a full-time classroom learning environment.

According to public health experts, one of the best ways to stop the spread of coronavirus and to keep members of our school community safe is the use of face masks or face coverings. Therefore, in accordance with guidance and recommendations from the Center for Disease Control (CDC), the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH), the following requirements are in place until further notice.

- A face covering that covers the nose and mouth is strongly recommended to be worn by individuals who remain unvaccinated or are otherwise immunocompromised inside school buildings, even when social distancing is observed.
- Vaccinated individuals may wear a face covering that covers the nose and mouth in school, if desired.
- Students and staff returning from a 5-day isolation following a positive COVID test or a quarantine post-COVID exposure must follow strict mask use, other than when eating, drinking, or outside, and conduct active monitoring for symptoms, through day 10 of isolation or exposure or until COVID symptoms resolve.
- Masks will be required in all school health offices, medical waiting rooms and in-school COVID testing locations.
- By federal public health order, all students and staff are required to wear a mask on school buses.

Guidance Statements:

Massachusetts Department of Public Health: <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-mask-requirements-mask-requirements-in-certain-locations-https://search.mass.gov/?q=school+health+offices>

Center for Disease Control and Prevention – Guidance for Covid-19 Prevention in K-12 Schools Updated January 13, 2022: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/k-12-guidance.html>

Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education – Fall 2021 Covid-19 Guidance Updated February 9, 2022: <https://www.doe.mass.edu/covid19/on-desktop/2022-0209mask-requirement-update.pdf>

SOURCE: MASC – February 10, 2022

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