



## Lumen Christi Catholic School

### ***Mask Policy for 2020-2021 School Year***

Release date: 9/20/2020

#### Face Coverings

- Cloth face coverings will be required for 5K - 8th grade and all staff in the school and parish buildings, including coming into and exiting the buildings and during pickup.
- A "face covering" includes but is not limited to a bandana, a cloth face mask, a disposable or paper mask, a neck gaiter, or a religious face covering. A "face covering" does not include face shields, mesh masks, masks with holes or openings, or masks with vents.
- Face shields can be worn with a cloth face covering.
- For 3K and 4K, teachers will make every attempt to have students masked when social distancing is not possible. 3K and 4K can wear cloth face coverings and/or face shields. 3K and 4K must wear their face covering when coming into and exiting the building.
- All students must bring TWO clean face covering to school each day - one to wear, one to spare (in case it gets soiled or wet).
- The student name must be written on the mask.
- Face coverings must follow our uniform policy:
  - Face coverings must be appropriate and not too distracting. No vulgar, violence, drugs, or alcohol messages on masks.
- Mask breaks will be given at snack time, lunch, recess, and nap time. Students can also remove their mask to take drinks from their water bottle.
- When a single individual is giving a presentation for a class, the single speaker may remove the face covering while actively speaking. While the face covering is removed, the speaker must remain at least 6 feet away from all other individuals at all times. (Examples: teaching phonics, show and tell, giving a speech in class)
- A doctor note is required if there are medical or psychological reasons that a student or staff member cannot wear a mask all day.