

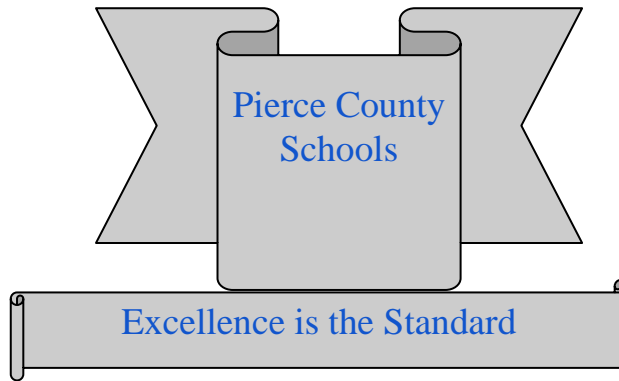


Pierce County Schools Back to School Plan 2022-2023



The Pierce County School System will safely open school on Monday, August 8, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. All students will begin instruction in person.

The Pierce County School System will follow safety guidance from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), Georgia Department of Public Health (DPH), and Georgia Department of Education (GaDOE). The information below summarizes the steps we are taking to safely open school as scheduled.



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First Day of School	Monday, August 8, 2022
Open House August 11, 2022	<p>Limit visitors to two per household in addition to the student. Wearing a mask is highly recommended and we ask you that you practice social distancing. Any daily medications for students should be signed in by a parent or guardian to the school nurse clinic during Open House.</p> <p>Elementary Schools Grades PreK-5 11:00 - 12:00 Household Last Names A-G 12:00 - 1:00 Household Last Names H-Q 1:00 - 2:00 Household Last Names R-Z</p> <p>Pierce County Middle School (6th Grade Only) 3:00 - 4:00 Household Last Names A-K 4:00 - 5:00 Household Last Names L-Z</p> <p>Pierce County High School (9th Grade Only) 5:00 - 6:00 Household Last Names A-K 6:00 - 7:00 Household Last Names L-Z</p>
Cafeteria	Resume normal operations
Communication	Back to school communication will be shared through Facebook, Livingtree ParentSquare , Pierce County School System's district and school websites.

<p>Extracurricular Activities/ Athletics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Athletics will follow GHSA recommendations. ● Extracurricular/Academic clubs will follow CDC, DPH, and GaDOE guidelines.
<p>Field Trips</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Resume normal operations
<p>Safe and Healthy Schools Procedures</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Schools will follow CDC, DPH, and GaDOE guidelines. ● All classrooms will be supplied with hand sanitizer and disinfectant. ● Best practices for hand washing and social distancing will be implemented. ● Custodial staff will be provided disinfecting equipment and supplies. ● Classrooms, cafeterias and high-traffic areas will be sanitized frequently.
<p>Transportation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Parents may opt to transport students. ● Hand sanitizer will be available on all buses.
<p>Visitor Procedures</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Resume normal operations