

January 19, 2021

4:00 P.M.

Dear Richmond Community,

Patty Gunderson, Lassen County Office of Education Superintendent, announced today that cloth face coverings (e.g. masks) will again be required for all grade levels TK-12. Please read her press release below, in italics:

*PRESS RELEASE*

*January 19, 2021*

*New School Guidance Requiring Facial Coverings*

*The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) released the consolidated update of guidance for schools on Thursday, January 14, 2021. The new guidance requires that all students and staff wear facial coverings, both inside and out, while at school. This includes busses or other transportation provided to students. The schools in Lassen County will begin enforcing the facial covering requirement for all students and staff on Thursday, January 21, 2021.*

As a result of today's press release, Richmond Elementary will require all students in grades TK-8 to wear masks while they are at school.

This most recent TK-12 mask mandate will begin on Thursday, January 21, 2021.

Thank you for your continued help and support.

Sincerely,

Sabrina Greiten

Superintendent/ Principal

Richmond Elementary School