## CANASERAGA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

2020-21

Specific Details for: COVID Testing

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## INTRODUCTION

Returning to in-person instruction is a very important step in reestablishing the continuity of the learning for students. While remote learning was a necessary option between March and June 2020, it was not the best method for our students to gain the knowledge and skills they need at each grade level. As we return to inperson instruction, it will be vital for students, parents, and staff to work together to adhere to the guidance that has been provided to the school district by the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) and the New York State Education Department (NYSED).

While the following information is addressed in the district's full Returning to Instruction Plan, the NYS Governor's has directed school districts to create a separate document that addresses some specific components.

This plan will be posted to the school district's website and updated when necessary.

## **COVID-19 Testing**

The district will not conduct COVID-19 testing or require testing or antibody testing of students or staff members. The decision of whether a test needs to be conducted will be determined by a healthcare provider or the local department of health. The district will seek guidance and follow directives from the local department of health or NYS DOH regarding COVID-19 testing.

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