

COVID-19 Guidelines and Protocols

These guidelines and protocols are as of June 21, 2022

Introduction:

We at CMCB are continuing to work hard to provide safe programming in our building, and online. We are taking careful steps to move forward thoughtfully and with everyone's safety in mind. These guidelines are subject to change, and we will notify you of changes. Thank you for being a member of our community!

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CMCB PROGRAMMING OVERVIEW:

Programming Availability:

- CMCB will continue offering in person and online learning opportunities.
- All private lesson students (including Piano, String, Guitar, Percussion, Winds, Brass, and Voice) will have an online OR in-person programming option.

For a full class listing, visit <https://go.asapconnected.com/?org=5521>

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GUIDELINES FOR IN-PERSON LESSONS AND CLASSES:

We at CMCB are continuing to work hard to provide safe programming in our building, and online. We are taking careful steps to move forward thoughtfully, and with your safety in mind. We ask that you please abide by the following policies for programming taking place in person this year for everyone's safety. These guidelines are subject to change. Please see below for the definitions for Mask Required, Mask Recommended, and Mask Optional.

- **Mask Required:** Masks are required for all of those over the age of 2 when in CMCB at all times unless actively eating, drinking, or playing an instrument that requires mask removal.
- **Mask Strongly Recommended:** While not required in all circumstances, CMCB strongly encourages mask use in our space. *CMCB reserves the right to designate certain activities as Mask Required based on factors such as room capacity, high exposure risk, etc.*
- **Mask Optional:** This is a return to a pre-COVID state. Masks are not required and individuals will not be asked to wear masks. There will continue to be support for those who choose to wear masks.

Policies for All Visitors to CMCB:

- **We strongly encourage all eligible individuals to get the COVID-19 vaccine and booster to help keep our community safe.**
- **Effective Monday, June 27th, mask wearing in CMCB will be MASK STRONGLY RECOMMENDED and will only be required in certain cases.**
- All individuals are encouraged to wash or sanitize hands upon entry to CMCB.
 - Hand sanitizer stations are available in common areas.
 - All visitors, students, and faculty are encouraged to take frequent breaks for hand washing or disinfecting of hands with sanitizer.
- We continue to encourage social distancing when moving around CMCB.

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HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDELINES

CMCB COVID-19 Health and Safety Precautions:

- If you are not feeling well and do not have a negative test for COVID-19 (antigen or PCR), **STAY HOME**, regardless of vaccination status. All private lessons can be moved online. Call the Front Office to arrange moving your lesson online.
- Students, family members, and caregivers who are feeling ill or have experienced symptoms (e.g., fever, cough, sore throat) in the 72 hours prior to entry at CMCB are not permitted to attend in-person programming unless they have a negative COVID-19 test (antigen or PCR), regardless of vaccination status.
- If you have been in close contact of someone who has tested positive, please follow CDC guidelines:
 - If you are fully vaccinated (and boosted if it has been more than 6 mos since you completed your vaccine), you can continue to attend in-person programming as long as you are symptom free and must wear a mask.
 - If you are NOT fully vaccinated, you must stay home for 5 days and may return after day 5, assuming you have no symptoms and have tested negative

If a student tests positive for COVID-19

- If a student tests positive for COVID-19, they should notify CMCB and refrain from entering CMCB for 5 days or until they test negative. They may move their private lessons online if they wish. Please contact the Front Office for assistance with this.
- They may return to in-person programming on day 6, assuming the following:
 - They have been fever-free for 24 hours (and without taking fever-reducing medications)
 - Experienced improvement in other symptoms

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- When possible, per CDC guidelines, take a CDC antigen test to confirm they are no longer positive for COVID-19
- Following the 5 day isolation period individuals should continue to wear a well-fitted mask while around others for an additional 5 days
- Given CDC guidance to continue wearing a well-fitted mask for 5 days following isolation, winds, brass and vocal students may not return to in person programming for 5 additional days. Winds, Brass, and Voice students may return to in-person CMCB programming after 10 days of isolation.

If a student feels ill at CMCB...

- Any student who displays symptoms of COVID-19 *as noted above* will be instructed to leave the building immediately.
 - If a student is unable to leave immediately, they will be moved to an Isolation Room until they can be sent home.
 - ***Note: If a student becomes ill during a lesson, a parent or caregiver must be able to pick the student up within 10 minutes.***
- If a student is sent home from a Group Lesson, CMCB Staff will notify all parents/guardians of classmates for an option of immediate pickup.

If a member of our community tests positive for COVID-19 and has been onsite, we are committed to following the recommendations from the Board of Health.



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CMCB COVID-19 Workplace Coordinators

The COVID-19 Workplace Coordinators are Meghan Jasani and Morgan Beckford. The Workplace Coordinators are responsible for COVID-19 issues and their impact at the workplace. For questions about the Health and Safety plan or other concerns, contact them at jasani@cmcb.org or mbeckford@cmcb.org

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