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Dear Eagles,

After careful consideration and discussion with local physicians as well as other health officials, Ozark City Schools will remove the current mask mandate effective Monday, November 29, 2021, with the following provisions:

- Masks will be encouraged and welcomed, but not required.
- Masks will continue to be required on buses and other public modes of transportation.
- Masks will be reinstated if COVID-19 cases begin to rise on a school by school basis.

OCS continues to encourage vaccinations and/or boosters for students and staff members. As an additional measure, OCS will offer free and voluntary COVID-19 testing for asymptomatic individuals at local schools.

We appreciate your support during these unprecedented times. Our goal has been and will remain to safely provide quality in-person education for all students. If you have questions, please contact your local school administrator or school nurse.

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