

# HOBOKEN CHILDREN'S THEATER

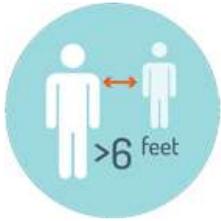
## COVID INFORMATION

We are determined to create a safe environment for all of our families.  
Below are our protocols and guidelines.



### Mask Use

All students and staff must wear a mask at all times. All masks must be well-fitting around the nose and mouth. Please have your child arrive in a mask, and send a spare. Parents are required to wear masks at Drop Off and Pick Up if they enter HCT.



### Social Distancing

Staff and students will maintain social distancing whenever possible.



### Wellness Checks

All staff and students will be given a wellness check prior to class. This will include questions about their health, as well as the health of members of their household, vaccination status, last Covid test information, and other activities they are participating in. Each child will be screened for signs of COVID illness before being permitted to participate. Persons that show any signs of COVID illness, will need to go home and join the class on Zoom.

If while at Hoboken Children's Theater, a child becomes ill, they will be immediately separated until they are picked up. The Staff member attending the ill participant and the participant will wear masks and maintain social distancing within a separated care area. All areas that the ill participant has come into contact with will no longer be used that day, and immediately sanitized thoroughly.



### Performances

We will be having live performances. Masks for performers will be determined closer to production time. Audiences will be required to be vaccinated and masked. If for some reason we deem a live performance unsafe for your children, we will discuss options with you.



### Drop Off and Pick Up

We would prefer that caregivers remain outside at Drop Off and Pick Up. If you need to enter, please wear a mask. All Parent/Caregivers, and anyone waiting for an HCT student, must be masked at Drop Off and Pick Up if they enter our building.

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## COVID Guidelines

**As we do all we can to ensure the health and safety of your child, we ask that you play your part as well.**

What we at HCT expect you to do to help reduce the risks:

- Wear a mask in public and around anyone not in your immediate family/bubble.
- Practice social distancing whenever possible.
- Practice good hygiene and wash/sanitize hands often.
- Stay home when you are sick or believe you may be exposed to someone with COVID.
- Avoid any unnecessary travel.
- If your children socialize independently of you, please talk with them about the responsibility they have to each other and this theater community.
- Please keep an open line of communication with us to ensure everyone is safe!

## Quarantining and Communication

Please keep your child home if they are ill or showing any of the symptoms below. If someone in your home is ill with possible COVID symptoms, do not send your child to in-person class, they can join us on Zoom.

Symptoms related to COVID include:

- Cough
- Nasal congestion or runny nose
- Sore throat
- New loss of taste or smell
- Fever or chills
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Diarrhea
- Nausea or vomiting
- Stomachache
- Tiredness
- Headache
- Muscle or body aches
- Poor appetite

Please inform us if any of the following scenarios occur:

- If your child or anyone in your household has been exposed to someone that tests positive for COVID.
- If your child or anyone in your household is symptomatic or suspects they may have COVID.
- If anyone in your household tests positive for COVID.

Contact HCT immediately so that we can make informed decisions about the safety of other students and staff members. We ask that you keep your child home under any of these circumstances.

If we receive any reports of an active student or staff member testing positive for COVID, you can expect the following:

- All students and staff members that were physically involved in class/rehearsal with a positive individual will be notified via email.
- The identity of the positive student will not be disclosed.
- Your child may need to quarantine for up to 10 days from the date of possible exposure.
- Parents should monitor their child's health for any symptoms of illness, wash hands often, practice social distancing, and avoid sick people or those that are vulnerable.
- Talk to your healthcare provider to determine if your child should get tested.