# Kansas City Regional Gating Criteria for Elementary, Middle, and High Schools

## Gating Criteria

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<td>New Cases / 100,000 population for the 2-week period</td>
<td>Less than 50</td>
<td>51 - 200</td>
<td>201 or more</td>
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<td>% of Persons Testing Positive (Positivity rate) for the 2-week period</td>
<td>Less than 5%</td>
<td>5% - 10%</td>
<td>10% or more</td>
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<td>Trend in Incidence Rate (change in 2-week period)</td>
<td>Steady or decreasing</td>
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## Instruction

- **Green**
  - **Minimal Community Spread**
  - Schools are open for in-person instruction.

- **Yellow**
  - **Minimal-to-Moderate Community Spread**
  - Schools may use a hybrid model of remote learning and in-person learning options with precautions in place. K-5 in-person learning should be prioritized.

- **Red**
  - **Significant Community Spread**
  - School buildings are closed — remote learning only.

## Extra and Co-Curricular Activities

### Elementary School

- In-person activities following safe operating principles. If allowed by school guidelines, spectator/audience should be distanced by household groups; masked both indoors and outdoors. Facilities should limit capacity to allow for 6’ physical distancing and no more than 100 people for ALL school-related events.

### Middle/High School

- In-person activities following safe operating principles. Spectator/audience should be distanced by household groups; masked both indoors and outdoors. Facilities should limit capacity to allow for 6’ physical distancing and no more than 100 people for ALL school-related events.

- **Reference** National Federation of State High School Associations for guidance. Limited building visitor access with masks and physical distancing.

- **No extra-curricular activities**