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After consultation with our health care providers, school
administrators, and the Long Beach Unified School
District, we believe it is in the best interest of our
students and families to implement a mask mandate
for all students and staff. This decision is based on
evidence from the Centers for Disease Control and
Prevention (CDC) and the American Academy of
Pediatricians (AAP) that masks can help prevent the
spread of COVID-19.

We appreciate the support of the Long Beach
Unified School District and its administration in
implementing this mandate. Our primary goal is to
protect the health and safety of all students and
classroom staff.

For more information, please visit
longbeach.gov/vaxLB.
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Kelly Colopy, CEO of the Long Beach Emergency Medical Services, has issued the following statement: "We are monitoring the situation and will issue an update when we have more information. We encourage everyone to follow the guidelines and stay informed."

Colopy said, "Our priority is to ensure that our community is protected. We are working closely with our partners at the federal, state, and local levels to provide updates and resources."

For more information, please visit long-beach.gov/COVID19 and follow @LongBeachCity on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

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