Please familiarize yourself with the following guidelines for FMS In-Person Group Classes, which include Family Music, Music Makers, and Group Instrument Classes:

FMS will continue to monitor and in the event of a change, will follow the Larimer County Public Health Department and the State of Colorado recommendations for wearing masks and for distancing.

- 1. Wearing masks inside FMS is not required but will be supported and respected if you choose to mask yourself or your student.
- 2. Please help us to maintain a safe environment at FMS by keeping your student at home if they develop covid, flu, or cold symptoms. These symptoms include but are not limited to: cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, and diarrhea. If your student misses a class, we pledge to work with you to help your student get caught up.
- 3. **Group Instrument Lesson Families:** Your student's class may be moved to a virtual platform if the FMS Directors determine that because of a positive diagnosis or because of covid-like symptoms, the group teacher needs to not be present in the building temporarily and a substitute teacher cannot be found. Should this happen, we ask that you be willing to make that temporary adjustment and we do promise it will be as temporary as possible. Since we will be in good faith offering these virtual services, we will not be able to offer a refund in a situation that is out of our control.
- 4. **Family Music & Music Makers Classes:** It is our goal to never cancel a class, but we recognize that in a worst-case scenario, this could happen. If a class cancelation occurs, we will offer a makeup class. Please understand that it may be necessary to substitute your regular teacher with another member of the FMS Team.

Please note: FMS Staff cannot offer full bathroom assistance to any drop-off student. An FMS Staff person can walk your student to the bathroom area but your student must be bathroom independent or we ask that you remain close by throughout the entire class time in case bathroom assistance is needed.

FMS reserves the right to amend these guidelines at anytime and will notify families of any changes via personal email, FMS newsletter, and our website. Please check your email regularly for any changes that may need to be made. Thank you!