

Community Use of School Facilities Phase-In Process

Under School Board policy KF, the Fort Mill School Board abides by the general principle that providing school facilities to the public for a rental fee is a service to the community. The Board authorized the Superintendent to prescribe and publish separate administrative procedures required for the implementation of this policy.

In School Board policy KF, under Facilities Available for Use, the document states that permission to use district facilities may be granted by the Superintendent or his/her designee when such use will not, in the sole discretion of the Superintendent:

- Be contrary to the best interests of the district.

Since March 2020, all Fort Mill School District facilities have been closed to community use due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The top priority in all decisions made by the Fort Mill School District is the health, safety and well-being of our students, employees and school communities.

The Fort Mill School District will enter into a phased re-entry plan for community use groups. A phased re-entry plan allows District staff time to optimize health, safety and cleaning protocols.

Phase 1	July 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School athletics can begin workouts for fall sports only. • The Leroy Springs FLYERS program will be allowed to enter select schools for summer camp programs. • The Boys and Girls Club can begin using the designated facilities at Springfield Elementary
Phase 2	August 31	The Town of Fort Mill Parks and Recreation and City of Tega Cay Parks and Recreation can begin use of fields 1-3 at the Comporium Athletic Park and spaces that are part of JUA.
Phase 3	TBD	FMSD will begin taking reservations for outdoor field spaces when York County enters into a COVID-19 low risk time frame determined by the release of the DHEC document, <i>Recent Disease Activity, by County</i> , for two consecutively releases of low disease activity.
Phase 4	TBD	FMSD will begin taking reservations for indoor facilities when all threats of COVID-19 have been exhausted. The only exception to this phase will be on November 3 rd (Election Day). Nation Ford High School and the District Office are designated polling sites.