

DEMAREST FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

FACE MASK POLICY

June 21, 2021

In the interest of public safety, the Demarest Free Public Library will continue to require everyone entering the Library to wear face masks and observe 6-feet of physical distancing. This decision is driven by concern for the health and safety of all, but particularly for our younger patrons (a large part of our patronage) many of whom are not yet eligible for the vaccine.

Our decision is based on the NJ COVID guidelines, Governor Murphy's executive orders and on CDC guidance. These specifically grant business's the discretion to require face masks for employees, customers and visitors and also continues to require face masks in situations with younger people who are not eligible for the vaccine.

For further information please visit:

<https://covid19.nj.gov/faqs/nj-information/slowing-the-spread/should-i-wear-a-mask-to-stop-the-spread-of-covid-19#direct-link>