C.A.R.E.S.
OTSEGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS HYBRID LEARNING PLAN
CHILDCARE ASSISTANCE RESPONSE & ENRICHMENT SERVICE

SMALL GROUPS
CARES students will be placed within a cohort of no more than 15 kids in a classroom, and remain with that group throughout the CARES program on all days, including Wednesday. Blue & Gold groups will not be joined. Cohorts will consist of two grade levels, so new exposure is limited.

HAND WASHING & HYGIENE
Our CARES staff will make sure students are frequently washing their hands before and between each activity. They will share lessons and practice proper hand-washing technique.

PHYSICAL DISTANCING
CARES activities will be set up to keep students physically distanced. Physical distancing will be practiced throughout the day.

ENHANCED CLEANING
All toys are sanitized between each use. Tables and chairs are sanitized throughout the day and rooms will be deep cleaned daily.

REMOTE LEARNING TIME
CARES will create a schedule to include the needed time for students’ remote learning. Staff will supervise work and communicate progress with parents.

FACE COVERINGS
CARES will follow the elementary requirements. Staff will wear masks/face coverings throughout the day. Students will need them in common areas.

OUTDOOR PLAY
The CARES schedule will include outdoor play time with their own cohort.

FUN!
CARES staff will keep students engaged in fun activities throughout the day for a great childcare experience!