

Safe Return to School/Continuity of Services Plan

Safe Return:

- This Plan was approved by the Board of Trustees.
- Upon return from digital/distance learning, all students, staff, and visitors who return to the classroom will be required to wear masks correctly and universally. Parents will make the decision whether their children will return to the classroom or remain at home in a distance learning situation.
- Modifications will be made to classroom seating arrangements and cafeteria seating to insure as much physical distance can be maintained between students and students/staff.
- Students will wash their hands upon arriving at school, after each recess, and before and after lunch time. Hand sanitizers will be available in the cafeteria and each classroom. The proper method of coughing or sneezing in public will be taught and practice by all.
- Modifications will be made for students, staff, and visitors who meet the American Disabilities Act requirements.
- Ventilation using windows and AC will be accentuated.
- Cleaning and sanitization of desks and public areas will take place daily.

Continuity of Service:

- The district will support parental wishing for in-school services or distance learning throughout the 2023-34 school year.
- Student's individual academic needs will be supported, additional paraprofessional help has been added to ensure no student falls behind his/her peers.
- Mental Health provider(s) will be sought after by the district
- Older students will each enroll in one IDLA class each semester to enhance their learning strategies and opportunities.
- Parent/teacher partnerships will be encouraged, especially for struggling students.
- Additional classified staff will be utilized to help students struggling to get back on track in the classroom.
- Additional classified stall will be utilized to provide one on one reading help for struggling students.
- Greater than 20% of the LEA's funding will be utilized to address student learning loss. A .75 FTE Certified Administrator will be hired to assist students and teachers.