

West Central Continue to Learn Plan

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PROTOCOL	GREEN MODEL	YELLOW MODEL	RED MODEL
Personal Hygiene	Hand sanitizer will be available throughout the building. All persons will be encouraged to sanitize/wash their hands throughout the day.	Hand sanitizer will be available throughout the building. All persons will be required to sanitize/wash their hands frequently throughout the day.	Building will be shut down to all students and visitors. Students will be learning virtually. Staff will be required to report to their buildings and work in their designated areas.
Cleaning/Sanitizing	Cleaning/Sanitizing will be done a minimum of 3 times per day; once by the custodian and twice by the teacher at the time of their choosing.	Cleaning/Sanitizing will be done during each transition periods.	
Face Coverings	Students and staff may choose to wear face coverings. The district encourages face coverings in situations where social distancing cannot be maintained.	Students and staff will be required to wear face coverings in the building at all times, with the exception of P.E., lunch, outdoor recess, and band.	
Symptom Screening	Temperatures taken and health screening at home are encouraged prior to coming to school. A health screening questionnaire will be distributed to staff and families for daily use.	Temperatures taken and health screening at home are encouraged prior to coming to school. A health screening questionnaire will be distributed to staff and families for daily use.	
Bussing	Surfaces will be disinfected between routes. The district recommends face coverings when on the school bus.	Students will be assigned seats. Surfaces will be disinfected between routes. The district requires face coverings when on a school bus.	
Water Fountains	Bottle filling stations will be available in buildings. Students and staff should bring their own personal water bottles.	Drinking fountain stations will be closed. Bottle filling stations will be available in buildings. Students and staff should bring their own personal water bottles.	
Cafeteria/Meals	Social distancing will take place in cafeterias where possible. Sanitizing will be available prior to entering the serving line.	Social distancing will take place in cafeterias where possible. Sanitizing will be available prior to entering the serving line.	
Building HVAC	Building HVAC systems have been modified to increase the percentage of outside air flow.	Building HVAC systems have been modified to increase the percentage of outside air flow.	
Extracurricular activities	Please see the Return to Play plan located on the district website.	Please see the Return to Play plan located on the district website.	
Facility usage by outside organizations	Per district policy.	District facilities will only be available for school sanctioned activities.	
Visitors at school	Per district policy.	Visitors will not be allowed within district buildings.	
Travel (Students)	Travel for activities/school events allowed pending approval of building/district administration and/or SDHSAA.	Travel for activities/school events allowed pending approval of building/district administration and/or SDHSAA.	
Travel (Staff)	Travel for activities/school events allowed pending approval of building/district administration and/or SDHSAA.	Travel for activities/school events allowed pending approval of building/district administration and/or SDHSAA.	

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Response to Positive COVID Case	Work with health officials to develop an appropriate response depending on exposure and contact. Individuals testing positive for the COVID virus will be sent home and quarantined per SDDOH guidelines.	Work with health officials to develop an appropriate response depending on exposure and contact. Individuals testing positive for the COVID virus will be sent home and quarantined per SDDOH guidelines.	
Identified Close Contact (Students and Staff)	<u>Symptomatic</u> : Excluded from in-person learning for 10 days from the last date of close contact or a negative COVID test result after day five from the last date of close contact. <u>Asymptomatic</u> : May attend in-person learning following close contact. A face covering should be worn at all times for 10 days from the last date of close contact or a negative COVID test result after day five from the last date of close contact.	<u>Symptomatic</u> : Excluded from in-person learning for 10 days from the last date of close contact or a negative COVID test result after day five from the last date of close contact. <u>Asymptomatic</u> : May attend in-person learning following close contact. A face covering should be worn at all times.	
Reporting/Communication	The district will provide a weekly update to families and staff regarding the number of COVID positive cases per building. All close contacts will be identified and contacted by the district COVID Nurse.	The district will provide a weekly update to families and staff regarding the number of COVID positive cases per building. All close contacts will be identified and contacted by the district COVID Nurse.	
COVID Testing	COVID testing for staff and students will be offered by appointment pending test kit availability.	COVID testing for staff and students will be offered by appointment pending test kit availability.	
Vaccinations	Vaccination events will be promoted by the district.	Vaccination events will be promoted by the district.	
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