Danville CSD Re-Opening

Guidance is in consultation with the Department of Education and Iowa Department of Public Health

0-Minimal up to 5% based upon positivity rate in Des Moines County— On -Site Learning following guideline guidance from the Department of Education and federal, state and local health resources.

Hybrid Option for those parents/guardians that elect on-line learning and filling out required application. If you are requesting remote learning due to COVID-19 health related issues a doctor's note is required. If you are requesting remote learning because of unsure reasons, only the application needs to be filled out.

Students will enter the building and go directly to classrooms. Physical distancing in classes and maintain a 3 to 6 feet distance.

- 2020-2021 Calendar will be adjusted to account for added minutes to each day for "filling the gap" time
- Students and staff will be required to take temperature prior to coming to school, including staying home when sick.
- Students and staff will have the option of mask with the exception of passing time in the junior/high school and the District providing one,
- Hand sanitizing and hand washing will be allotted extra time,
- Parents will be encouraged to transport their children to help with bus capacity, but bus transportation will be available, hand sanitizers equipped on the bus, students will be required to wear mask and assigned seating,
- Students will be invited to bring water bottles for personal use, only water bottle filling stations will be used by students, drinking fountains will be closed,
- Non-essential visitors will not be allowed in the building,
- During breakfast and lunch physical distancing will be in place,
- Staggered passing times and recesses. High school and Junior High students will be required to wear face coverings during passing time. Staff will be required to wear face coverings during student passing time.
- Assigned seating in all classes,
- Staggered times of release for buses, parent pickup, and walkers. Students will be released by the intercom. Buses will be released first to open up the Circle Drive for parents.
- Junior/High School Periods have been modified to account for decreased passing time, added MTSS, and lunchroom scheduling (link to schedule).

<u>6% - 14% positivity rate</u> in Des Moines County-Continued above strategies with added mitigation. Hybrid learning based upon individual needs.

- Face coverings required for staff,
- Face coverings required for students,

<u>15% -20% positivity rate</u> in Des Moines County and 10% absentee rate for those students participating in the in-person learning. Hybrid learning based upon parent/guardian request or

student quarantine. Need to request temporary virtual learning for up to 14 days from the Department of Education and Public Health.

- Continue with above strategies,
- Cancel all school events,
- Start with on-site health checks of student and staff,
- Close all communal areas.

20% positivity rate and higher over the past 14 days.

- Temporary virtual learning for district for up to 14 days
- Please refer to the "Roles and Responsibilities of On-Line Learning".

What the District will evaluate for changes in student learning.

- Positive COVID cases in building, along with the Des Moines County numbers,
- The number of increased mitigation levels in classrooms,
- Guidance from the Iowa Department of Public Health

Symptoms

Please remember the symptoms are those that are not normal for you if students or staff members with any high-risk symptom or two or more low risk symptoms should stay hom and are advised to seek an evaluation from a health providers

- New Cough (High Risk)
- Shortness of Breath(High Risk)
- Difficulty Breathing (High Risk)
- New Loss of Taste or Smell (High Risk)
- Fever (Low Risk)
- Headache (Low Risk)
- Muscle Pain (Low Risk)
- Fatigue (Low Risk)
- Sore Throat (Low Risk)
- Runny Nose (Low Risk)
- Congestion (Low Risk)
- Nausea (Low Risk)
- Vomiting or Diarrhea (Low Risk)

If you have at least two of these symptoms that are not normal to you-10 days self-quarantine and the last 24 hours must be symptom free or a negative test and 24 hours symptom free.

Mandatory Exclusion from school/work due to close contact

Close contact: Individuals who have been within 6 feet for more than 15 minutes with a positive COVID-19 case during the infectious period. Contact may occur in a classroom, lunchroom, free period, during transportation, during practice for extracurricular and during attendance at extracurricular events.

Schools responsibility will be to:

- Contact Des Moines County Public Health,
- Identify close contacts and quarantine exposed student and staff. The District has set-aside a room for such cases,
- Notify school administration, families and staff (without identifying the COVID-19 case)
- Provide Des Moines County Public Health with close contact list.

<u>Students</u> -if no symptoms develop, students can return to school 14 days from their last contact with the COVID-19 case. If symptoms develop student's need to see a health care provider. If student test positive for COVID-19, they should isolate for 10 days. If a student tests negative for COVID-19, they must complete their 14-day quarantine before returning to school.

<u>Staff</u> may be considered critical personnel and can be allowed to return to work if there is a staffing shortage as long as they remain asymptomatic. Staff should take their temperature and screen for symptoms at the start and end of each day, and wear mask at work. If symptoms develop, they must isolate immediately.