

School Metrics Data

Oregon public health officials have developed evidence-based metrics to help school boards and school districts make decisions about how they can safely reopen schools. OHA is working closely with the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) on its Ready Schools, Safe Learners guidance for public and private K-12 schools for the 2020-21 school year.

For a school to return to in-person instruction through ODE's On-Site or Hybrid instructional models, the county metrics below must be met:

Metrics

- For a school district that draws substantial numbers (>10%) of students or staff from multiple counties, the case rate and test positivity rate should be considered in each of those counties.
- Schools must be in a county that is no longer in baseline phase to consider in-person instructional models.

Prioritize On-Site or Hybrid instructional models:

County Metrics - Large Counties ($\geq 30,000$ residents)

» Case rate: <50.0 cases per 100,000 population in the preceding 14 days

» Test positivity: <5.0% in the preceding 14 days

County Metrics - Medium Counties (<30,000 residents)

» Case count: <30 cases in the preceding 14 days

» Test positivity: <5.0% in the preceding 14 days

County Metrics - Small Counties (<15,000 residents)

» Case count: <30 cases in the preceding 14 days

Prioritize careful phasing in of On-Site or Hybrid instructional models for elementary schools:

County Metrics - Large Counties ($\geq 30,000$ residents)

» Case rate: 50.0 to <100.0 cases per 100,000 population in the preceding 14 days

» Test positivity: 5.0% to <8.0% in the preceding 14 days

County Metrics - Medium Counties (<30,000 residents)

» Case count: 30 to <45 cases in the preceding 14 days

» Test positivity: 5.0% to <8.0% in the preceding 14 days

County Metrics - Small Counties (<15,000 residents)

» Case count: 30 to <45 cases in the preceding 14 days

For more information on the metrics and on the exceptions to these metrics, visit

<https://www.oregon.gov/ode/students-and-family/healthsafety/documents/ready%20schools%20safe%20learners%202020-21%20guidance.pdf>

Weekly Monitoring Periods From Nov. 15 – Dec. 12

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County	County Size	Time Period	Case Count	Cases per 100,000	Test Positivity
Oregon, statewide		11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	17,206	406.1	7.9%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	19,275	455.0	8.3%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	19,792	467.2	7.8%
Baker	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	66	392.4	28.2%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	69	410.3	21.3%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	81	481.6	18.6%
Benton	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	170	180.2	2.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	191	202.4	3.2%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	284	301.0	3.7%
Clackamas	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	1,575	372.0	8.9%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	1,932	456.3	8.3%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	1,989	469.8	7.1%
Clatsop	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	58	147.5	6.7%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	77	195.8	7.4%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	94	239.0	7.6%
Columbia	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	153	290.1	8.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	172	326.1	8.0%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	159	301.4	6.0%
Coos	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	87	137.5	3.3%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	130	205.4	4.5%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	156	246.5	4.8%
Crook	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	63	268.8	6.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	97	413.8	8.6%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	118	503.4	9.7%
Curry	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	52	226.1	7.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	59	256.5	8.7%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	72	313.0	7.1%
Deschutes	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	718	372.0	7.1%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	907	469.9	8.1%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	855	443.0	6.7%

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Douglas	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	310	276.2	5.2%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	267	237.9	5.0%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	271	241.4	4.8%
Gilliam	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	4	200.9	3.1%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	3	150.7	5.6%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	2	100.5	4.9%
Grant	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	69	937.5	13.3%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	20	271.7	5.8%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	24	326.1	14.2%
Harney	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	34	462.0	9.9%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	25	339.7	8.1%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	18	244.6	7.5%
Hood River	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	79	310.1	5.7%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	128	502.4	6.7%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	176	690.8	8.1%
Jackson	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	986	445.6	8.8%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	1,027	464.1	8.5%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	1,029	465.0	8.4%
Jefferson	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	151	633.3	13.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	176	738.2	15.2%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	312	1,308.6	13.7%
Josephine	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	190	219.0	5.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	223	257.1	6.7%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	286	329.7	7.9%
Klamath	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	347	508.9	10.2%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	475	696.6	13.2%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	516	756.7	12.5%
Lake	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	69	853.9	6.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	53	655.9	5.0%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	42	519.7	4.1%

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Lane	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	1,039	274.2	3.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	1,096	289.3	4.0%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	1,265	333.9	4.3%
Lincoln	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	77	159.6	3.1%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	131	271.4	8.1%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	149	308.7	8.7%
Linn	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	329	260.0	6.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	500	395.1	11.4%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	640	505.7	10.6%
Malheur	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	229	714.9	20.2%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	229	714.9	17.0%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	215	671.2	16.4%
Marion	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	1,701	489.1	10.3%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	2,004	576.3	12.3%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	2,196	631.5	12.7%
Morrow	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	64	504.6	15.4%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	88	693.8	18.0%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	89	701.7	16.6%
Multnomah	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	4,520	550.1	8.2%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	4,388	534.0	8.2%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	4,094	498.2	7.2%
Polk	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	358	431.6	10.0%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	382	460.6	10.9%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	333	401.5	8.4%
Sherman	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	0	0.0	0.0%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	1	56.4	1.8%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	3	169.3	2.5%
Tillamook	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	31	117.0	4.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	48	181.2	5.6%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	60	226.4	4.8%

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Umatilla	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	469	577.9	12.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	559	688.8	14.3%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	542	667.8	12.2%
Union	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	184	685.5	17.9%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	156	581.2	12.9%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	121	450.8	8.8%
Wallowa	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	2	28.0	1.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	2	28.0	0.8%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	3	42.0	0.0%
Wasco	Medium‡	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	115	422.2	7.3%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	139	510.3	7.9%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	166	609.5	6.2%
Washington	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	2,532	412.8	8.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	3,160	515.2	8.4%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	2,981	486.0	7.5%
Wheeler	Small*	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	2	139.1	12.5%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	5	347.7	23.5%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	8	556.3	11.1%
Yamhill	Large†	11/15/2020 - 11/28/2020	373	345.2	6.6%
		11/22/2020 - 12/05/2020	356	329.4	6.3%
		11/29/2020 - 12/12/2020	443	410.0	6.3%

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