

- Escuelas y distritos académicamente reconocidos por el estado
- Iniciativa de aprendizaje digital uno a uno
- Cursos STEM K-12
- Cursos de Bellas Artes K-12
- Cinco áreas de respaldo: STEM, negocios e industria, servicio público, Artes y humanidades y estudios multidisciplinarios
- Cursos de doble crédito
- Cursos de nivel avanzado
- Cursos técnicos y de carrera
- Capítulo competitivo de la FFA
- Planta de procesamiento de carne
- Equipos académicos, bellas artes y atléticos de la UIL clasificados por el estado
- Personal altamente calificado y comprometido

Distrito Escolar Independiente de Van Vleck

Regreso seguro a la escuela y plan de continuidad de los servicios

- *Actualizado el 7 de enero de 2022*

Estimados padres y empleados:

Permanecemos abiertos con éxito durante el año escolar 2020-2021 y abrimos el año escolar 2021-2022 el lunes 16 de agosto de 2021 con instrucción presencial en nuestras aulas. La seguridad y el bienestar de todos nuestros estudiantes, empleados y visitantes son la máxima prioridad, y continuaremos siguiendo los procedimientos y las pautas de seguridad recomendados por la Agencia de Educación de Texas (TEA) y el Departamento de Servicios de Salud del Estado de Texas (DSHS). Nuestro objetivo es garantizar que todos los estudiantes, empleados y visitantes en las instalaciones del distrito permanezcan seguros y protegidos en la mayor medida posible.

Este documento reitera el Protocolo de Enfermedades y Servicios de Salud del Distrito Escolar Independiente de VanVleck: Respuesta a COVID-19 para el año escolar 2021-2022. [Creado para SY21-22: 5 de junio de 2021, actualizado el 5 de agosto de 2021, actualizado el 19 de agosto de 2021, actualizado el 20 de septiembre de 2021, *actualizado el 7 de enero de 2022*] y consiste en los procedimientos de prevención que estamos utilizando para el regreso seguro a instrucción y aprendizaje en persona este año. Este Plan de Regreso Seguro a la Escuela y Continuidad de los Servicios también incluye información sobre cómo proporcionaremos la continuidad de los servicios, utilizaremos los fondos de ESSER III y abordaremos las necesidades sociales y emocionales de los estudiantes y el personal.

Como mínimo, este plan se revisará y, según corresponda, se revisará a intervalos de seis meses. Si son necesarios ajustes durante el año escolar, le informaremos de inmediato sobre los cambios y actualizaciones, y le proporcionaremos la información más actualizada en el sitio web de nuestro distrito.

Si tiene preguntas sobre nuestros procedimientos y plan o cualquier información sobre Van Vleck ISD, haga clic en www.vvisd.org o envíe un correo electrónico a nuestros contactos del distrito a continuación:

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Esperamos un gran año escolar 2021-2022 y agradecemos su apoyo.

**Actualizaciones para el 7 de enero de 2022: El Protocolo de Enfermedades y Servicios de Salud del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Van Vleck: Respuesta a COVID-19 para el documento del año escolar 2021 según las actualizaciones del Comisionado y el Anexo n.º 3 El Equipo de Salud/Seguridad de Van Vleck ISD 2021-2022 Documentos de recursos por cambios de personal.*

Atentamente

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Objetivos

1. Procedimientos de salud y seguridad
2. Instrucción y continuidad de los servicios
3. Necesidades sociales, emocionales y físicas de los estudiantes y el personal
4. Comunicación

Sección uno - Procedimientos de salud y seguridad

Haga clic aquí para ver el Protocolo de Enfermedades y Servicios de Salud del Distrito Escolar Independiente de VanVleck: Respuesta a COVID-19 para el año escolar 2021-2022. [Creado para SY21-22: 5 de junio de 2021, actualizado el 5 de agosto de 2021, actualizado el 19 de agosto de 2021, actualizado el 20 de septiembre de 2021, **actualizado el 7 de enero de 2022**]. También puede ver el contenido de este documento como Anexo n.º 1 Aquí en. La seguridad y el bienestar de todos nuestros estudiantes, empleados y visitantes son una prioridad y continuaremos siguiendo los procedimientos y las pautas de seguridad recomendadas por la Agencia de Educación de Texas (TEA) y el Departamento Estatal de Servicios de Salud de Texas (DSHS).). Si tiene preguntas o inquietudes sobre el Protocolo de enfermedades de VVUSD, comuníquese con healthservices@vvisd.org y/o (979) 245-8518.

Sección dos: instrucción y continuidad de los servicios

Instrucción y continuidad de los servicios

- VVUSD proporcionará aprendizaje presencial 5 días a la semana.
- Al igual que con todos los protocolos de nuestros programas especiales / federales, los estudiantes que tengan una condición médica que califique o una situación que les impida asistir a la escuela cara a cara pueden tener acceso a la instrucción facilitada en el hogar a partir del 27 de septiembre de 2021.

Ayuda de emergencia para escuelas primarias y secundarias (ESSER)

Como parte del Plan de Rescate Estadounidense en respuesta a la pandemia de COVID -19, el gobierno federal proporcionó fondos adicionales a las escuelas en los distritos de todo el país para abordar el impacto de la pandemia en los estudiantes durante los próximos años. En la primavera, Van Vleck ISD solicitó comentarios de las partes interesadas a través de Google Surveys para ayudar a determinar cómo se deben utilizar los fondos de ESSER III. Se desarrolló un plan y se celebró una reunión pública el 21 de junio de 2021 para compartir el plan. La solicitud de VVUSD para estos fondos fue enviada a TEA y ha sido aprobada. En VVUSD, las prioridades de los fondos ESSER III proporcionarán lo siguiente:

- Aulas y profesores compatibles
- Personal adicional de apoyo educativo;
- Intervención dirigida (grupo completo, grupo pequeño e individual) para ELL, SPED, 504 y RTI;
- Comentarios sobre el ciclo de calificación de TTESS y TPESS;
- Capacitación de aprendizaje acelerado;

- Plan de desarrollo profesional continuo: capacitación en integración de tecnología, cumplimiento y prácticas de instrucción
- Entrenamiento instructivo (Academia de lectura K-3, Comunidades de aprendizaje profesional (PLC) Aprendizaje acelerado, Cultura colaborativa); y
- Incentivo de retención de personal

- Materiales de instrucción de alta calidad

- Sistema de gestión de aprendizaje: plataformas de currículo adoptadas por Google Classroom y TEA;
- Software de aprendizaje combinado - Programa de estudios y progreso básico digital y consumible aprobado por el distrito;
- Programas de seguimiento: Istation Reading & Math, Edmentum: Study Island, Edgenuity, Renaissance, DMAC, etc .; y
- Otros recursos educativos basados en las necesidades identificadas del campus

- Tiempo adicional

- Horario maestro ajustado para propósitos de instrucción de estudiantes y personal;
- Soporte instructivo integrado durante los períodos de diferenciación durante el día, el período de la pata y la tutoría después del colegio ;
- Sesiones de aceleración los sábados; y
- Campamentos de aceleración de verano

- Apoyo a la salud mental y emocional

- Apoyo de consejería adicional de Consejeros de Comunidades en las Escuelas (Primaria y Secundaria);
- Equipo y recursos de salud y seguridad en todo el distrito;
- Implementación de equipos SEL de campus y distrito; y
- Asociaciones de la comunidad empresarial e industrial y apoyo para promover un clima positivo para el personal y

estudiantes: MEHOP, Matagorda Regional Medical Center, First State Bank Louise, Bay Cel Federal Credit Union, VVUSD Education Foundation, NPI, Tenaris, PBK, STP, Edgenuity, varias iglesias locales, etc.

- Apoyo a las instalaciones

- Dispositivos tecnológicos, actualizaciones de infraestructura (ancho de banda, eléctrico);
- Seguridad: protocolos de limpieza de HVAC y desinfectantes;
- Espacios de instrucción especializados; y
- Señalización y EPP proporcionados

Calendario academico

Vea el Calendario 2021-2022 de Van Vleck ISD como Anexo # 2 adjunto aquí.

Instrucción acelerada

Se espera que los maestros enseñen y que los estudiantes aprendan los conocimientos y habilidades esenciales de Texas para su nivel de grado y materia actual. El Plan de Aprendizaje Acelerado del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Van Vleck incluye apoyo para maestros y estudiantes en todas las áreas de contenido básico, pero particularmente en Lectura, Artes del Lenguaje y Matemáticas.

Las estrategias clave de aceleración del aprendizaje incluyen:

- priorizar los conocimientos y habilidades esenciales a nivel de grado; y
- usar instrucción basada en evidencia para todas las materias básicas para cerrar las brechas experimentadas por la pandemia COVID-19

Asistencia

Según el Código de Educación de Texas (TEC), §25.092, los estudiantes deben asistir al 90% de los días en que se ofrece un curso para recibir crédito por el curso y / o para ser promovidos al siguiente grado. Para obtener más información, consulte la sección Ausencias / Asistencia del Manual y Código de Conducta del Estudiante de VVISD 2021-2022:

Haga clic aquí:

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Addendum #1

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Student Illness Protocol

Updated 1/7/22

Exclusion for Illness	Readmittance Requirements
Fever	May return when 24 hrs fever free without the use of fever suppressing medication
Nausea, Vomiting and/or Diarrhea	May return when 24 hrs free of symptoms/fever without the use of symptom/fever suppressing medications
Bacterial Infections (pink eye, strep throat, etc.)	May return 24 hours after starting antibiotics for a variety of bacterial infections or when medically cleared by a physician. Please refer to the exclusion criteria above for fever
Undiagnosed, new, and/or untreated rash or skin condition (i.e. hives, wound with purulent drainage, etc.)	May return when medically cleared & treatment has been started. Open wounds must stay covered with a bandage. Ringworm must stay covered by clothing or a bandage
<u>ANY COMMUNICABLE DISEASE/SUSPECTED COMMUNICABLE DISEASE</u> <i>For more information regarding school exclusion criteria and a more comprehensive list of communicable diseases, please review the following link to the Texas Administrative Code: 25 Tex. Admin. Code § 97.7</i>	May return by submitting documentation of the attending physician, advanced practice nurse, or physician assistant attesting that the individual does not currently have signs or symptoms of a communicable disease or to the disease's non-communicability in a school setting. For attendance purposes, please submit as soon as possible or upon the individual's return

For a complete list of all diseases requiring exclusion from school and the readmission criteria, please visit [DSHS School Health Recommendations for the Prevention and Control of Communicable Diseases in a Group-Care Setting](#).

Health Services: Response to COVID-19 for the 2021-2022 School Year

Learning Method:

- VVUSD will provide face-to-face learning 5 days a week.
- As with all of our special/federal programs' protocols, students who have a qualifying medical condition or situation which prevents them from attending school face-to-face may have access to facilitated homebound instruction or remote conferencing.

Hygiene:

- **Self Monitoring:** There is no formal screening process of students and visitors. Students, Staff, & Visitors are asked to monitor their own health and stay home when sick. Temperature checks are encouraged to be done before school and will not be

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implemented into daily screening practices other than for clinic visits as necessary. Staff will complete the daily Catapult-EMS screening procedure prior to entering the building each morning.

- **Masks:** Per GA-38, Masks and face coverings are optional.
- **Handwashing:** Students, staff, & visitors are encouraged to practice good hand hygiene by washing their hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds prior to eating, after using the restroom, and any other time throughout the day. The use of hand sanitizer is encouraged when soap and water is not readily available. Education on hand hygiene will be implemented throughout the school year.
- **Cough & Sneeze Etiquette:** Students, staff, & visitors are encouraged to practice good cough & sneeze etiquette by using the elbow as a barrier or a tissue and then washing their hands instead of using their hands cupped over the mouth and nose.

Visitation:

- Visitation by parents, guardians, & community members will be limited to essential visits until reevaluated.

Sanitization & Disinfection:

- **McLemore:** VVUSD has contracted with McLemore for sanitization and disinfection implementation and protocols. All campuses are disinfected throughout the day as well as after hours as a proactive and precautionary measure. Each building is provided with hand soap, hand sanitizer, paper towels, wipes and disinfectant for use as needed. Classroom desks will continue to be wiped down between use and as needed. RZERO machines are hospital grade and used on a daily basis at each campus.
- **Air Quality:** Our new schools have top of the line air ventilation systems that are routinely inspected and maintained.

Physical Distancing:

- Physical distancing of at least 3 feet will be encouraged and maintained at the maximum capability, however, there are times when this may not be possible.
- Plexiglass Desk Shields will be made available upon request and are encouraged.
- Face-to-face meetings are permitted. Capacity and attendance limits have been lifted unless otherwise specified under certain circumstances.

Athletics and Extracurricular Activities:

- On campus extracurricular activities are permitted with this guidance in place. UIL sanctioned events and programs, such as Athletics, are permitted with UIL approved safety guidelines.
- A student who has been diagnosed with COVID-19 must receive clearance from a physician prior to returning to participation in all extracurricular activities.
- <https://www.uil-texas.org/policy/2021-22-policy-info/2021-2022-uil-risk-mitigation-guidelines>

Transportation:

- Students must sanitize their hands upon entering the buses.
- Buses will be sanitized regularly for precautionary reasons.
- When weather permits, windows may be opened for air flow.
- Masks are optional, as per the explanation above under "Masks."

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School Closures:

- We do not anticipate school closures. However, should conditions change and a VVUSD school or building need to close, the determination will be made on a case-by-case basis by a collaborative team consisting of VVUSD Administration and Health Services in consultation with the Department of State Health Services (DSHS).

Clinic visits:

- Students reporting to the health clinic will receive a temperature check upon entry. The District Nurse and/or her designee will follow the exclusion criteria from the *Texas Administrative Code*: [25 Tex. Admin. Code § 97.7](#) for signs and symptoms of COVID-19.
 - A school administrator *shall* exclude from attendance any child having or suspected of having COVID-19. Exclusion shall continue until the readmission criteria for the conditions are met.
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Positive COVID-19 Cases:

As provided in this Department of State Health Services (DSHS) Rule, school systems must exclude students from attending school in person who are actively sick with COVID-19 or who have received a positive test result for COVID-19. Parents must ensure they **do not** send a child to school on campus if the child has COVID-19 symptoms or is test-confirmed with COVID-19, until the conditions for re-entry are met. *Visitors* must remain off of the premises if they have COVID-19 symptoms or are test-confirmed with COVID-19 until the conditions for re-entry are met. **Per the mandatory DSHS rule** (<https://dshs.texas.gov/covid19readmission/>): Upon the notification of a positive COVID-19 test result, the individual will be excluded from the premises until cleared by the following criteria:

→ **For those who have symptoms of COVID-19 & Test POSITIVE:**

The school system will screen the individual to determine the below conditions for campus re-entry have been met:

- ◆ at least **10 days** have passed since symptom onset,
- ◆ fever free (for 24 hours without the use of fever suppressing medications. Fever is a temperature of 100° Fahrenheit (37.8° Celsius) or higher), and
- ◆ and other symptoms have improved.

→ **For those who have NOT had COVID-19 Symptoms but Tested POSITIVE:**

Individuals who test positive for COVID-19 but *do not have any symptoms* must stay home until at least 10 days after the day they were tested.

→ **If the individual is excluded from school by the District RN and/or her designee for having suspected symptoms of COVID-19 in reference to the mandatory DSHS rule regarding readmission, the individual must either:**

- ◆ obtain a medical professional's note clearing the individual for return based on an alternative diagnosis, though for health privacy reasons the note does not need to indicate what the alternative diagnosis is, or
 - ◆ obtain an acute infection test at an approved testing location (<https://tdem.texas.gov/covid-19/>) that comes back negative for COVID-19.
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Close Contacts:

→ Definition of Close Contact:

- ◆ Close Contact through Proximity and Duration of Exposure: Someone who was within 6 feet of an infected person (laboratory-confirmed or a clinically compatible illness) for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period (for example, three individual 5-minute exposures for a total of 15 minutes). An infected person can spread SARS-CoV-2 starting from 2 days before they have any symptoms (or, for asymptomatic patients, 2 days before the positive specimen collection date), until they meet criteria for discontinuing home isolation.
- ◆ Exception: In the K-12 indoor classroom setting, the close contact definition excludes students who were within 3 to 6 feet of an infected student (laboratory-confirmed or a clinically compatible illness) if both the infected student and the exposed student(s) correctly and consistently wore well-fitting masks the entire time. *This exception does not apply to teachers, staff, or other adults in the indoor classroom setting.*

→ Public Health Recommendations:

- ◆ Except in certain circumstances, people who have been in close contact with someone who has COVID-19 should quarantine. However, the following people with recent exposure may NOT need to quarantine:
 - People who have been fully vaccinated
 - People who were previously diagnosed with COVID-19 within the last three months

Response to Close Contacts/Close Contact Household members:

- If the VVUSD school systems are made aware that a student is a close contact in the school setting, we will notify that student's parent/guardian as soon as possible.
 - ◆ Parents of students who are determined to be close contacts of an individual with COVID-19 *may opt to keep their students at home during the recommended stay-at-home period.*
 - ◆ *Parents who opt to send their children to school in the two weeks following exposure are encouraged to closely monitor their children for symptoms.*
- For individuals who are determined to be close contacts, the stay-at-home period can end for students experiencing no symptoms on Day 10 after close contact exposure, if no subsequent COVID-19 testing is performed. Alternatively, students can end the stay-at-home period if they receive a negative result from a PCR acute infection test after the close contact exposure ends.

Contact Tracing:

- Given the data from school year 2020-21 showing very low COVID-19 transmission rates in a classroom setting and data demonstrating lower transmission rates among children than adults, *school systems are not required to conduct COVID-19 contact tracing. Van Vleck ISD will not be conducting in depth contact tracing, however; each positive case and student exposure will be handled on a case by case basis.*

Attendance:

- Absences accrued by exclusion due to a positive COVID-19 test will be considered excused if a doctor's note is provided. Make-Up school work can be coordinated between the student's parent/guardian, the campus principal, and the student's teachers. For more information regarding attendance, please contact your student's campus.

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Reporting:

- If an individual who has been in a school is lab-confirmed to have COVID-19, the school *must* notify its local health department, in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations, including confidentiality requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).
- Upon receipt of information that any teacher, staff member, student, or visitor at a school is test-confirmed to have COVID-19, the school must submit a report to the Texas Department of State Health Services via an online form. The report must be submitted each Monday for the prior seven days (Monday-Sunday).
- Cases are tracked on a dashboard maintained by the Texas COVID-19 Education Committee (TCEC) and used to inform the Governor's Office, DSHS, and TEA executive staff, LEAs, and other stakeholders.
 - ◆ VVISD Positive cases can be accessed weekly at this public link:
<https://dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus/schools/texas-education-agency/>

Communication:

- Consistent with school notification requirements for other communicable diseases, and consistent with legal confidentiality requirements, schools must notify all teachers, staff, and families of all students in a classroom or extracurricular or after-school program cohort if a test-confirmed COVID-19 case is identified among students, teachers or staff who participated in those classrooms or cohorts.
- Parents of students who are believed to be close contacts will be notified.
- Parents of students who show symptoms of COVID-19 in the school setting will be notified immediately.
 - ◆ Please make sure your contact information in Parent Portal is up to date at all times for timely communication
- To ensure safe face-to-face experiences, VVISD will maintain consistent communication with local health authorities and the Department of State Health Services (DSHS).
- Regular and routine updates will be provided to students, staff, parents/guardians, and the community by the District Nurse, Campus Principals and the Superintendent of Schools.
 - ◆ The *VVISD Case Count Dashboard* will be updated weekly on Monday for the prior seven days (Monday-Sunday) and can be accessed at the following link: https://sites.google.com/vvisd.org/vvisdcovidresources/covid-19_1

The health and safety of our students, staff, and community remains the #1 priority.

For questions or concerns, contact us at healthservices@vvisd.org and/or 979-245-8518.

Resources:

[TEA Public Health Planning Guidance](#)

[25 Tex. Admin. Code § 97.7](#)

<https://dshs.texas.gov/covid19readmission/>

<https://dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus/schools/texas-education-agency/>

https://dshs.texas.gov/IDCU/health/schools_childcare/School-Health.aspx

<https://www.uil-texas.org/policy/2021-22-policy-info/2021-2022-uil-risk-mitigation-guidelines>

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Addendum #2



2021 Van Vleck ISD 2022



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1st Semester - 1st=8/16-9/24(13,195 min.); 2nd=9/27-10/29 (11,375 min.); 3rd=11/1-1/7 (13,920 min.)

2nd Semester - 4th=1/10-2/21 (13,650 min.); 5th=2/22-4/8 (12,740 min.); 6th=4/11-5/26 (14,375 min.)

Total Minutes 79,255

[] End of 6 Weeks Student Holiday >> 9/6, 10/11, 11/22-26, 12/20-1/7, 1/17, 2/21, 3/4, 3/14-18, 4/15-18

New Teacher Day	Teacher Workday	Early Dismissal	In-service Day	Baccalaureate & Commencement	Eligible Comp Days
8/3/2021	8/3-9, 8/13, & 5/27-6/1	12/17 & 5/26	8/10-12, 10/11, 1/7 & 2/21	5/22 & 5/26	8/3-6 & 5/31-6/1

Administration

John R. O'Brien, Superintendent	(979)323-5001
Gayle Blackmon, Asst. Supt. Finance	(979)323-5002
Christie Dement, Asst. Supt. Cur-Fed Prog	(979)323-5007
Randy Keys, Technology Director	(979)323-5056
Rodney Dowell, Athletic Director	(979)323-5098
Rachel Clakley, Band Director	(979)323-5085
Bonnie Brown, Food Service Director	(979)323-5060
Lyndee Owen, District BSN-RN	(979)323-5036

Chris Townsend, VVHS Principal	(979)323-5019
Brandon Hood, VVJH Principal	(979)323-5120
Victor Pena, Pre-K - 5 Principal	(979)323-5040
Matt Steiner, VVHS Asst. Principal	(979)323-5154
Robert Blackmon, VVJH Dean of Students	(979)323-5135
Amy Matchett, Dir. Student Info. Systems	(979)323-5057
Louis Ryman, Director of Operations	(979)323-5064
Fred Wesselski, Chief of Police	(979)323-5149

School Board

Regular school board meetings -- Administration Bldg. 142 S. 4th Street, Van Vleck, TX - see web & postings for time
7/19/21, 8/16/21, 9/27/21, 10/18/21, 11/15/21, 1/10/22, 2/14/22, 3/21/22, 4/25/22, 5/16/22, 6/20/22

Board Approved: March 22, 2021

Addendum #3

2021-2022 Van Vleck ISD Health/Safety Team & Resources

Van Vleck ISD Counseling Team

Jeremy Rodriguez – BA - PK-6 Communities in Schools Site Coordinator
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Jennifer Zuniga – BA - 6-12 Communities In School Site Coordinator (979)
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Rome Buckalew – M.A.Ed in Counseling – 9-12 VVHS Counselor – (979)
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Michelle Weathers – M.A.Ed Counseling in – 6-8 VVJH Counselor – (979)
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Kari Button – M.A.Ed in Counseling – Pre-K - 5 VVE Counselor – (979) 323-
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Amy Matchett – M.A.Ed. in Counseling – Director of Student Information
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Christie Dement – M.A.Ed. in Counseling, M.A.Ed. in Administration –
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Van Vleck ISD Nurse Team

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Gwen Franklin – District CMA – (979) 323-5119 or work cell (979) 429-0216
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LaKeisha Polk – District CMA – (979) 323-5016 or work cell (979) 429-0836
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Carla Bujnoch – District CNA – (979) 323-5081 or work cell (979) 557-9082
cbujnoch@vvisd.org

Crystal Gartica – District CNA – (979) 323-5165 cgartica@vvisd.org

Van Vleck ISD Police Chief

Chief Fred Wesselski – District Police Officer – (979) 429-0298
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Van Vleck Administrator Team

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Victor Pena – VVE Principal – (979) 323-5038 vpena@vvisd.org

Partners, Providers, & Organizations recommended by VVISD

Economic Action Committee of the Gulf Coast

<https://eacofthegulfcoast.com/>

EAC currently has funding to assist with electric and gas bills. If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, please contact our office at 979-245-6901 as soon as possible to speak to a case manager to obtain an application and schedule an appointment. You must meet eligibility requirements to qualify.

Matagorda County Love Thy Neighbor

(979) 318-6939

Joanna Holt

Gulf Coast Special Education – (Van Vleck ISD, Tidehaven ISD, & Matagorda ISD)

(979) 318-7600

Stacie Presley, M.A. Psychology/LSSP

Crystal Sloan, M.A. Psychology/LSSP

MEHOP – (Bay City)

(979) 245-2008

Women's Crisis Center – (Bay City)

(979) 245-9299 – Local Crisis Line

1(800) 451-9235 – 24-Hour Crisis Hotline

Texana Centers – (Bay City, Wharton, & Rosenberg)

Crisis Hotline – 1(800) 633-5686

Bay City Line – (979) 245-9231

Wharton line – (979) 532-1913

Harris Counseling Solutions, PLLC – (Bay City)

(979) 245-8100

Matagorda Regional Medical Center Emergency Room – (Bay City)

(979) 241-3319

Sardelich Counseling & Consulting – Making Families Strong – (Angleton)

(979) 848-0766

Liz Sardelich – MA, LPC-S, LMFT

BACODA – (Bay City)

(979) 323-9608

Carie Fletcher – LCDE, CPS, SAP

Kids in Distress – (Bay City) See VVISD Campus Counselors for more information

Kim Marceaux – M.Ed

Youth & Family Counseling Services

Marcietta Moore (979) 849-7751

Other Mental Health Resources – Click on the hotlinks below:

<https://mentalhealthtx.org/> - Get help with Suicide Prevention, Trauma, Anxiety, Depression, Bipolar Disorder, Psychosis, Substance Use, etc.

[DSHS Mental Health Support – Texas Department of State Health Services](#)

[Texas Health and Human Services – Mental Health & Substance Abuse](#)

[Nation Suicide Prevention Lifeline](#) – Or Call - 1(800) 273-8255 (24/7 – free and confidential)

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: **800-273-8255**

Crisis Text Line – To Reach A Crisis Counselor:
Text HOME to 741741

Crisis Hotline For Family Violence & Sexual Assault:
800-451-9235

VVISD Police Chief:
979-429-0298

VVISD Counselor Hot Line:
979-429-0484

