

Wiley School District Reopening Plan

The Wiley School Board and Administration understand the challenges of the Covid 19 pandemic, but we also know the challenges of our children not being able to learn at school. We believe that the best learning environment for our students is face to face with a caring and engaged school staff that will help to provide the best opportunity for academic and social emotional growth. We believe in the least restrictive environment that allows for responsible interactions amongst students and staff.

To that end: **Wiley School District will open its doors to all staff and students as scheduled, onsite and in person.**

The following are items to be noted:

-Regular cleaning and disinfecting- In addition to our normal cleaning procedures, we will use a disinfecting “fog” in each classroom at least twice per week with our disinfecting machine. Hand sanitizers will be placed throughout the building and classrooms and hand washing will be constantly encouraged. We are also converting a number of touch surfaces to no touch options. Toilet flushers have been replaced with no-touch automatic flushers. Bathroom faucets are being replaced with no-touch faucets. Light switches are being replaced with sensors to limit touch surfaces.

-Appropriate social distancing- In a school environment we understand that not all students and staff will be able to maintain six feet of separation at all times, but we will try to create solutions and situations that allow for the best possible social distancing. This means limiting seating at lunch tables, lunch schedules that reduce the amount of people in the lunchroom at one time and cohort groups to the extent that we are able to with minimal disruption to the learning environment.

-Protocols for illness- Anytime that a student or staff member is ill we ask that they stay home and utilize our digital communication options to communicate with teachers/administration. Anytime that a student or staff member stays home due to illness, they will not be allowed back in school without a temperature check and health check.

If a student becomes ill at school, they will be given a new mask to wear, will be placed in the nurse's office and parents will be contacted. At no time are students or staff to enter school when they have a fever, which is qualified as 100.4 or above. Each parent should monitor their students daily and do an at home health check that would identify any of the following symptoms:

- Fever or chills
- Cough

- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

If any of these symptoms occur then the student or staff member should not come to school.

-Should a staff member or student be diagnosed as positive with Covid 19 we will work with the county health department on what the current action and response should be. At minimum, we will work to establish contact tracing and make those aware that may have been in contact with an infected person.

When necessary, normal attendance policies for staff and students may be adjusted by the superintendent.

The potential exists for schools to change to an at home or distance learning system. If this were to occur plans will be communicated to the public. In preparation for this potential the school will continue to develop usage of technology that will benefit both in person and distance learning if necessary.

These guidelines are subject to change.

For further guidance or rationale please go to the Colorado Department of Education website and the Colorado Department of Public Health website .

Thank you.

Mr. Bollinger