

At the BOE meeting last night we presented our COVID-19 Response Guide for a first read. Our BOE members had an opportunity to read it and ask questions. Some of you also have had discussions with your building Principals regarding different possibilities within these plans. We understand that this plan is not perfect and we know it will be a work in progress as we continue to learn together what actions are best for our students and staff. There are many questions that remain unanswered and we will continue to work to find answers.

I have attached links below to the Response Guide and the Learning options for each site. I have also attached the two calendar options. One is our original calendar & the calendar 1 option is a new calendar that has built in Distance learning days that have been advised to include from our State Superintendent. Calendar 1 also moves a professional development day from January to August 13th. The expectation on the built in distance learning days is that all staff come to work, teachers spend half the day teaching in a distance learning format and the other half collaborating with their peers in their Professional Learning Communities. These days would be protected for those purposes only. On these days, our support staff would also have expectations such as office work and deep cleaning that would enable us to

clean thoroughly without students on site. Also, our child nutrition staff will be serving Grab and Go meals on all distance learning days. We feel that one day per month of distance learning built into the calendar gives us a balance that allows for teacher collaboration and the continued development of the skills needed for distance learning without overly stressing our families with the burden of child care needs.

Our goal right now is to gather more specific feedback from all stakeholders. Below & above are all relevant links and attachments that you need to help our district make the best decisions for our students, staff and community.

If you have input regarding the plan please use the survey below to give us that information. The final plan must be BOE approved so we will either have a Special board meeting or will ask for the approval during the August BOE meeting. I am communicating with our BOE on when we will put the plan before them for approval. They also understand that even though it must be approved, it can change as we progress into the school year

The survey will be closed on Friday at noon. We will also be sharing this out with our community asking for their input as well.

Thank you so much!
Tony Sappington

[Original calendar](#)

[Calendar One Option](#)

[COVID-19 Response Guide](#)

[Covid-19 School Response Survey](#)

[OHS Learning Options](#)

[OMS Learning Options](#)

[OLE/OUE Learning Options](#)

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