



THE SPARTAN PLEDGE

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“The current pandemic has highlighted our interdependence; we are linked to each other, for better or for worse. Therefore, to come out of this crisis better than before, we have to do so together, all of us, in solidarity.”
- Pope Francis

As De La Salle reopens for on-campus learning, we believe that to be successful, it will take every member of our community: students, parents, faculty, and staff. To hold each and every one of us accountable to each other, we have established a set of commitments and expectations to follow. If we experience behaviors that put our students, our families, or the employees of De La Salle at risk, whether it is on-campus activity or off-campus gatherings that are outside of Contra Costa County guidelines, we may have to return to full distance learning as a safety precaution. Returning to campus is a privilege, not a right. It is our responsibility as a community. We need everyone to understand that responsibility and to practice what we know are proper behaviors to limit the spread of this insidious virus. These guidelines define our shared responsibility for common health and safety, informed by science and rooted in the respect we have for one another. [LINK TO COVID PLEDGE](#)

DE LA SALLE'S COMMITMENT TO FAMILIES

- Implement a COVID-19 Health & Safety Reopening Plan grounded in California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and Contra Costa Health Services (CCHS) guidelines
- Strictly enforce all safety protocols and procedures that have been communicated to students and parents
- Clean and sanitize our campus with frequency
- Create clear delineations for campus indoor and outdoor learning spaces, and traffic patterns
- Support COVID-19 testing and contact tracing where necessary
- Enforce guidelines for quarantine and create space for isolation on campus
- Consistently communicate with our parents, students, faculty, and staff
- Maintain a watchful eye for student social-emotional wellbeing and counseling needs

FAMILIES' COMMITMENT TO DE LA SALLE

- Abide by all policies, procedures, and orders related to COVID-19 implemented by the state, county, and School
- Conduct daily symptoms checks, and complete the screening in the DLS Prescreen app with honesty
- Do not come to campus if a student is not feeling well
- Wear a mask over your nose and mouth at all times on campus
- Practice physical distancing of at least six (6) feet whenever feasible on campus
- Follow health and hygiene precautions, including frequent handwashing, sanitizing, and appropriately covering coughs and sneezes
- Respect the visitor policies implemented by the school
- Communicate immediately with the school about possible exposure or a positive diagnosis of COVID-19
- If required, participate willingly in testing, contact tracing, and quarantine protocol
- Follow all large social gathering guidelines as defined by [Contra Costa County](#)

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