## Safe Return to School Plan

**Governing Board Presentation July 28, 2020** 

San Pasqual Union School District Mark Burroughs, Superintendent/Principal "... the AAP strongly advocates that all policy considerations for the coming school year should start with a goal of having students physically present in school. The importance of in-person learning is well-documented, and there is already evidence of the negative impacts on children because of school closures in the spring of 2020."

> "<u>COVID-19 Planning Considerations:</u> <u>Guidance for School Re-entry</u>" American Academy of Pediatrics, June 25, 2020

## Guidance

- <u>County of San Diego Public Health Order</u> (7/21/20)
- <u>California Department of Public Health</u> (CDPH)
- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)
- San Diego County Office of Education (SDCOE)

## Guidance - 6 Focus Groups

SPETA, School Improvement Committee & All Staff

- Staff & Student Safety
- Eager to return to campus
- More PD, instructional tools, & structure
- Safe Return to School Task Force
  - Complimentary of staff
  - Instructional program consistency and structure, but flexibility as needed
  - Planned & purposeful transitions
- Community (Coffee with the Principal)
  - Safety vs In-Person Instruction (83% would return)
  - Mixed views on preferred blended model
  - Seeking answers <u>FAQ Sheet shared</u>
- School Board

## Safe School Reopening Plan

- 1. General Measures
- 2. Promote Health Hygiene Practices
- 3. Intensify Cleaning, Disinfection, and Ventilation
- 4. Implementing Distance Inside and Outside the Classroom
- 5. Limit Sharing
- 6. Train All Staff and Educate Families
- 7. Check for Signs and Symptoms
- 8. Plan for When a Staff Member, Child, or Visitor Becomes Sick
- 9. Maintain Healthy Operations
- 10. Considerations for Partial or Total Closure
- 11. Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan (the newest LCAP)

## The BIG 4!!!





#### 1. Temperature & Symptom Screenings

- Each school is required to implement screening and other procedures for all staff and students entering the facility
- Temperature screenings should be conducted with a no-touch thermometer and screen at a fever threshold of 100 degrees Fahrenheit or more

#### 2. Physical Distancing

- It is recommended that six feet of distance is allowed between individuals where feasible
- Six feet of distance is required between staff and students
- Where six feet of distance is not possible, it is recommended to wear a facial covering





#### 3. Face Coverings

- All staff should use a <u>cloth face covering</u> unless Cal/OSHA standards require respiratory protection. Staff may also wear a face shield
- Schools should consider mandating that students wear face coverings, if feasible. Cloth face coverings are most essential in settings where 6 feet of physical distancing cannot easily be maintained

#### 4. Increased Sanitation

- Schools should teach and reinforce frequent hand washing, avoiding contact with one's eyes, nose and mouth, and covering coughs and sneezes among students and staff
- · Limit use of shared objects and equipment
- Schools should intensify cleaning, disinfection and ventilation



## 2. Promote General Hygiene Practices (cont.) FACIAL COVERINGS

X 2-years to 2nd grade
 "Highly Recommended"
 X 3rd-8th grade
 "Required"
 X Adults

"Required"

- \*\*\*Face shields
  - Special needs & phonological instruction.



## How much \$\$ have we spent so far on COVID-related expenses?

× \$29,260 Classroom Equipment (i.e., devices) × \$ 8,633 Custodial (i.e., sprayers, cleaners) × \$ 3,778 Facilities (i.e., barriers, signage) ★ \$ 5,702 Health (i.e., PPE, hand sanitizers) ✗ \$18,802 Instruction (i.e., software) <u>\$ 58 Supplies (i.e., envelopes, sign holders)</u> \$66,233 TOTAL ×

Future \$\$: Staffing, classroom barriers, outdoor furniture, shade structures, sprayers, PPE, ???

## What Will it Take for SPU to Start the 2020-21 School Year with In-Class Instruction?

- K Governor's "Watch List"K Local Health Dept.
- X Testing Capacity
- × Waivers?
- X Essential Functions?



## Will any kids be permitted to return to campus to start the school year?

- Yes, Preschool scheduled to open 8/19
- Possibly others via waiver process or "essential function" exception,

#### News The Big Picture

New Study Reveals 'Devastating Learning Loss' for Youngest Children, Showing That Preschool Participation Has Fallen by Half During Pandemic — and May Not Improve in the Fall



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P reschool participation has fallen by half during the pandemic, according to <u>new data</u> from the National Institute for Early Education Research. And even with early educators' efforts to connect with students remotely. Rev families have remained consistently involved.

## For now, it's distance learning . . .





## Distance Learning Insights . . .

- Parents pleased with teachers and program
  However . . . very few would choose to repeat it
  Parents and Teachers want more . . .
  - Teaching Time (especially 1-1 & small groups)
  - Interactive engagement
  - Program clarity and consistency
  - Standards-aligned curriculum
  - Accountability for learning
  - Writing instruction and activities

## **Distance Learning Components**

#### Distance learning standards for schools

Following a spring of uneven distance learning expectations for schools across California, the new state budget sets standards for fall instruction.



#### 'Daily live interaction' required

Teachers will have to connect with their students each school day through online instruction and/or phone check-ups.

#### Taking student attendance

Schools must take students' attendance and participation under distance learning, or risk losing state funding. Students who don't participate will factor into schools' chronic absenteeism figures.



#### **Minimum instruction**

Students must receive a minimum amount of daily instruction that can be met by a combination of teacher instruction and "time value" of work assigned.

- 3 hours per day for kindergartners.
- 3 hours, 50 minutes for grades 1-3.
- 4 hours for grades 4-12.



## **Distance Learning Components (cont.)**

#### Serving students in need

Schools have to provide the "accommodations necessary" to serve students with special needs.

#### No set requirements for live instruction

The state does not mandate a minimum daily amount of synchronous, or live, instruction, though experts strongly suggest it be a part of students' distance learning.

#### Preventing disengagement

Schools must form a plan for re-engaging students who are absent from distance learning for more than three schooldays a week.

#### Checking families' connectivity

Schools will have to ensure that students and families have the devices and connectivity necessary to participate in distance learning, or make accommodations if they do not.

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#### Weekly engagement records

An additional data requirement, schools must keep "weekly engagement records" noting how much synchronous or asynchronous instruction a student has received.

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#### Replacing accountability plans

Schools will team up with parents and teachers to create a "learning continuity and attendance plan" by Sept. 30, replacing schools' usual annual planning documents.

## Is There a Difference?

# \* "Distance Learning" × "Virtual Learning" \* "Home School" \* "Blended Learning"

## DRAFT "Virtual Learning" Schedules

Time	TK-5th Grade	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade
8:30-9:00 am	Morning Routine/ SEL	HR/SEL	HR/SEL	HR/SEL
9:00-10:00 am	Math	6A Science M-W 6B Science Tu-Fr 6A History Tu-Fr 6B History M-W	Math	ELA
10:00-10:15 am	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10:15-11:15 am	ELA	Math	ELA	8A Science M-W 8B Science Tu-Fr
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12:30-1:15	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:15-2:15*	Writers' Workshop -Writing Across Curriculum -Arts Integration -Specials	Writers' Workshop -Writing Across Curriculum -Arts Integration	Writers' Workshop -Writing Across Curriculum -Arts Integration	Writers' Workshop -Writing Across Curriculum -Arts Integration
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		6B - Harmon	7B- Buck	8B - Read-Smith
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# When we return to school, will it be in a Blended Learning Model?

**Plan B - Blended Learning Options** 

- 2 Full Days On Campus3 Days Distance Learning
- 4 ½ Days On Campus (AM/PM)
  Remainder Distance Learning
- ¥ 4 Full Days On Campus
  Fridays and alternate weeks Distance Learning

\*All Options with Alpha groupings to keep families on same schedule

### **Questions & Discussion**

