

# DeJean Weekly Communication

## 2021-2022



Welcome Back! Thank you for reading the below information, and thank you for filling out your annual forms.

- **First Day of School**

- **Students will enter through the cafeteria (west side of school, turn around at end of Harry Ells Pl., drop off in white “drop off” section in front of the gym and cafeteria)**
- **Lists will be posted with student names and their first period teacher.**
- **Minimum day dismissal @1:25pm**

- **Mask Requirements**

**Face Coverings:** All adults and students are **required** to wear cloth face coverings or surgical masks while indoors and outdoors at a school site except when eating or drinking.

- **District Precautions**

Regular cleaning/disinfecting

Upgraded HVAC filters

Posted signs across campuses reminding students and staff to frequently wash their hands and to wear face coverings at all times.

Hand sanitizer for classrooms

Students will be encouraged to **eat outdoors** whenever possible.

Surfaces will be **washed and sanitized** before and after meals.

**Single Entrance: All students will enter through the cafeteria.**

- Before leaving home families should conduct a self assessment of student’s health
- Cafeteria doors open at 7:30am
- Students allowed to enter quad area near tables at 7:45am
- Hallway doors are open at 8:25am
- **For the person(s) ill or positive for COVID:**
  - The person must be 10 days from the first date of symptom onset or date the test was taken with a positive result, fever-free for 24 hours without the use of medication, **AND** resolution of overall symptoms.
  - Negative tests are not required before returning to the site.
- **For the person(s) who need to quarantine:**

- Person(s) with a contact within 6 feet for 15 or more minutes to a confirmed case must be quarantined for a full **10 days** from the last date of exposure REGARDLESS of negative test results taken before the 10 day time window ends.
  
- All employees and students (12yrs+) are strongly encouraged to **get vaccinated** for COVID-19
- Unvaccinated or not yet fully vaccinated students and employees shall submit to **weekly covid testing**
- All District employees may choose to get tested and vaccinated through their health care provider
- Employees who **test positive** for COVID-19 will be **required to share their testing results** with their supervisor and follow protocols.
- The District will keep all **test results confidential**.

### **Closure/Shutdown Criteria:**

- **Outbreak** is defined as **3 cases** connected to the same event.
- Sites may **temporarily close for 1-2 days** for cleaning depending on positive scenarios.
- Shutdown for **10-14 days** (Collaboration with County)
- The **Superintendent** has full authority to shut down schools based on outbreak severity.