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In Person Instruction Update

On Tuesday, November 10, 2020, the EDUHSD Board of Trustees took action to move forward with full in person instruction commencing on January 11, 2021 if such a level of reopening is legally permissible and acceptably safe by that date.

Recognizing that our students desperately need more in person support, we also acknowledge that we must do everything that we can to ensure the safety of everyone. We will be working to add additional safeguards to keep our classrooms, offices, and facilities safe.

We will be working to finalize the schedules at each site over the next few weeks as we approach the holidays. Currently, we are discussing a four-day schedule for all students, but final details will take some time to finalize. Information will be coming from each site as we approach the semester break.

The Board of Trustees recognizes that we are currently experiencing a spike in cases and realizes that the holidays will likely bring more community exposure. Based on previous spikes, both here in the County as well as internationally, the anticipation is that numbers will likely be trending downwards as we approach January 11, 2021.

It is a plea for all of us to be thoughtful and careful to practice our safety protocols during this traditional cold and flu season, as well as the holiday season. We all need to support our students and help them to understand that avoiding large group gatherings and implementing safe protocols serve in helping us to keep our schools open.

Finally, for our families with student athletes, we are awaiting guidance from CIF very soon and will update you on what we learn. Please know that we will do everything that we can to help our students compete and, at the same time, be acceptably safe.

Thank you very much for your tireless dedication to our students. Let's collectively do everything that we can to keep our schools safe and encourage our students to do the same.