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EDUHSD Important Update: Hybrid Model

We are eager to provide student(s), teachers, and staff with a healthy return to in-person learning under the hybrid schedule. To do so, we need your support and cooperation with health and safety guidelines and protocol. The following information is also available on the EDUHSD webpage under the "[COVID-19](#)" tab at the top of the homepage. If you wish to have paper copies of this information, please contact your school's Administrative Office.

Communication and coordination with our families, teachers, and staff will be a critical part to reopening in-person instruction for the 2020-2021 school year.

While there is no such thing as zero risk, we have carefully and methodically created systems, protocols, and safety procedures to implement in order to mitigate the impact of any COVID-19 outbreak that may occur within the EDUHSD.

With that said, we are reaching out to you, our families, to join us in a fervent commitment to truly follow the guidelines set forth by the EDUHSD, which have come directly from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) guidelines on July 17, 2020 and the El Dorado County Public Health (EDCPH) document on July 28, 2020. As Dr. Nancy Williams, our El Dorado County Public Health Officer, stated in her message to the EDUHSD on August 14, 2020, " ... the biggest wild card is what students and their families do outside school. If your community members as a whole take the threat of illness seriously and exercise preventive measures to the extent reasonably possible, it should be possible to continue in-person school indefinitely with minimal illness intrusion. However, if parents/guardians send their kids to school when ill or if they or their kids gather without precautions with co-workers, friends, or extended family, it will be hard to keep COVID out of the classrooms."

We challenge each and every one of us to commit to doing all we can to mitigate this virus so that our students, teachers, and staff can remain in school safely and in good health. We thank you in advance for your support and determination to make this happen. We understand that you are receiving many messages regarding school. Please take the time to review this information carefully and thoroughly to avoid challenges to our reopening. We appreciate your cooperation and support to safely re-open schools.

For Your Review/Action:

- [Health and Safety Information/Protocol for EDUHSD Families Return to School, Hybrid](#)
- [EDUHSD Compact for Return to Hybrid In-Person Instruction](#)
- [EDUHSD Compact for Return to Hybrid In-Person Instruction - Google Doc](#)
- [EDUHSD Student Daily Symptom Checker](#)

- **Welcome Back PowerPoint Presentation**