UKIAH UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

UUSD

2020-2021
Family Guide To Reopening

Educational Programs • Health and Safety Protocols • Social-Emotional Support
2020-2021 Educational Programs for UUSD Families

When the 2020-2021 school year begins, our educational programs will look much different than previous years due to health and safety measures and new schedules. The health and safety of our students, staff, and families are of the utmost importance, so as the health conditions change in our community, our instructional model may change. View the complete UUSD Reopening Plan.

All In-Person programs will have the following requirements:
• Additional classroom sanitation protocols.
• 6 feet of physical distance whenever practicable.
• Face coverings required for students and staff except when eating or outside physically distanced.
• Frequent hand washing techniques taught and reinforced.
• Daily health screenings required at home and at school.
• Staggered breaks with physical distancing.
• Protocols for sending students and staff home due to symptoms.
• Access to campus for parents and outsiders is limited and by appointment only.

Traditional Model (All Students Attend School In-Person 5 Days A Week.) Not available at this time.

Hybrid Model (Both In-Person and Distance Learning) Not available at this time.
• Students will be split into two groups, with 50% of them in each group, reducing class size, and the number of students on campus at the same time by one half.
• One group will be referred to as Group A and the other Group B.
• Group A will attend school in person on Monday and Tuesday each week.
• Group B will attend school in person on Thursday and Friday each week.
• All students will learn virtually three days each week at home.
• Both groups will complete a minimum of 240 minutes of Distance Learning assignments and projects each school day when not at school in person.
• If a family has students in multiple grades or more than one school, these students will all attend school on the same days.

Distance Learning Model (100% Distance Learning)
• Direct instruction and online content.
• Teacher-student engagement is required daily during the school week.
• Teacher-student engagement can be live instruction through Zoom or Google, or through assignments, videos, online instruction, technology or classes.
• Through a combination of instruction and activities, students must have a minimum of 240 instructional minutes per day.
• Small group lessons via video chat.
• Daily wellness check-in.
• Teachers will maintain regular scheduled office hours.
• Phone calls for students with connectivity issues.
• Collaborative work with peers (small groups, shared projects).

Independent Study
For some unique situations, Independent Study might be the right option for families. Students are responsible for completing assignments and projects at home and meeting a minimum of once a week for an hour with their teacher. If you believe this might be an option you are interested in, you will need to discuss with your child's principal.
Health and Safety Protocols at UUSD Schools

Health and Safety recommendations are based on information from our County Public Health Officer, Center for Disease Control, and other scientific and educational authorities. Cleaning standards and mitigation efforts will align with current recommendations. View the complete UUSD Reopening Plan.

Schools will implement strategies to encourage behaviors that reduce the spread of COVID-19, such as staying home when appropriate. This applies to students, staff, parents, and members of the community. Employees and students who are sick or who have recently had close contact (longer than 15 minutes within 6 feet of physical distance) with a person with COVID-19 are to stay home.

Staff and students will stay home if they or a member of their household has tested positive for or are showing COVID-19 symptoms.

Hand Hygiene
Schools will teach and reinforce handwashing with soap and water for at least 20 seconds and increase monitoring to ensure adherence among students and staff. All sinks will have hand soap and paper towels.

Each classroom is equipped with a hand sanitizer dispenser at the exterior entrance.

Bulk hand sanitizer stations will be strategically located at schools.

Face Coverings
Students and staff will be required to wear facial coverings while physically attending school except when eating or outside physically distanced. If students do not have a mask, one will be provided.

Physical Distancing
Physical distancing will help limit the spread of the virus. 6 feet of physical distance will be required when students and staff are at school in-person.

Cleaning and Disinfecting
Schools will clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces (e.g., door handles, sink handles, drinking fountains) within the school. Schedules will provide for cleaning during the day and to provide increased cleaning and to disinfect due to COVID-19.

Screening at Home
Families are recommended to take temperatures daily before going to school. Anyone with a fever of 100.4 or higher should not go to a school site. Students and adults should also screen themselves for respiratory symptoms such as cough and shortness of breath prior to coming to school each day. Students and adults experiencing those symptoms should not attend school.
# Social-Emotional Support

UUSD is committed to supporting students’ social-emotional wellness and offering resources to transition back to school smoothly. Support may include wellness check-ins, social-emotional learning, building relationships, community-building activities, and increased access to mental health and wellness services. Families and schools will need to work together to check how students feel and assess their individual needs to provide the support our students need during these challenging times.

If your child is having difficulties, please do not hesitate to reach out for help. Call your child’s school or email their counselor for support.

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**UUSD Distance Learning and Counseling Hotline:** 707-472-5003

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**Mental Health Resources**  
**Mendocino County Crisis Hotline (24 hours a day, 7 days a week): 1-855-838-0404**  
Mendocino County Warm Line: 707-472-2311  
Mendocino County Suicide Prevention Hotline: 1-855-587-6373  
**National Suicide Prevention Hotline:** 1-800-273-TALK (8255)  
**Línea directa nacional española de prevención del suicidio:** 1-888-628-9454  
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline website: [http://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org/](http://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org/)

**Specialty Mental Health Service Providers**  
Manzanita Services: 707-463-0405  
(Peer Support, Wellness, Care Management & Therapeutic Services)

Mendocino County Youth Project: 707-463-4915  
(Prevention & Intervention Services, Counseling Services)

Project Sanctuary: 707-462-9196  
(Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Crisis Intervention)

Redwood Community Services: 707-472-2922  
(Multiple Services: Behavioral Health, Homeless, Crisis, Substance Abuse)

Tapestry Family Services: 707-463-3300  
(Therapeutic Services, Mental Health Treatment, Foster Care)