



COVID-19 Student Prevention Protocols

Conduct a daily self-health assessment at home. Student will be checked before entering any school building.

1. Temperature check – If above 100°, student will not be allowed at school and/or will need to be picked up promptly.
2. If student has experienced any of the following symptoms that are unusual for them, in the last 14 days, student will not be allowed at school and will need to be picked up promptly:
 - Cough
 - Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath
 - Sore throat
 - Chills and body aches
 - Headache
 - New loss of taste or smell
 - Diarrhea
 - Nausea or vomiting

If any of the above symptoms:

- Student is requested to stay home from school
- Student may contact their personal Health Care Provider for assessment

Positive Test: Students who test positive will be instructed to isolate based on current San Joaquin County Public Health Services Isolation Orders.

Exposures: In the past 14 days, if student has been in close contact with anyone who displays the known symptoms above of COVID-19, or has been in close contact with a confirmed positive case of COVID-19, please contact your student's school. You will be asked follow up questions to determine a quarantine timeline, based on current San Joaquin County Public Health Services Quarantine Orders.

Travel: If you have traveled outside of California, we recommend following CDC Travel Recommendations.

Physical Distancing

- Distance yourself from others when possible. In the event of an outbreak, further physical distancing measures may be implemented.

Protecting Self and Others

- Masks are required to be worn at all times indoors for all students, unless a medical exemption is provided. A faceshield may be worn in lieu of a mask only if there is a medical exemption. Masks may be removed for eating/drinking and when outdoors.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Wash your hands frequently with water and soap for at least 20 seconds; especially:
 - after going to the bathroom
 - before eating
 - after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing
 - after touching surfaces in commonly used areas and/or touching shared items
- If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry
- Cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash. If tissues are not available, cough or sneeze into the inside of your elbow

Sanitation

- Using RUSD provided sanitizer, all work surfaces are to be cleaned and disinfected.

Return to School After Symptoms:

The following return to school guidelines are based on California Department of Public Health guidance. A student may return to school after exclusion for symptoms at home or in school when:

- At least 24 hours have passed since resolution of fever without the use of fever-reducing medications; and
- Other symptoms have improved; and
- They have a negative test for SARS-CoV-2, OR a healthcare provider has provided documentation that the symptoms are typical of their underlying chronic condition (e.g., allergies or asthma) OR a healthcare provider has confirmed an alternative named diagnosis (e.g., Streptococcal pharyngitis, Coxsackie virus), OR at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset.

By signing below, I certify that I have been advised of the Ripon USD COVID-19 Student Prevention Protocols and expectations.

Student Signature

Date

Student Name

Parent Signature

Date

Parent Name

*Please return this form completed and signed to your student's school office.