

Superintendent's Update

LCUSD's Response to COVID-19

Closing the 2019-2020 School Year
Reopening Planning for 2020-2021

A Successful Close to the 2019-2020 School Year

- Virtual Celebrations and Certificates of Completion Grades TK - 6
- Virtual Promotions in LCUSD Grades 6 and 8
- Report Cards in Grades 7-12 (62% of students opted in for grades)
- Vehicle Parade and Video Tribute to Celebrate LCHS Senior Class of 2020
- Heartfelt thanks to students, teachers, support staff, parents, administrators and the LCUSD Governing Board

Reopening School Sites
for the 2020-2021
School year

LCUSD Stakeholder Surveys

Parent Surveys: 2096 Responses

Initial Feedback

60% hope to send students to school

21% hope to keep students at home with distance learning

47% comfortable to send students to school on a reduced schedule

18% not sure yet

Parent Survey Feedback

Modified Schedules:

51% Prefer half-days

48% Prefer alternating full-day schedules

LCUSD Stakeholder Surveys

Staff Surveys: 208 Responses

Initial Feedback

20% Very comfortable returning to physical school campus

64% Moderately comfortable returning to physical school campus

16% Not comfortable returning to physical school campus

Staff Survey Feedback

13% want to open the school year with all instruction provided via distance learning

22% have concerns regarding child care for their own family

Considerations - CDE Guidance on School Reopening

- It's guidance not direction
- Required County Health Officer approval following local epidemiological data
- Provides no guidance on sports or extra-curricular activities
- Key Questions: Do you encourage or require masks? What new supplies must be purchased and will they be available? How will you plan to clean, disinfect and ventilate? Can you implement social distancing inside and outside of the classrooms? How will you effectively limit visitors? How will you promote healthy hygiene practices? How will you isolate symptomatic students ensuring supervision?

Considerations - CDE Guidance on School Reopening

- All effects of working conditions must be bargained with LCUSD's associations (LCTA and CSEA)
- All LEAs should plan for rolling closures
- Waivers are needed - and not yet provided (especially requirements on instructional days and instructional minutes)

Next Steps for Planning for Schools to Reopen

- District administration to complete first draft plan
- Notify Reopening Committee (Secondary and Elementary) Participants regarding membership and meeting dates
- Continue to survey stakeholders; share best practices in plan development with other districts; iterate and share draft plans; solicit review feedback from LCUSD Committees
- Target for Reopening Plan Publication - no later than July 31, 2020

Questions and – Discussion