



FULLERTON SCHOOL DISTRICT COVID SAFETY PLAN SUMMARY

School Year 2022/2023

The Fullerton School District (FSD) follows the guidance from state and local educational and public health agencies including, but not limited to, California Department of Public Health (CDPH), California Department of Education (CDE), Orange County Health Care Agency (OCHCA), and Orange County Department of Education (OCDE).

General Safety Information

FSD will promote the safety of all stakeholders by:

- Following the guidance outlined in California's Safe Schools for All. [Click here](#) for the most recent information.
- Developing and posting on the district website a COVID-19 Prevention Program as required by Cal/OSHA.
- Posting information about COVID-19 safety on the district website.
- Updating emergency preparedness and school safety plans to reflect CDPH guidance.
- Consulting with OCHCA regarding the closing of schools and/or the district following an outbreak of multiple positive cases.
- Communicating information about community testing and vaccination sites.
- Training students, staff, and families on COVID-19 safety protocols included in this plan annually and on an ongoing basis as needed. Training includes a combination of video, in-person presentations, and signage throughout the campus/buildings.

Masks

- Facemasks are not required, but strongly recommended by CDPH.
- All students and staff may choose to wear a mask while on District property. Masks are strongly recommended, but not required, while riding on school buses.
- The district will provide surgical and KN95 masks to all employees and students upon request.

Physical Distancing

- There are no minimum physical distancing requirements.
- Barriers, such as plexiglass shields, are not recommended in the CDPH guidance.

Ventilation

- The flow of outside air into all buildings has been increased.

- Air purifiers have been installed throughout the District based on occupancy and request from employees.
- Merv 13 combined with ionation technology is used in all HVAC systems.

Screening Protocols

- Everyone with COVID-19 symptoms must stay home until the criteria to return by CDPH and/or Cal/OSHA is met.
- Employees: All employees must monitor themselves for COVID-19 symptoms prior to coming to work each day.
- Employees will contact the COVID-19 Response Team should they experience symptoms related to COVID-19 at covidresponse@myfsd.org and self-report their confirmed positive results to: [Self-Reporting of COVID positive test results](#)
- Visitors will no longer be asked if they have symptoms.
- Students: Parents are asked to monitor their child's health and to keep their children at home if they have any COVID-19 type symptoms.
- COVID-19 Symptoms include:
 - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
 - New loss of taste or smell
 - New onset cough
 - Fatigue/muscle or body aches
 - Fever or chills
 - Congestion/runny nose
 - Nausea/vomiting/diarrhea
 - Sore throat
 - Headache
- The district will post signs reminding individuals to stay home if they have any COVID-19 symptoms.
- Post signs instructing parents, guardians, caretakers to screen students before leaving home and if the student has symptoms consistent with COVID-19 they should remain at home and consult their health care provider.

Positive COVID-19 Cases

- Students and staff will be required to follow the recommendations from CDPH for quarantine and testing.
- Students and staff will be notified regarding exposure to a COVID-19 positive person at a District location. Referrals to community testing resources (<https://coronavirus.egovoc.com/covid-19-testing>) will be provided to all staff and families as needed.
- The district will report individual cases and outbreaks as required by OCHCA.

Hand Hygiene

- Adequate supplies for frequent hand washing with soap and water or hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol are in all classrooms and offices. Classrooms without a sink will have portable hand washing stations with soap, water, and paper towels.
- Hand washing posters have been posted in all restrooms/hand washing areas.
- Hand washing and avoiding contact with one's eyes, nose, and mouth and covering coughs and sneezes will be taught and reinforced among students and staff.

Cleaning and Disinfecting

- All custodial staff have been trained on all EPA-approved disinfectant use as well as the proper use of.

PPE

- Office spaces/school sites will be deep cleaned and disinfected prior to the start of the school year.
- Classrooms, offices, common areas, restrooms and surfaces will be cleaned daily.
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) FSD will follow current PPE guidelines from the CDPH for all school staff regarding the use of surgical masks, gowns, eye protection, and gloves.
- The district will identify the necessary PPE for every task and train all staff on the safe use of PPE, how to put it on, take it off, and dispose of it properly.

Contacts

- Site administrators at each school.
- District administrators at 714-446-1066