July 15, 2020

Dear Staff Members, Students, and Parents/Guardians,

The Fullerton Joint Union High School District (District) has worked closely with staff, student, parent, and employee group representatives throughout the summer to review best practices and protocols for the eventual reopening of our high schools for the 2020/21 school year, scheduled to begin Tuesday, August 11, 2020.

A District task force was formed in June and charged with reviewing state, county, and health care agency recommendations for the reopening of our schools. This group was assigned the important task of making a recommendation to the Board of Trustees and myself on how to effectively and safely reopen each of our comprehensive and alternative high schools. A Safety Sub-Committee, made up of nearly 40 District stakeholders, was formed to accomplish this task.

On Tuesday, July 14, 2020, the Safety Sub-Committee met once again in order to finalize their recommendations. The group is currently working on a final document that will be presented to the Board of Trustees for their review in preparation of a special Board Meeting to be held on Thursday, July 23, 2020. The Board of Trustees and I will carefully review this information, along with all new relevant information as it becomes available, seemingly on an hourly basis. Ultimately, this will result in the finalization and approval of a formal District plan to reopen schools at such time deemed appropriate and safe.

As additional information becomes available, all stakeholders will be informed.

Sincerely,

Scott Scambray, Ed.D.
Superintendent