July 9, 2020

Dear FJUHSD Staff Members, Students, and Parents/Guardians:

The health and safety of all staff members, students, and families continues to be our highest priority in the Fullerton Joint Union High School District. As you know, the School Reopening Task Force recommended a hybrid schedule for the reopening of the 2020/21 school year. We truly believe this option accomplishes our goals of doing all we can to give students every opportunity to advance their learning, return to school on a limited basis, and provide a safe environment for our students and staff that follows the guidelines issued by local and state health officials.

At this time, District staff members are working around the clock to order and arrange for personal protective gear, cleaning, signage, and supplies and equipment each school and classroom will need when school begins. We have also assembled subcommittees who are working collaboratively to iron out the best practices, procedures, safety, and instructional measures that will be implemented to support our students and staff members in this rapidly changing environment.

The recent resurgence of COVID-19 cases in California is making the opening of schools more complicated than previously anticipated. The District is monitoring the situation closely and if a different plan of action is necessitated, we will comply with state and local health and education officials’ recommendations. For now, we are focused on procuring supplies, resources, health and safety equipment, and establishing plans and procedures that will facilitate a safe and fluid start to the school year.

I have included two links below for those of you who may be interested in reviewing some of the guidance provided by state and county officials regarding the reopening of schools. Thank you for your patience during these difficult times. Again, safety is our number one priority for our staff, students, and families.

https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/he/hn/reopening20200608.asp
https://ocde.instructure.com/courses/669

Sincerely,

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Superintendent