

Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan (ARP Act)



LEA Information

1. LEA Name (one LEA per form)*

Baboquivari Unified School District #40

2. Entity ID Number*

4412

3. CTDS Number*

100240000

4. Plan's Primary Contact Name*

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Please submit your Safe Return to In-Person Learning Plan every six months from your prior submission date.

Revision Timeline: January 2022-June 2022, July 2022-December 2022, January 2023-June 2023, and July 2023-September 2023

7. When did your LEA last review or revise your plan within the last six months? Please provide mm/dd/yyyy.*

07/08/2022

All LEAs receiving ESSER III funds must make publicly available on their website, a plan for the Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services. Please list the link where the plan/template is posted on the LEA's website.

8. Insert the link below with directions on how to find the LEA's Safe Return to In-Person plan located on the website (do not link directly to the PDF). The plan must be on the ADE template that was provided. The narrative verbiage on the template must be identical to the narrative verbiage provided on this online form. *

<https://www.busd40.org/>

On webpage scroll to the bottom and the link is on the right side below the Fiscal spending report.

How the LEA will maintain the health and safety of students, educators, and other staff and the extent to which it has adopted policies, and a description of any such policies, on each of the following safety recommendations established by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

9. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on universal and correct wearing of masks?*

Yes

10. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on universal and correct wearing of masks.*

The wearing of masks is optional in all settings.

11. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing (e.g., use of cohorts/podding)?*

Yes

12. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing (e.g., use of cohorts/podding).*

Sneeze guards on desks and reduced class sizes. Virtual learning is an option.

13. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on handwashing and respiratory etiquette?*

Yes

14. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on handwashing and respiratory etiquette.*

All students and staff have been trained on how to correctly wash hands following CDC etiquette.

15. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation?*

Yes

16. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation.*

All school AC units have been updated. All classrooms and buses are sanitized according to CDC standards.

17. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine, in collaboration with the State, local, territorial, or Tribal health departments?*

Yes

18. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine, in collaboration with the State, local, territorial, or Tribal health departments.*

BUSD has partnered with Pima County Health Dept for contact tracing. Each site has a trained staff member for reporting all incidents within 2 hours.

19. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on diagnostic and screening testing?*

Yes

20. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on diagnostic and screening testing.*

BUSD has partnered with PCHD and received a waiver to perform rapid tests.

21. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on efforts to provide vaccinations to school communities?*

Yes

22. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on efforts to provide vaccinations to school communities.*

BUSD has partnered with Sells Health Dept to offer several vaccination clinics for students and families.

23. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies?*

Yes

24. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies.*

BUSD's COVID committee creates procedures to meet the needs of students with disabilities. BUSD has also purchased specialized equipment.

25. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on coordination with State and local health officials?*

Yes

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26. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on coordination with State and local health officials.*

BUSD has adopted a 7-step response system which includes how to coordinate effort with PCHD.

Continuity of Services

Including but not limited to services to address students' academic needs and students' and staff social, emotional, mental health, and other needs, which may include student health and food services.

27. How will the LEA ensure Continuity of Services?*

Briefly describe an overview of the continuity of services and in the following questions you will provide more detailed information.

The LEA has established a complete system that will continue to address all services to students and will be monitored.

28. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for students' academic needs?*

BUSD has returned to in-person learning, however options for virtual learning are still available. All staff members have been trained to provide instruction in multiple formats to ensure all students have access. Interventions are being provided to all students to address learning gaps.

29. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for students' social, emotional, and mental health needs?*

BUSD has a director of Social Emotional Learning and hired counselors at all sites to service students, staff, and families.

30. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for students' other needs?*

This may include student health and food services.

BUSD is providing meals to all students and delivering meals on days when students are not in school.

31. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for staff's social, emotional, and mental health needs?*

BUSD has dedicated specific PD days to address the needs of staff on a regular basis. Counselors are also available at all sites.

32. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for staff's other needs?*

This may include student health and food services.

N/A

The LEA must regularly, but no less frequently than every six months (taking into consideration the timing of significant changes to CDC guidance on reopening schools), review and, as appropriate, revise its plan for the safe return to in-person instruction and continuity of services through September 30, 2023

33. Describe the process used to seek public input, and how that input was taken into account in the revision of the plan.*

1. Surveys
2. Safety forum
3. Conferences

34. Did you make any revisions/changes to this plan from your last plan submission?*

Yes