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

#### **LEA Information**

1.	LEA	Name	(one	<b>LEA</b>	per	form)*
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Gadsden Elementary School District #32

2. Entity ID Number\*

4505

3. CTDS Number\*

140432000

4. Plan's Primary Contact Name\*

Linda Coronado

5. Plan's Primary Contact Email Address\*

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

Revision Timeline: May 2023-September 2023

7. Since your last submission date, when did your LEA last review and/or revise your plan? Please provide the updated mm/dd/yyyy of your review/revision. This date should be updated from your last submission. \*

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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 your LEA's Safe Return to In-Person plan located on your LEA website (do not link directly to the PDF). The plan must be on the ADE template that will be downloaded from EMAC after completing your responses.\*

Department, Federal & State Programs,

https://www.gesd32.org/apps/pages/safe-return-to-in-person-instruction-plan

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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?*
<ul><li>10. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing (e.g., use of cohorts/podding)?*</li><li>No</li></ul>
11. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on handwashing and respiratory etiquette?*
<ul><li>12. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation?*</li><li>No</li></ul>
<ul><li>13. 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?*</li><li>No</li></ul>
14. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on diagnostic and screening testing?*
15. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on efforts to provide vaccinations to school communities?*  □ No
16. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies?*  ☐ No
17. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on coordination with State and local health officials?
□ No

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### **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.

#### 18. 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.

GESD has taken and will continue to take actions to ensure 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.

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

GESD is providing a robust combination of intervention programs which occur during the school day as well as before and after. These intervention programs are targeting standards that student achievement data indicates a need to address the lack of academic

achievement and growth most likely related to the impact and learning loss from the pandemic, which may include all subsets of

students.

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

GESD supports the Social, Emotional and Mental Health Needs by provided counseling to students in need on a case by case basis. This

is an enhanced service to the 2022-23 school year. Site School Counselors will focus on supporting the school campus with evidence-based strategies to address social and emotional learning.

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

This may include student health and food services.

Partnership with Yuma County Health Department Yuma Health Department Hosting a Vaccine, Booster and Flu shot Clinic on Friday, October, 28, 2022.

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

Staff has, and will continue to have access to Human Resources, by appointment, as needed to discuss individual Social. Emotional and

Mental Health Needs. The school provides paid health insurance for all full time staff which includes access to mental health

professionals. Individual plans and accommodations are made on a case by case basis based on the needs of the employee.

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23.	How	will the	<b>LEA</b>	ensure	continu	ity of	services	for	staff's	other	needs?*
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Administrative staff on hand and available to address any needs/concerns.

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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

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

Gadsden Elementary School District sought staff, student, family and public feedback using multiple strategies, including but not limited to:

public comments during Governing Board meetings, town halls, surveys, and other appropriate venues. Public input was taken into account to establish the current plan and will be considered for future revisions of this Plan.

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After completing all responses in EMAC, save your information. Then, use the red download button to create a copy of your completed form to be uploaded to your LEA website. Once your form is uploaded to your LEA website, log back into EMAC to click the blue submit button and submit your form to be reviewed by your specialist. Your EMAC submission will not be approved unless this updated form is on your LEA website.

25. Did you upload the completed EMAC form to your LEA website?\*

√ Yes