



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

LEA Information

1. LEA Name (one LEA per form)*

Williams Unifed School District

2. Entity ID Number*

4193

3. CTDS Number*

03-02-02-000

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: 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. *

07/03/2023

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.***

<https://www.wusd2.org/documents>

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.*

For those who wish to wear a mask or face shield, they may. There is no Board policy or district mandate to wear one on campus.

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).*

We encourage social distancing and outdoor use of space where applicable.

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.*

Installed hand sanitizer stations in classrooms and hallways. At WEMS installed hallway hand wash stations for teachers to supervise hand washing.

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.*

We are working with ESSER III dollars to re-do the entire HVAC system at WEMS in Spring of '23. This includes outside air units, ionization, and individual classroom smart controls. We purchased with ARP dollars UVC lanterns to "zap" classrooms and offices to neutralize airborne and surface odor, germs, and viruses. We use EPA approved Hillyard products known to kill SARS CoV-2 viruses.

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.*

We trace and track (internally) those who are symptomatic for COVID, COVID positive, and/or a close contact.

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

☐ No

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

☒ Yes

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

We had staff on site vaccination dates for any staff member who wished to become vaccinated.

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

☒ Yes

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

Hand washing etiquette and disinfecting changing tables, eating areas, play areas, etc. Certain PPE used for disinfecting in and changing areas. Social distancing where possible, from their peers.

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

☒ Yes

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

WUSD has Zoomed with the state health dept, county superintendents office, etc

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.

26. 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.

In the event of another outbreak or in the event we are forced to close by another entity (county, city, state, etc) we are ready to continue online (remote) instruction. We are 1:1 in the district and have hotspots and Google Classroom, Zoom, etc., ready to go.

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

We have 1:1 devices, and provide hotspots for students without connectivity for use in the event of another outbreak/shutdown. Google Classrooms remain active and most teachers continue to utilize it so classrooms are better prepared for future outbreaks.

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

WUSD#2 has used ESSER approved SEL curriculum for our K-12 students. We also employ a licensed school counselor to provide resources to our students utilizing this program.

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

This may include student health and food services.

Prepared and ready to deliver meal services to all K-12 students as needed, in the event of another school closure, including at drop locations around school boundaries.

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

WUSD#2 implemented a Comprehensive District Employee Wellness Program effective Jan 15th. Opening Weight Rooms to all staff during reserved, special times to workout.

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

Having an inaugural staff recognition night and weekly check-ins to bolster social emotional and physical health for all staff. We also now provide teledoc for our staff.

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

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

Board meetings, call to the public, staff meetings, and town hall meetings concerning COVID.

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.

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

☒ Yes