Sapulpa Public Schools RETURN TO LEARN 2022-23

LEARNING OPTIONS

- SPS offers traditional, in-person learning for PreK through 12th grades.
- Sapulpa Virtual Academy is available for Kindergarten through 12th grades.
- Hybrid instruction is available for 9th through 12th grades.
- All learning options are at minimum a one-semester commitment.
- School sites are open for in-person learning unless a public health emergency necessitates temporary distance learning.

DAILY SELF-CHECKLIST

- Parents and guardians should screen each child for symptoms of illness, including COVID-19, before sending their student to school. Symptoms include, but are not limited to, fever of 100 degrees or more, sore throat, cough, respiratory symptoms, vomiting, and new loss of taste or smell. Any student, teacher or staff member experiencing such symptoms should stay home.
- Teachers will work with students during absences to maintain academic progress.

EXPOSURES

- Students or employees who test positive for COVID-19 should stay home according to the CDC recommendation, which is currently five (5) days. If symptoms persist, the person may need to stay home longer.
- SPS remains in contact with the Creek County Health Department and the Oklahoma State Department of Health regarding pandemic protocols.
- No social distancing requirements are in place unless necessitated by a public health emergency.

CLEANING

- The district disinfects spaces as often as possible.
- Communication to students and staff promoting behaviors to reduce the spread of illness, such as frequent handwashing and respiratory etiquette, will continue.

MASKS

- Masks are not required.
- Students, staff, and guests who wish to wear a mask are welcome to and will not be discouraged from doing so.

MEALS

- Student meals are not free for the 2022-23 school year per USDA guidelines.
- All parents or guardians are encouraged to fill out and return the Free and Reduced Meal Application provided to all students at the start of the school year.

MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS

- Students have access to counseling from district counselors and licensed counselors provided through partnerships with community agencies.
- Additionally, the district employs behavior specialists and school psychologists.
- Staff members may utilize the district's Employee Assistance Program.

SCHOOL VISITS

- Visitors must check in at main offices.
- Guests may visit buildings for programs and special events per building guidelines.

ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

• All athletic teams and school-sponsored activities will adhere to district guidelines.

This plan was modified on February 17, 2023, and is subject to change as conditions warrant. For more information, visit sapulpaps.org.