

# Superintendent's Snapshot

MARICOPA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 9, 2021

Dear MUSD Parents,

We are looking forward to the new school year! With our return, we can reinstate many familiar practices of in-person learning. However, some safety standards will remain in place until further notice. Please review the mitigation strategies and procedures we will follow to start the school year.

## MITIGATION STRATEGIES

- **Masks are optional indoors and outdoors.** All employees, students, and visitors who are not fully vaccinated are encouraged to wear face coverings, but it is not required.
- MUSD will encourage social distancing when possible.
- MUSD will promote frequent hand washing and proper respiratory etiquette.
- Employee and student workstations will be cleaned regularly using COVID-19-approved disinfectants.
- Electrostatic sprayers will be used to disinfect classrooms and buses as needed.
- Drinking fountains remain closed. Students should bring their own reusable water bottles.

## POSITIVE CASES OF COVID-19

- Affected person isolates for 10 days.

## EXPOSURE PROTOCOL

- Parents receive notification of exposure and may quarantine their child at their discretion.
- Staff receive notification of the exposure and will stay home only if COVID-19 symptoms are present.

## TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULES

- Will return to pre-COVID practices

Principals will share school-specific information in the coming days. We look forward to having students back in our classrooms. Thank you for choosing Maricopa Unified School District.

Sincerely,



Dr. Tracey Lopeman, Superintendent  
Maricopa Unified School District