



## ROSEVILLE JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDENT FACE COVERING UPDATE

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The District believes that students should have access to in-person learning and to safely engage in school and extracurricular activities. Since the beginning of the pandemic, the District has expended great effort to provide a safe and welcoming environment for staff, students and visitors. Based on the success of this effort and the recent limited impact from COVID-19, we are in a position to continue this positive effort heading into the spring term.

As we continue to live with COVID-19 mitigation strategies, it is essential to monitor and update our enforcement of facial coverings to ensure consistency across our school sites. Pursuant to CDPH guidelines, students are required to wear face coverings while indoors with the specific enforcement to be determined by the school district. The District will continue to provide masks to staff and students who request them. In addition, the District has an obligation to ensure all students have continued access to uninterrupted in-person instruction, recovery and acceleration of learning, and the opportunity for participation in school and extracurricular activities.

Effective immediately, the District will apply the following facial covering criteria for students:

- Signage will be posted around campus reinforcing the importance of facial coverings indoors.
- The District asks parents and/or guardians to discuss the importance of wearing facial coverings indoors at school with their students.
- Masks will be made available on all district campuses and facilities.
- If a student arrives to class without a facial covering, one will be offered to the student.
- If the student does not wear the facial covering, the District will make efforts to address the situation without excluding the student from the classroom or from the school.
- Other efforts to support enforcement include parent communication, counseling, and restorative conferencing.

The District recognizes that the last few years have been difficult for our students and staff. We are grateful for the dedicated efforts of so many who have helped us provide excellent educational opportunities for all our students despite very difficult circumstances. We look forward to our continued partnership with our stakeholders to ignite, inspire, and prepare all students!