

Superintendent's *Weekly Summer Brief*

"Preparing and empowering all students for a future of endless possibilities."

July 17, 2020

Planning for the Fall: Decision by the Board

At their regular board meeting on July 16th, the Board of trustees voted to start the 20-21 school year using virtual learning under the framework of a phased-in approach. This was reinforced today with the Governor's order to not allow schools in counties under COVID-19 watch to open. I have attached a chart explaining the phased-in model approach and we will continue our conversation with the Board at a special meeting on July 23rd.

WJUSD Athletics

Today Channel 3 out of Sacramento was reporting that the CIF will announce on Monday to cancel fall athletics and move them to the Spring. This information is unconfirmed, however, I am confident that we will receive an update soon.

WJUSD Bond Refinancing

Last night at their regular Board meeting, the Board approved a resolution to refinance our current bonds that we used to build Pioneer High School. This refinancing will save the taxpayers an estimated \$1 million.

WJUSD RECOMMENDED REOPENING PLAN

A Phased Approach to Reopening Schools



PHASE 1

HOME LEARNING

All Virtual Instruction
No In-Person Learning

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PHASE 2

LIMITED BLENDED LEARNING

Physical Distancing of 6 Feet
No Groups Over 10 Students
Active Screening in Place
Face Coverings Required
Health and Safety Protocols in Place

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PHASE 3

FULL BLENDED LEARNING

Physical Distancing of 6 Feet
No Groups Over 50% of Classroom Capacity
Passive Screening in Place
Face Coverings Required
Health and Safety Protocols in Place

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PHASE 4

IN-PERSON LEARNING WITH RESTRICTIONS

Physical Distancing to the Extent Possible
Normal Class Capacity (minus those students in the Virtual Academy)
Passive Screening in Place
Face Coverings Required
Health and Safety Protocols in Place

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PHASE 5

IN-PERSON LEARNING WITH NO RESTRICTIONS

Full In-Person Learning with No Restrictions

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K-12 VIRTUAL ACADEMY