



Anderson Valley Unified School District

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March 15, 2021

Dear Parents,

The conditions in Mendocino County regarding the COVID-19 pandemic have been steadily improving. The State of California measures risk levels by assigning a county to a “tier” based on its positivity rate, adjusted case rate, and health equity metric. Mendocino County recently moved from the Purple Tier to the Red Tier, due to the steady decline in the number of new COVID-19 cases throughout the county. You can find more details about State and county risk levels by visiting California’s Blueprint for a Safer Economy website at: <https://covid19.ca.gov/safer-economy/>

Improving conditions mean that we are beginning to bring students back to campus using a phased reopening plan. Some students will begin returning to campus under a hybrid schedule that combines distance learning with in-person instruction. No student will be required to return to campus, and parents may choose to continue with full-time distance learning. The school sites will be providing more information and details regarding cohorts and grade-specific schedules. Please see the schedule below:

Peachland Preschool

- Starting Monday, March 15:
Mondays and Tuesdays from 8:30-11:30.
For questions regarding Peachland Preschool schedules, contact Anita Mendoza at 707-895-2761.

Anderson Valley Elementary School

- Starting Monday, March 15: Kindergarten and Grade 1
Group A: Monday and Tuesday, 8:00-11:00
Group B: Thursday and Friday, 8:00-11:00
- Starting Monday, April 5: Grade 2-6
Group A: Monday and Tuesday, 8:00-11:00
Group B: Thursday and Friday, 8:00-11:00

Anderson Valley Jr./Sr. High School*

- Starting Monday, April 5:
Grade 7: Monday and Tuesday, 1:00-3:30
Grade 8: Thursday and Friday, 1:00-3:30
Grade 9-12: To Be Determined

*Important: At Anderson Valley Jr./Sr. High School Distance Learning will begin one hour earlier, at **9:00am starting Monday, April 5**. More information will be sent to parents of AVHS students. Announcements regarding reopening plans for Grades 9-12 will be coming soon.



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In addition to the scheduled on-campus groups listed above, designated on-campus supports for students with exceptional needs will be scheduled at various times throughout the week. You will be notified by the school site if your student qualifies for one of these designated on-campus support services. For any other questions and information, please contact the site offices listed below:

Anderson Valley Elementary School: 707-895-3010.
or email Belma Rhoades at brhoades@avpanthers.org.

Anderson Valley Jr./Sr. High School: 707-895-3496.
or email the AVHS Office at avhsoffice@avpanthers.org.

Please contact the school site offices to enroll your child for in-person instruction.

Transportation

Students will be provided with district transportation along the regular bus routes between Navarro and Yorkville. Your child's school site will provide you with additional transportation information and schedules when you sign your student up for in-person instruction.

Food Service

Our weekly meals for families will continue on Wednesdays from 11:00am - 3:00pm. On the first Wednesday of every month families will receive an additional box of fresh produce from the Food Hub for the first 80 families. Students who come to campus for in-person instruction or support will be provided with a meal or snack while on campus.

Health and Safety

As we transition back to in-person schooling, health and safety precautions are the highest priority. AVUSD is implementing district-wide health and safety policies and procedures based on State and local guidelines.

All students who come to campus for in-person instruction or support will pass through a health screening process before being allowed to attend classes. For the health and safety of everyone in the district, please keep your child home if they exhibit any of the following symptoms listed on the COVID-19 Screening Tool included with this letter. All students must arrive on campus with appropriate facial coverings and maintain a 6-foot distance from other individuals at all times. More information regarding health and safety protocols will be sent home with information from your school site.

For all other questions please contact the District Office at 707-895-3774.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JSnyder', is positioned above the typed name and title.

James Snyder
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