

February 25, 2021

Dear Parents,

We are so happy to be back in session. I apologize for the inconvenience of not having school last week, but I honestly will always try to error on the side of student safety. Our routes consist of primarily back roads, so that is a big factor when determining if we can operate buses safely. Hopefully spring is right around the corner 😊.

**CURRENT STAGE (as of Feb 25): Yellow**

Currently we have 0 students / 0 staff out with positive COVID test results. ***We currently have two families that are currently quarantining due to possible symptoms/ exposure and one family awaiting test results.*** We are also continuing to monitor the number of cases in Latah and Nez Perce county as well as in the Genesee area.

**Note:** Plan on staying in the yellow phase until after spring break. I anticipate we will see families /individuals take vacations/travel over the break etc. so we will watch the numbers following the spring break, to see if we see a rise in any cases.

**Masks (Required): All students and staff are still required to wear masks daily. Please continue to have your child bring a mask from home.**

**Testing**

1. **Testing: Please note that if anyone is testing for COVID due to illness in your family, all siblings must be kept at home until the test results come back.** (Please contact the district office).

**Vaccines:**

If you would like additional information on clinic locations you may access information at <https://www.idahopublichealth.com/district-2/novel-coronavirus/vaccines>

**Athletics:**

New Guidelines for JH, JV and Varsity sports as of Jan. 2021 are posted on the district webpage [www.sd282.org](http://www.sd282.org) . **These remain the same in Stage 3.**

**Supplemental Levy – Please vote.**

Polls are open 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. We will be asking voters to vote on a supplemental levy of \$985,000. This levy supports our district in a variety of different ways, such as academics, athletics, and staffing. If you were unable to attend the zoom meeting, the link is available on the district web page: [www.sd282.org](http://www.sd282.org). If you would like additional information, please reach out to me at [wmoore@sd282.org](mailto:wmoore@sd282.org) to schedule a time to meet or chat via phone or Zoom. I can also be reached at 208-285-1161 ext. 201.

## **Communication**

We will continue to update information on our district webpage throughout the school year. Please bookmark [www.sd282.org](http://www.sd282.org) to keep up with the most up to date information.

### **Please mark your calendar:**

- Levy election – March 9<sup>th</sup> Polls are open 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Community Zoom Meeting – March 17 @ 6:00 p.m.

As always if you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to our teachers, office staff or Administration.

Thank you for all your support!

Sincerely,  
Dr. Wendy Moore, Superintendent/ Elem. Principal  
Mr. Kelly Caldwell, Secondary Principal/ AD