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WEEK AT A GLANCE

Reopening

Mendocino County has issued a new <u>health order regarding COVID-19 school reopening protocol</u>s and a new <u>schools guidance document</u>. These documents align to the updated state requirements that I mentioned before. The CDC also came out with <u>new guidance</u> last week. According to the table in the CDC guidelines, we are categorized as being in the High Transmission (red) category.

We continue to review the possibilities of reopening in the spring and are working to meet the new guidelines, both in practice and documentation. The board had a discussion about the possibility of reopening at its February 11th board meeting. I have scheduled a Parent Information Night on March 2nd at 5:00 for those interesting in hearing the information I presented to the board about reopening. Currently, we are set to remain with distance learning through the end of the 3rd quarter, April 2nd. The board will discuss this topic, again, at its March 11th board meeting.

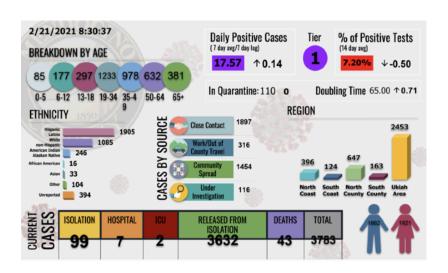
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Latest Mendocino County COVID Data:



Thank you!

Thank you to everyone for working with school staff to help complete the recent parent survey. We appreciate your input and willingness to give us a call back!

We are working our way up through the grade levels and will continue this week. Your input helps us plan for reopening and what it might look like for our students.

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Guitar Club - Calling all 6th Graders!

The guitar club that Kim Bratton has set up is now open to 6th grade students. This will run Mondays and Fridays at 2:10 beginning February 8th. Please send Kim an email at kbratton@musdstudents.org for more details. Students may check-out guitars from the school in order to participate.

State Testing

Currently, school districts are being asked to plan for and schedule state testing for all students 3rd -8th grade in ELA and math, as well as, science for 5th and 8th grade students. Our state testing team is working on what this might look like for our students. Typically, we begin state testing in some grade levels in the last week of April and work our way through grade levels through the first week of June.

Up Coming Dates

2/22 ~ Site Council Meeting, 3:30

3/1 ~ MUSE Meeting, 4:00 (Zoom Link)

3/2 ~ Parent Information Night: Reopening Plan Discussion, 5:00 (Zoom Link)

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