

## **Mt. Zion School District Safety Plan for COVID-19 March 1, 2021 Amendment**

**(During the 4th quarter, grades 7-12 will continue the same schedule as the 3rd quarter. This document only pertains to the grades PreK-6.)**

We continue to adapt to local conditions during each quarter of this school year. Changes continue to be based on the number of positive cases, the number of remote students, and the number of quarantines in our community. **Therefore, The Mt. Zion School District students PreK-6 will return to 5 days of instruction beginning the week of March 15th.** Monday through Friday school attendance will have the start and dismissal times of 8:40 am-2:35 pm.

### **In-Person Learners:**

- In-person students will be at school 5 days per week from 8:40 am-2:35 pm.
- If an in-person student is sick, contact traced, or quarantined, they will continue to receive assignments from their regular teacher, as they did before COVID.
- In-person students will have their library, PE, Band, Art, Music, Rtl, and/or special education schedules adjusted back to a 5-day schedule.

### **Remote Learners:**

- **Remote learning will include appropriate instruction from the certified substitute teacher for that grade instead of the regular classroom teacher.**
- Families that have signed up for Remote Learning will have the option to return to in-person before spring break or stay remote for the remainder of the school year.
- Remote students will receive their packet-based education from the certified substitute teacher.
- Video instruction and Google Classroom during the 4th quarter will not be required.
- Remote instruction/assignments will not be identical to that of in-person learners and will be approved by the administration.
- The certified substitute teacher will provide the assignments, email correspondence with families, and grade completed work. Parents of remote learners should send all their questions to their remote learning substitute teacher or principal.
- Remote students will receive PE, Art, and Music activities.
- Remote special education services will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

Part-time remote requests will no longer be available. Any student not at school or signed up for remote will be considered absent.

Each elementary school principal will be reaching out to each of our remote families to confirm their educational delivery method and answer any questions. Any family with questions is welcome to contact their principal.