

SVdPHS Reopening Community Expectations

All members of the St. Vincent de Paul School community have a shared responsibility to prevent the spread of illness when they are aware or suspect that they have contracted any communicable disease. As our campus reopens, it is imperative that all members of our school community remain committed to the health and safety policies and procedures listed in our *COVID-19 Safety Plan for the Reopening of Campus for In-Person Instruction* and any future communications to help keep students, faculty, and staff safe. By electing in-person instruction for your child(ren) at St. Vincent de Paul High School, you agree to the following requirements:

- **FOLLOW ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL ORDERS** | All families are expected to adhere to the directives of applicable federal, state and local government health departments, including CDC, regarding social distancing in public and other measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19.
- **HEALTH SCREENING/TEMPERATURE CHECKING** | The school will perform a health screening and check temperatures daily of students upon arrival at school. If your child presents a temperature that is higher than 100.4 F, your child (and all other children in your household) will not be cleared for attendance.
- **ILLNESS AT SCHOOL** | Should your child become ill or exhibit symptoms of illness while at school, your child must be picked up immediately. All students are required to have updated emergency contacts available.
- **STAY HOME IF SICK** | If your child is sick, you are expected to keep him/her home from school. Further details regarding our illness policy can be found in our Health/Safety Protocol (located on the SVdPHS web/parents or students section and the 2020-2021 Parent-Student Handbook).
- **STAY HOME IF EXPOSED** | If anyone in your household has been notified by the County Health Department or becomes aware that they were in contact with an individual infected with COVID-19, you are asked to immediately notify Attendance Supervisor and Contact Tracer, Ms. Nikka Robinson (nrobinson@svhs-pet.org), school administrators at (707) 763-1032, and by email. Based on the circumstance, you may be asked to keep your child home from school for 10 days.
- **COVID-19 TESTING AND NOTIFICATION** | If your child or someone in your household tests positive for COVID-19, you MUST immediately notify our Attendance Supervisor and Contact Tracer, Mrs. Nikka Robinson (nrobinson@svhs-pet.org), and the school administrators at (707) 763-1032 or by email.

Families play a vital role in maintaining health and safety at St. Vincent de Paul High School. We need to work together to take an active part in our community wellness. We know COVID-19 is not going away on its own, and we must work together to keep our community safe. It is also important to remember that every member of our community must adhere to guidelines set forth by CDC and Public Health so that we can maintain a healthy environment for all.

We understand that families have a range of comfort levels regarding a return to campus, and our plan strives to mitigate risk as much as possible, yet also provide the option for families to choose to keep children home and continue to participate in distance learning. We believe choosing either in-person or remote learning is deeply personal and ask that all respect the decision of one another.