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TVSC REOPENING OF SCHOOLS PLAN for 2021-2022

- Masks will be optional for students, staff, and visitors.
- There are no changes to the school calendar or schedules. We will begin August 13, 2021 for our students. Student start and dismissal times will remain the same as last year: Elementary 8:40 a.m. / 3:30 p.m., TVMS 8:11 a.m. / 3:16 p.m. (6th grade) 8:15 a.m. / 3:20 p.m. (7th-8th grade), TVHS: 8:15 a.m. / 3:30 p.m.
- Remote-Learning is an option for middle and high school students. Questions and concerns can be directed to the building principal.
- Students and staff will be trained to recognize the symptoms of COVID-19. Each student/family and staff member is expected to self-screen at home for symptoms of COVID-19. If individuals test positive for COVID-19 or exhibit one or more of the following symptoms, then they should not come to school/work.
 - A fever of 100.0 degrees or higher
 - Cough
 - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
 - Chills
 - Diarrhea
 - Repeated shaking with chills
 - Muscle pain
 - Headache
 - Sore throat
 - Loss of taste or smell
- Symptoms and Positive Test Protocols as per the Indiana State Department of Health
- TVSC will work with the local Health Departments on contact tracing, documentation and reporting.
- Buses shall be sanitized after each route.
- Instructional space and daily schedules will be maximized in order to promote social distancing.
- Hand washing and the repeated use of hand sanitizer will be expected throughout the school day. Sanitizer is available in all classrooms and personally for each teacher. Cleaning wipes will be available for door handles and commonly touched areas.
- Computers will be assigned to students in grades K-12.

- Schools will utilize proven cleaning products and procedures to ensure a healthy and clean environment.
- Traditional water fountains will not be available as per the CDC guidelines.
- Seating charts will be utilized in classrooms, buses, and the cafeteria.
- Cafeteria schedules and procedures will be adjusted to maximize spaces and adhere to safety guidelines.
- Each building will identify a separate space in the building to respond to symptomatic students. **Parents / guardians are encouraged to list multiple contacts that are available when contacted by the school.**
- Supply sharing will be minimized and proper sanitation will be implemented.
- P.E. will be held outside when possible.
- Students who are enrolled in remote learning shall not participate in extracurricular activities at school.
- Greater restrictions on visitors and guests in our buildings will be in place.
- Field Trips and convocations will not occur until further notice.
- If the number of cases of COVID-19 reaches a level where state and local officials determine a change in our schedule needs to occur, we potentially will implement more restrictions within the school setting in attempt to remain open.
- Additionally, in cooperation with the local health departments, our schools will have a common response to confirmed cases of COVID-19. Each case will be handled on an individual basis with the goal of keeping our schools open.

***This plan is subject to change as additional guidance becomes available from the Center for Disease Control, the Kosciusko and Fulton County Departments of Health, the Indiana State Department of Health, the Governor's Executive Orders, the Indiana Department of Education, or the TVSC School Board of Trustees or Administration.**