

St. Libory Elementary School District 30

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Safe Return to In – Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan

Introduction:

St. Libory CSD #30 will be applying for ESSER II and ESSER III funding. The purpose of ESSER II is to prevent, prepare for or respond to the COVID-19 pandemic. The purpose of ESSER III is to help safely reopen and sustain the safe operation of schools and address the impact of the coronavirus pandemic on students. The plan that follows is a draft intended to outline St. Libory CSD #30's planned safety measures for the 2021-2022 school year while continuing to provide an excellent educational experience.

Maintaining Health and Safety:

To reduce the risk of transmission St. Libory CSD #30 plans the following mitigation strategies for the 2021-2022 school year (per current CDC guidelines):

- Proper handwashing encouraged
- Hand sanitizer available
- Wearing of face masks if required; optional face masks if not required
- Students/staff will be expected to self-screen daily
- Use of assigned seating when appropriate
- Follow social distancing guidelines as appropriate
- Target cleaning
- Positive cases will be reported to Health Department
- Notice of vaccination events
- Appropriate accommodations for students with disabilities as identified in Individualized Educational Plans

Ensuring Continuity of Services:

St. Libory CSD #30 will continue to take appropriate actions to ensure continuity of services to students. These actions will focus on addressing students' academic, social, emotional, and mental health needs. Proposed plans to provide a continuity of services are as follows:

- To provide instructional materials/resources, activities and outreach to meet the needs of students
- To provide social and emotional/counseling, wellness supports to students and professional development (training) to staff

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- To provide technology updates and improve infrastructure and connectivity
- To provide tutoring and RtI services when appropriate
- To provide staff development to accelerate learning
- To provide additional staff to facilitate smaller classes, address learning loss, and provide for smaller classroom settings

Opportunity for Public Comment:

St. Libory CSD #30 has taken the following steps to ensure availability of the plan to families and the community:

- This draft plan is posted on the district website: <https://stlibory30.org>
- A parent who is an individual with a disability as defined by the ADA may request the plan in an alternative format. Please contact the school office stlibory@egyptian.net or 618-768-4923
- Public comment period made available an board of education meeting