

IDALIA SCHOOL DISTRICT RJ-3
2021-2022 SCHOOL OPENING PLAN

We celebrate our ability to provide in-person instruction during the 2020-21 school year and are excited to welcome everyone back for the upcoming academic year.

We continue to have an obligation to provide a safe and healthy learning environment amidst ongoing COVID-19 presence, and our intent is to begin our new normal - where we focus on in-person instruction and manage any illnesses within local control systems, in partnership with local health agencies.

Periodic meetings will be held with the Yuma County COVID-19 Task Force and Northeast Colorado Health Department to review current school incidence rates and health needs.

We will continue to closely monitor COVID-19 case rates amongst our school population. Should we see an increase in positive cases, we will work with the local health officials to assess the situation and take appropriate action. We encourage all individuals to communicate with the school district any positive cases of COVID and follow local health guidelines related to prevention, isolation, and quarantine. Information related to testing and vaccination can be found at: www.NCHD.org; <https://yumahospitals.org>; and <https://wrayhospital.org>

As in the past, we encourage parents to keep their children home if they are displaying any COVID-19, or any other transmissible sickness, symptoms. Additionally, we encourage frequent handwashing and other basic health and hygiene best practices. Finally, we will send students home if they present any serious symptoms.

We anticipate a safe, healthy, and productive 2021-22 school year.