

Grand Canyon Unified School District #4

PROCLAMATION
01-21

Declaring the Criteria to open, and model for in-person instruction to be driven by State Guidelines in relation to State and County data.

WHEREAS, The Governor of Arizona, the Honorable Governor Doug Ducey did issue on July 23, 2020, Executive Order 2020-51 which directed the Arizona Department of Health Services to issue guidelines for safe opening of schools before August 7, 2020; and

WHEREAS, The Arizona Department of Health Services did issue guidelines for Safely Returning to In-Person Instruction on August 6th, 2020 with a recorded webinar explaining those guidelines on August 7, 2020; and

WHEREAS, The Arizona Department of Health Services updated the guidelines for Safely Returning to In-Person Instruction on October 29, 2020 (criteria below);

Level of Community Spread	Benchmarks			ADHS Recommended Deliver Model
	Cases	Percent Positivity	COVID-like Illness	
Minimal	< 10 cases/100,000	< 5%	< 5%	Traditional
Moderate	10 - 100 cases/100,000	5% - 7%	5 - 10%	Hybrid
Substantial	> 100 cases/100,000	> 7%	> 10%	Virtual (w/onsite support services)

Note:

To open school criteria contained in all green or yellow (Minimal, Moderate) boxes must be met. We cannot open if we meet or exceed the criteria in two or more red (Substantial) boxes;

and

WHEREAS, The school has established a COVID-19 Mitigation plan (Updated version approved by the School Board on January 27, 2021) based on guidance from county, state and federal regulators; and

WHEREAS, The school has been providing a distance learning option as authorized under Executive Order 2020-41, as well as free on-site learning opportunities as required by executive orders 2020-41 and 2020-51; and

WHEREAS, The school has complied with the Arizona Department of Health Services guidelines in reference to community spread; and

WHEREAS, The school's greatest interests are the education of our students and the health and safety of our students and staff;

THEREFORE, NOW BE IT RESOLVED that:

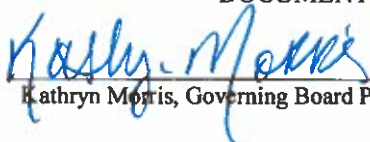
The Grand Canyon School District #4 will:


1. Make decisions on the method(s) of instructional delivery provided by the school (Distance-only, Hybrid, Traditional) based on:

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- a. The guidelines established and/or modified by the Arizona Department of Health Services, the Arizona Department of Education and the Coconino County Health and Human Services using the below criteria;
 - b. Community spread metrics data as provided by regular reports from the Arizona Department of Health Services and Coconino County will be used.
2. Give parents the option for their children to utilize in-person instruction in the mode directed by State or other governing entities; or remain fully on-line for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year.
 3. Hold Board Meetings when District is in the Red Zone on ZOOM transmissions and when District is in the Yellow or Green Zone hold live Board Meetings in the District Board Room.
 - a. When school District is in Yellow status, the public will be asked to participate in the meeting on ZOOM.
 - b. When school District is in Green status, the public may attend the live meeting in the District Board Room.
 - c. Arizona Revised Statutes Section 38-431 incorporates the use of electronic devices and telephones for Board meeting attendance.
 4. All School Board Meetings can be accessed on ZOOM during the 2020-2021 school year.

I, KATHRYN MORRIS, GOVERNING BOARD PRESIDENT, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THAT THIS DOCUMENT SHALL BE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 28, 2021.


Kathryn Morris, Governing Board President


Date