



# Santa Fe ISD COVID-19 Standard Response Protocol

## Level 1: Prevention

*No confirmed cases of COVID-19*

- Solid prevention measures in place - face coverings optional.
- Health screenings for students and staff.
- Daily intensive and frequent cleaning.
- Prevention communication – stay at home if ill reminders are sent to all staff and students on a weekly basis.
- Limited visitor access.
- Consistent monitoring of health trends in the community.



## Level 2: Mitigation

*One or more confirmed case(s) of COVID-19 at one facility*

- All health and safety protocols in Level 1 remain in place.
- Attendance rate is at least 90% of the historical average.
- Notification sent to parents and staff who were possibly exposed.
- Individuals in close contact will have the option to quarantine - if they choose to return to school, face coverings are strongly recommended.
- Extracurricular and co-curricular activities may be restricted or canceled.



## Level 3: Modified Operations

*An increase of confirmed COVID-19 cases in one specific area*

- All health and safety protocols in Level 1 and 2 remain in place.
- Attendance rate is below 90% of the historical average (absences due to illness).
- Increase mitigation strategies until attendance rate has increased.
- In coordination with health officials, students and staff of that area may be advised to self-quarantine.



## Level 4. Facility Closure

*Evidence of widespread COVID-19 cases at one campus or facility*

- All health and safety protocols in Level 1, 2 and 3 remain in place.
- Local or state health authorities issue health orders which may impact school operations based on resurgence of COVID-19, variant, or other infectious virus.
- Entire campus or facility will receive deep disinfecting.
- District-wide communication to staff/parents with health monitoring guidance.



## Level 5: District Closure

*Evidence of widespread COVID-19 cases at multiple campuses or facilities*

- Governor, Texas Education Agency, or local health authority order schools closed based on resurgence of COVID-19, variant, or other infectious virus.
- Deep disinfecting of all facilities and buses.
- All school events and extra-curricular activities are canceled, including outside use of facilities.
- District will communicate to parents and staff on the extent and length of time of the closure.

