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COVID LEAVE

If you have symptoms, tested positive or have been exposed to COVID, please make sure to email COVIDCASES@sbcusd.k12.ca.us. You also need to notify your supervisor and call in for a substitute. The district is experiencing a high volume of emails to COVID cases and it may take time to get a response back.

At this time, if you are off work due to COVID make sure to fill out an HR115 online leave form. You will have to use your own sick leave. However, we are still awaiting district approval on a COVID Leave extension MOU. If this changes we will let you know. Online Leave Form - <https://mobile.sbcusd.com/LeaveApp/>

COVID TESTING

Each school site has testing available for staff and students with your COVID liaison. If you are experiencing symptoms prior to coming to work you can find testing through <https://sbccovid19.com/testing-sites/>

COVID tests kits have been received by the county and are being distributed. For information on where to pick one up go to: <https://sbccovid19.com/rapidtests/>

N95/KN95 MASKS

The district has medical grade PPE masks for all staff. Your principal should have picked up their allocations on Friday. Check with your admin to find out if they have them onsite. They are available at the warehouse and can also be ordered by your secretary on STORES.

COVID QUARANTINE TIMELINE

The timeline for quarantine/isolation per the CDC update is now 5 days and a negative COVID test result. The district is adjusting following guidance from SB County Public Health and CDPH/CalOSHA. More information will be forthcoming this week from the district and SBTA.

ELEMENTARY UNIVERSAL ACCESS and CARPET TIME

All sites are to temporarily suspend push-in or push-out models for intervention and carpet time until further notice.

As always, as soon as we receive any updated information, we will post and email the updates. Please continue to check your personal e-mails regularly.

I hope that all of you and your families are safe and well. Please do not forget to take care of yourselves during this time.