

The Kids Zone

COVID-19 Rules

1. MASKS

Masks are mandatory and required by all persons on school property and in the building at ALL times.

- If a student or their parent/guardian has a medical doctor's note, we will work with each specific student or parent/guardian to ensure everyone is being safe.
- Having a 2nd mask in case the first one gets damaged, would be expected for all students to have at all times.
- If students do not have a mask and/or refuse to wear one, parents/guardians will be notified, and the student will be sent home immediately.

2. STUDENT DROP OFF/PICK UP

A staff member will be stationed outside the entrance to The Kids Zone to sign students in/out of the program.

- A parent/guardian **MUST** escort their student to the staff member signing students in and check their student in.
- Parents/Guardians will be asked to allow themselves extra time during drop off especially during the first few weeks as this will be new for all of us and will take some time to get used to.
- Only one parent/guardian is allowed at our sign in area at a time. Please plan to wait outside, six feet away from others.

3. HEALTH SCREENING

- Students and staff will be asked questions on the COVID-19 Screening questionnaire for the morning and program. The process will be repeated for staff arriving to the afternoon program. Staff and children that answer yes to any of the questions will not be allowed to enter the facility until symptoms are resolved and CDC Guidelines on "What to Do if You are Sick?" are followed.
- Upon arrival to the morning program students and staff will have their temperature taken via touchless thermometer. The process will be repeated for staff arriving to the afternoon program. Any student or staff whose temperature registers at 100.4 ° F or higher will be asked to go home and return when twenty-four hours have passed since recovery, defined as resolution of fever without the use of fever reducing medications.
- Parents/Guardians will be required to remain present during temperature check.
- Students and staff will wash hands upon arrival to the program.

4. SOCIAL DISTANCING

Students will be expected to stay six feet away from all other students.

- Students will have assigned seating socially distanced six feet apart.
- Students will be assigned to a "pod" with a counselor.
- Maintain groups to no larger than 50 people total including adults and children.
- Maintain same groups as much as possible day to day.

5. SNACKS

Students may bring their own snack to eat in their assigned seat. The Kids Zone **WILL NOT** be providing any snacks or drinks until further notice.

- Students will wash hands before and after eating snack.
- Tables will be sanitized before and after eating snack.
- Students need to be able to open **ALL** items in their snack by themselves.
- Pre-packaged snacks are recommended.
- At this time The Kids Zone will not be able to provide utensils/dishes and will not be able to wash/rinse out any containers.
- Water fountains **WILL NOT** be available for use. Please send your student with their own water bottle. Staff will be available to help refill student's water bottles in our kitchen.

6. PERSONAL ITEMS

- We recommend labeling all students personal items such as mask, backpack, lunch box, water bottle etc.
- Backpacks and all other items such as coat, lunch box etc. will stay with student in assigned seat.

7. ACTIVITY BOX

Parents/Guardians will be required to purchase an activity box container (one per child) for \$10 from The Kids Zone **and** supply their child with toys/activities/supplies.

- Containers will stay at The Kids Zone for the duration of the week.
- Recommended supplies: extra mask, pencils, pencil sharpener, crayons or colored pencils, scissors, stick glue and whatever else they made need to complete homework assignments while at The Kids Zone.
- We recommend toys/activities such as legos, blocks, action figures, puzzles and books.
- **NO** markers, paint, cards, balls, electronics or soft toys (think difficult to sanitize) such as stuffed animals will be permitted.
- All items must be able to easily fit in the container with the lid closed.
- Outside containers will not be permitted due to our limited storage space.
- Containers will go home with students on Friday to be sanitized and brought back clean on Monday.
- No common supplies will be shared.

8. MOVING THROUGHOUT THE BUILDING

H.A.L.L.S. – We will continue to utilize our HALLS for how we move and walk through our building. Staff will be modeling this format and it will be the expectation of all students at all times.

- Hands to Side.
- All Eyes Forward.
- Lips Zipped.
- Low Speed.

- Single File – If you put arms straight out in front, behind and in a 360 circle around the body, students should be that far from all other students. Two full steps between each student, student file, at all times.
- Students/Staff will ONLY walk along the RIGHT side of any hallway that they are in, with the at least arms-length from the wall to avoid touching.
- The doors on the right are the EXIT/ENTER DOORS – one way in and one way out just like the Hallways.

9. RESTROOMS

Only one student per bathroom at a time.

- Counselors will monitor students waiting to use the restroom to ensure proper social distancing.
- Students will wait until bathroom is empty to enter.
- Students will wash hands after using the restroom.
- Increased cleaning will be performed during the program.

10. RECESS

Students will be accompanied by their counselor to the playground, ONLY one pod per area on the playground at a time.

- Students will continue social distancing; six feet apart rule applies.
- Students will not be allowed to use any playground equipment.
- Students will wash hands immediately after outdoor play time.

11. HYGIENE

- Staff will model and encourage proper hygiene.
- There will be scheduled and supervised hand washing.
- There will be zero tolerance for behaviors such as spitting, licking, biting, scratching, and grabbing employees' personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Handwashing stations or sanitizer will be provided for parents/guardians, students and staff.

12. FACILITY OPERATIONS

- Staff will ensure disinfectants are at proper concentration and used per manufacturer's directions.
- Staff are trained on increased sanitation and personal protective equipment (PPE) needed to limit the spread of infections.
- All employees are trained in use of PPE and are provided PPE (i.e., face coverings, gloves).
- Informational signs (i.e., social distance, wear a face covering, hand hygiene, respiratory etiquette) are posted

All Washoe County School District protocols will be followed as well.
This document is subject to change based on social distancing protocols.