

**SAFE RETURN TO IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION  
AND CONTINUITY OF SERVICES PLAN  
2021-2022**



**ADAIR COUNTY R-II SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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**Original 2020 Re-entry Plan Development Guidance Documents**

[2020-2021 Adair County R-II Re-Opening Plan](#)

[Adair County Health Department](#)

[Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education](#)

[Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services](#)

[Center for Disease Control](#)

## **EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY/SCHOOL DISTRICT MISSION**

We believe that in a democratic society, education must help the students realize their worth as individuals and should lead them toward becoming productive members of society.

### **Beliefs and Visions**

The Adair County R-II Schools are committed to the ideals set forth in the Missouri School Improvement Program and support the priorities of that plan. As such, we recognize each student as a unique individual. We believe that education should provide an opportunity for the maximum development of each individual within the limitations of his or her capacities.

We believe that the foundation of the district's educational program is based on the development of competencies in the basic fundamentals of reading, speaking, listening and written communication and mathematics, science, social studies, and the arts. Students will gather, analyze and apply information and ideas; communicate effectively within and beyond the classroom; recognize and solve problems; and will acquire skills necessary to make decisions and act as responsible members of society.

It is, therefore, the responsibility of the Adair County R-II School District to provide an educational environment for children of the district, which will foster and accelerate their intellectual, physical, artistic, social and career development.

“Building Leaders Who **Learn**, Laugh, Love, and **Leave a Legacy**”

### **Plan Development for Re-entry and SRCSP Planning**

The Adair County R-II School District was able to utilize the district's 2020 Re-entry Plan to successfully start school on August 25, 2020 last year. School re-entry and re-opening documents provided an opportunity to review practices and policies. The SRCSP document offers guidance on how Adair County R-II will consider approaching the continued operation of our schools and facilities during the 2021-2022 school year. These guidelines along with coordinated approaches will assist to safely continue academic, extracurricular and athletic activities. Aligning these with district strategic goal areas allows for encompassing all planning aspects. This document is intended to hold hope for the best as we continue safe operations to maintain the health and safety of students and staff.

The Adair County R-II School District is excited to begin the 2021-2022 school year on August 24, 2021 with students. Students will continue traditional face-to-face instruction during the 2021-2022 school year. There were several safety measures implemented when students returned in August 2020. You will see that some of the safety measures will continue to be in place for the 2021-2022 school year. Adair County R-II will make every effort to minimize contact to COVID-19 and other communicable diseases; however, attending school will inherently introduce a greater risk of exposure.

The Adair County R-II School District plans to move forward with school on August 24, 2021 unless the federal, state, county, or local health departments require it to close. Procedures may or can be modified at any time. It is impossible to plan for every scenario and situation. Adair County R-II collaborates with the Adair County Health Department, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, DESE, the Governor's Office, and the Center for Disease Control.

The 2020 Re-Entry Planning Team collaborated to develop plans for the 20-21 school year and were given the opportunity to provide input on the SRCSP Plan prior to publication on June 17, 2021.

## MITIGATION AND PREVENTION STRATEGIES

*\*\*This is not a complete list of mitigation and prevention strategies the District may access during the 2021-2022 school year. The District will implement mitigation and prevention strategies as necessary to address the district's needs, or as determined by the Adair County Health Department.*

Mitigation and Prevention Strategies	District Response (In collaboration with the Adair County Health Department)
Universal and Correct Wearing of Masks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ There is currently no school or county mask mandate.</li> <li>★ Masks are allowed.</li> </ul>
Physical Distancing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Student seating is as distant as possible.</li> </ul>
Handwashing and Respiratory Etiquette	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Hand-sanitizing stations are installed in classrooms and hallways. Bathroom faucets are touchless and automatic flush has been added to all toilets.</li> <li>★ Water bottle filling stations are available throughout the building.</li> </ul>
Cleaning and Maintaining Health Facilities, including improving ventilation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Thoroughly ventilate, clean and disinfect all buildings, desks, food preparation/service areas, equipment and other surfaces prior to student return using CDC and OSHA guidelines as well as guidelines or tips provided by the Adair County Health Department.</li> <li>★ Cleaning schedules reviewed and/or revised to focus on cleaning and disinfecting high touch / high traffic areas.</li> <li>★ Clean and disinfect all work areas multiple times a day.</li> <li>★ Students will not share classroom supplies.</li> <li>★ Clean and disinfect student desks, keyboards, etc as often as possible.</li> <li>★ Clean and disinfect work out equipment / sports equipment between transitions.</li> </ul>
Contact tracing and Quarantine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ The District will maintain an area in the nurse's office for quarantine.</li> <li>★ The District collaborates with the ACHD to perform contact tracing and quarantine activities.</li> </ul>
Diagnostic, Screening, and Testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ The District will maintain an area in the nurse's office for quarantine.</li> <li>★ No on-site testing or diagnostics</li> </ul>
Efforts to Provide Vaccinations to Educators, Staff, and Students, if eligible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ The District collaborates with the ACHD to assist in the distribution of vaccination information.</li> </ul>
Appropriate Accommodations for Children with Disabilities with Respect to the Health and Safety Policies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Accommodations as necessary or as mandated by the IEP.</li> <li>★ Form G - Continuity of Services is included in the IEP for each student.</li> </ul>

## **CONTINUITY OF SERVICES**

Teachers will use this information to guide instruction and address the Missouri Learning Standards during the 2021-2022 school year. The district will continue to provide Chromebooks to all students in grades K-12 and teachers during the 2021-2022 school year. The District also allows locations outside of the building for accessing WI-FI at all times.

The district will continue to provide social emotional support to students and staff as needed.

## **PERIODIC REVISION**

This SRCSP plan will be reviewed in intervals of no less than 6 months. It will be reviewed in December 2021 and again in the spring of 2022, updates and revisions will be finalized by June 20, 2022. Periodic revision will continue for the life of the plan dependent on current public health needs. Stakeholders involved include- Students, Families, Community Members, School Staff, Special Education Staff and Administrators, School and District Administration, School Board Members, Other Educators, and School Counselor. Members will represent the following groups, civil rights organizations (including disability rights organizations); and stakeholders representing the interests of children with disabilities, English learners, children experiencing homelessness, children and youth in foster care, migratory students, children who are incarcerated, and other underserved students.

## **UNDERSTANDABLE LANGUAGE**

This SRCSP will be made available upon request in any language or condition necessary to accommodate stakeholders needs. If the plan needs to be translated or delivered in an alternate method (braille) please contact Superintendent Josh Brummit at 660-323-5272.