



E.S. Laird Middle School

Re-entry Plan

Welcome to our Sabre Families!

The staff at E.S Laird are very excited for the start up of this year and we are busy planning for your return to school. March 13th marked a huge change to education in our city. It is our hope and plan that September 8th will mark a positive day to once again shift our school community, in a positive way. Routine, structure and predictability are cornerstones of healthy student development. Moving forward, community, connections and relationships will be very important. We invite all of our families to work with us as we move together through this year. To begin this process, our families can expect to hear from their child's teacher to discuss school start up and to begin the relationship that is needed between school and home. Additionally, our counselling services and other support services are available for students requiring supports. We look forward to working with you this year!

Enhanced Safety Measures

LPSD's caretaking staff have increased all cleaning and sanitizing practices and protocols of high touch surfaces. In addition, teachers and students will practice frequent hand washing and sanitizing of personal and classroom items. Hand sanitizer and cleaning supplies will be available in all classrooms, at school entrances, and in common spaces. On the first day of school, all students will be given two reusable masks for their use. Masks must be worn upon entering and exiting school, in classrooms, in hallways, and in common areas. Students may choose to remove their mask if seated in their desk, engaged in individual work. Masks must be worn during whole group instruction, as there will be natural interaction.

Student Displaying COVID-19 Symptoms

It is expected that parents conduct the following daily COVID 19 symptoms check before sending their son or daughter to school , please see the assessment below. . If a student develops symptoms at school or upon arrival at school, the student will be isolated from other students and the parent or guardian will be notified to pick up the student immediately. The student will be supervised while in the isolation room.

Busing

Students who choose to ride the school bus must be pre registered and sit in their assigned seat. All students will be required to wear a mask on the bus, regardless of grade. Enhanced cleaning measures are in place between runs and routes for student safety. If you have not yet registered to ride the school bus, please use the following link to register to ride the school bus - [LPSD 2020/2021 Bussing Registration Form](#).

If your child takes the bus, please make it part of your routine, before leaving for the school bus, to check the LPSD website to check your route status. If busses are running late or a route is cancelled, it will be communicated on the website.



Extra Curricular, Fields Trip & Before & After School Care

At this time, all field trips and extra-curricular activities are postponed. Before School Care will not be available at this time; therefore, students being dropped off should not arrive before 8:45 am.

School Protocols

Arrival At school in the Morning		
Students Walking	Bus students	Parent drop off
Students arrive between 8:45 - 9:00 am and proceed to their homeroom upon arrival using the grade level appropriate entrance	Students proceed to their homeroom upon arrival using the grade level appropriate entrance	Students are dropped off at 8:45 am and proceed to their homeroom upon arrival using the grade level appropriate entrance

Staggered lunch times - Students who leave for lunch are asked to not return until 12:55 pm. Students who wish to purchase from the school concession will need to pre order in the morning with their homeroom teacher. Items will be delivered to the classroom by 12:10 pm.		
Grade 9:	Grade 8:	Grade 7:
<p>Students choosing to leave may leave campus at 12:10 pm.</p> <p>Students remaining on campus, will have time to be in alternative spaces from 12:10 - 12:25 pm. At 12:25 pm they will be directed back to their homerooms.</p>	<p>Students choosing to leave may leave campus at 12:25.</p> <p>Students remaining on campus, will have time to be in alternative spaces from 12:25 - 12:40 pm. At 12:40 pm they will be directed back to their homerooms.</p>	<p>E.S. is a closed campus for grade 7. Students can only leave campus in the care of their parent.</p> <p>Students will be given their “free time” to be in alternative spaces from 12:40 - 12:55.</p>

End of School Day Dismissal: Students will leave via assigned entrance and proceed either walking, bus or parent pick up.		
3:15 pm	3:20 pm	3:25 - 4:00 pm
Walking students are dismissed and use their grade level appropriate exit.	Pick Up students are dismissed and use their grade level appropriate exit.	Bus students are dismissed as their individual busses arrive and use their grade level appropriate exit.

For further details on the reopening of LPSD schools, please refer to the [Reopening LPSD Schools Plan](#) on lpsd.ca



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Child Daily Self-Assessment

DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING UNEXPECTED OR WORSENING SYMPTOMS?

Fever, cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, chills, headache, runny nose, conjunctivitis, nasal congestion, muscle or joint aches and pains, loss of sense of smell or taste, dizziness, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, loss of appetite or fatigue.

YES OR NO

IS YOUR CHILD EXPERIENCING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING?

Severe difficulty breathing, severe chest pain, having a very hard time waking up, feeling confused, lost consciousness, short of breath at rest, inability to lie down because of difficulty breathing, or chronic health conditions that you are having difficulty managing because of your current respiratory illness.

YES OR NO

WAS YOUR CHILD EXPOSED TO SOMEONE WHO HAS BEEN CONFIRMED AS HAVING COVID-19 WITHIN THE LAST 14 DAYS?

YES OR NO

IN THE PAST 14 DAYS HAS YOUR CHILD RETURNED FROM INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL?

YES OR NO

CAREGIVER INFORMATION

Caregivers are required to conduct a daily self-assessment for children in their care to determine if they are healthy and able to attend school.

If your child answers "YES" to any of the above questions, begin self-isolation immediately. Contact Public Health at 8-1-1 for guidance and inform your child's school that they will not be in attendance.

If your child begins exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 while at school you will be asked to pick them up immediately.

Children who regularly have symptoms that may be mistaken for COVID-19 symptoms are encouraged to provide a medical note to the school so that the teacher and necessary staff are aware.

To access the Saskatchewan Self-Assessment Tool please visit the Government of Saskatchewan or access with this QR Code



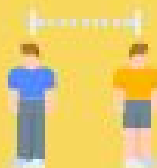


RETURN TO SCHOOLS

Safety Measures

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE REOPENING LPSD SCHOOLS PLAN

PHYSICAL DISTANCING



In order to limit contacts, cohorts will be created and the number of teacher exchanges reduced. Staggered entry/exits and breaks will be in place. Directional signage around school to encourage physical distancing

DAILY SELF-ASSESSMENTS & ILLNESS POLICY



Families, students and staff to self monitor and must stay home if they are sick or have symptoms. Schools will designate an isolation area for students or staff who become sick while at school. Parents/caregivers to pick up students promptly if they become sick.

MASKS



Mask will be required for staff and students in Grades 4-12 where physical distancing cannot be maintained. LPSD will provide two reusable cloth masks with disposable masks available at schools. All visitors and guests will be asked to wear masks while in the school.

HAND HYGIENE

Staff and students will practice frequent hand washing and sanitizing. Hand sanitizer will be placed in common areas and classrooms.



TRANSPORTATION



Buses will be cleaned/sanitized between runs and masks will be required by all passengers. Parents/caregivers are encouraged to transport children when possible.

ENHANCED CLEANING



Frequent and enhanced cleaning/sanitization with increased attention to high points of contact, shared equipment and commonly used areas.