September 2020



PORT CLEMENTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL'S SAFETY PLAN

Your Health and Safety is our priority. Here are the protective measures we will be taking when we return to school

Daily Health Check

Families and students will complete the daily health check before coming to school



Arriving at School

- *Please have K- 7 students arrive at the front entrance doors as close to 8:50AM as possible.
- *Students will line up on painted butterflies while waiting to wash their hands
- *Students will wash their hands for 20 seconds at the outdoor handwashing station.
- *Students will proceed to class through open front doors.

Providing Masks

*SD50 is providing masks to all students *Masks are not mandatory for students *Personal Preference will be respected



According to the BC Stage 2 Restart Plan: a **LEARNING COHORT** can be up to 60 staff and students. These groups will stay together throughout the school year and allow for a reduced number of interactions. Cohorts will have minimal contact but



Learning Cohorts

*PCES will have one learning group/cohort *The cohort will have the same recess/lunch time *Any teacher from outside the cohort, that cannot maintain a 2m distance from students and staff, will wear a mask/face shield.

Health Screening

*Parents and Caregivers must assess their child daily for symptoms of common cold, influenza COVID-19 or any other respiratory disease before sending them to school. If a student develops symptoms at home, parents or caregivers must keep their child at home until they have been assessed by a health care provider to exclude COVID-19 or other infectious diseases and their symptoms have resolved.

*Students who develop symptoms while at school will be isolated in a medical room until parent can pick up child. The child will be required to wear a mask.

IT IS IMPORTANT THE SCHOOL HAS UPDATED CONTACT INFORMATION FOR EACH STUDENT

Visitor Guidelines

*Outside visitors by appointment only *All visitors will be required to sign in and follow posted entry procedures (sanitize) and wait at the reception area *Unscheduled visitors (package delivery e.g.) please knock on the office window and wait at the door





Food Program & Lunch

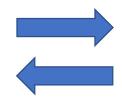
Lunch Supervision:

* Students will eat lunch in a designated area *There will be no sharing of food at school or from home

Healthy Snack & Hot Lunch

*Food Programs will continue, but will follow strict guidelines for preparation and handling *Food will be served in individual portions

Floor Markings



*There will be arrows in the hallway to help with flow during high traffic transitions.



Fountains & Water Coolers

*Please send a water bottle to school and have it taken home each night for washing

*Fountains are off limits but water bottle refills will be allowed from the water coolers.

Handwashing

Students and Staff are required to wash hands:

*When arriving at school

- *Before and after any breaks (lunch/recess)
- *Before and after eating or drinking (excluding water bottles)
- *After using the bathroom
- *After sneezing or coughing
- *Whenever hands are visibly dirty

A NEW OUTDOOR HANDWASHING STATION HAS BEEN SET UP OUTSIDE THE FRONT ENTRANCE DOORS!



Custodian & Cleaning

*Extra soap and paper towels available *Extra Custodian hours to sanitize high touch surfaces at least twice daily

*Deep cleaning nightly

Together we can learn and stay safe!

Please adhere to these strict guidelines to keep all our students and staff safe. We know it will be challenging to adapt. It will require our collective effort to make our school safe to operate.

> Be Safe. Be Kind. Port Clements Elementary School Haaw'aa