

West Salem High School

Update for September 11, 2020



The Flipped Classroom Learning (blended model) begins on Monday, September 14th. As a reminder, students in the **WEST** group, (last names A-K) will return on Monday, September 14th and those in the **SALEM** group (last names L-Z) will return on Tuesday, September 15th. The WEST group will attend school full days on Monday/Wednesday and the SALEM group will attend full days on Tuesday/Thursday. See the schedule below for more details. Panther Time, Distance Learning and Homeroom will continue on Fridays. **Student attendance is required for our Friday Homeroom Zoom Check-In.**

We will be running a special schedule the first day of in-person classes. See the schedule below. Students will begin their day with their homeroom teacher. As a reminder, students are asked to wear a mask and maintain the 6-foot social distancing requirement.

We are looking forward to the excitement that comes with having students in our building again. Although it's been a busy two weeks, it's been entirely too quiet around here!

Mike Malott
Principal
#WeAreWS



[Schedule for September 14 & September 15](#)

[Flipped Classroom Learning Schedule](#)

Lifetouch Photos are scheduled for Monday September, 28 and October 8 2020 assuming we will be running our flipped learning schedule.



Our water fountains will be shut off during the school day. However, our bottle filling stations are fully operational. Students are reminded to bring see through water bottles for filling up their bottles between classes. Alternately, they may purchase water from our ala carte lines.

When is my child too sick for school?

Follow the guidance below for determining if your child is too ill to be in school.

WS School District of West Salem WS COVID-19 ATTENDANCE GUIDELINES

I should not attend in-person school or activities if:

<p>I have 1 of the following symptoms above baseline in the past 24 hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> COUGH SHORTNESS OF BREATH DIFFICULTY BREATHING LOSS OF TASTE OR SMELL FEVER OF 100° F OR HIGHER *VOMITING *DIARRHEA 	OR	<p>I have 2 of the following symptoms above baseline in the past 24 hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HEADACHE BODY ACHES FATIGUE CHILLS CONGESTION OR RUNNY NOSE SORE THROAT NAUSEA 	OR	<p>I am a close contact of a confirmed COVID-19 case, meaning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HAD DIRECT PHYSICAL CONTACT WITH THE PERSON OR WERE WITHIN 6 FT OF THE PERSON FOR 15 CUMULATIVE MINUTES IN A DAY OR HAD CONTACT WITH THE PERSON'S RESPIRATORY SECRETIONS (COUGHED/SNEEZED ON OR SHARED DRINKING GLASS/FOOD)
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***NOTE: IF THE ONLY SYMPTOM IS VOMITING OR DIARRHEA OR FEVER - ALONE - STUDENT SHOULD BE EXCLUDED UNTIL FEVER FREE, DIARRHEA FREE OR NO VOMITING FOR 24 CONSECUTIVE HOURS. HOWEVER, IT DOES NOT NECESSARILY INDICATE THE NEED TO TEST FOR COVID-19 OR FOR COVID ISOLATION. CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER FOR GUIDANCE.**

When can I return to in-person school or activities?

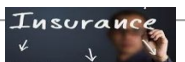
<p>Positive COVID-19 Test</p> <p>MAY RETURN AFTER 10 DAYS SINCE THE FIRST SYMPTOM AND AT LEAST 24 HOURS FEVER FREE WITHOUT MEDICATION AND SYMPTOMS HAVE IMPROVED</p>	<p>No COVID-19 Test</p> <p>MAY RETURN AFTER 10 DAYS SINCE THE FIRST SYMPTOM AND AT LEAST 24 HOURS FEVER FREE WITHOUT MEDICATION AND SYMPTOMS HAVE IMPROVED OR DOCTOR'S NOTE</p>	<p>Negative COVID-19 Test</p> <p>DOCTOR'S NOTE AND AT LEAST 24 HOURS FEVER FREE WITHOUT MEDICATION AND AT LEAST 24 HOURS NO VOMITING</p>
<p>Close Contact of a COVID-19 Case</p> <p>MAY RETURN AFTER 14 DAYS FROM THE LAST EXPOSURE AND WITH NO SYMPTOMS</p>		

INDIVIDUALS SHOULD FOLLOW ALL ISOLATION AND QUARANTINE PERIODS PROVIDED BY THE LA CROSSE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT. CASE-BY-CASE DETERMINATIONS MAY ALTER THE ISOLATION OR QUARANTINE RECOMMENDATION

INFORMATION COMPILED FROM WISCONSIN DHS EXCLUSION FROM IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION CRITERIA

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Macbook Insurance Reminder



Any families that would like to purchase laptop insurance must have their laptops evaluated for damage by our IT Department prior to being allowed to purchase insurance. Please call the main office of the high school to set up a time to have your computer evaluated.



Need Technology Help?

Having issues with your computer or internet connections? Contact the Technology Team at www.wsalem.k12.wi.us > Families > Technology Help