

CCISD Visual and Performing Arts

At the beginning of the 2020-2021 school year, all VPA course offerings will be available brick and mortar learning environments, with most of the same course offerings in the Clear Connections online program.

- Teachers and students will have the tools they need to be successful in this learning environment. Some course content may be adjusted to accommodate for software or hardware issues. To the greatest extent possible, electronic access to learning materials and platforms, including a district supplied laptop for home use, will be made available if needed.
- A guaranteed and viable curriculum is outlined in the CCISD curriculum documents which are aligned to the Texas Essential Knowledge Skills (TEKS).

VPA Program Safety Protocols

Secondary Art Classroom Guidelines

General Information:

- All components of the elementary art classroom will follow CDC, TEA, UIL, TAEA, and CCISD guidelines to ensure a safe learning environment;
- Campus specific plans will be publicized for the safe entry and exit of students to/from the campus daily. The entry and exit points will be coordinated to minimize personal interaction and to facilitate social distancing. The plans may include a staggered drop off and pick up times; and,
- All stakeholders should do a preliminary self-check by reviewing all Pre-Screening Questions prior to arriving at school. The self-check questions are listed on page 4.

Instructional Practices:

- Outdoor spaces could be utilized during instructional time when available; and,
- No more than 40 minutes of total instruction when utilizing inside spaces with a transitional time to clean area.

Staff Expectations:

- All art teachers will train and communicate to all stakeholders regarding Covid-19 Protocols and Procedures for art;
- Instructors will be required to wear mask when entering and exiting the facility;
- Instructors will be required to wear mask when possible while instructing;
- Instructors may utilize face shields as an additional barrier when instructing and monitoring students;
- When possible, students will be issued individual supplies;
- Shared supplies and equipment will be disinfected after every use;
- Shared supplies that cannot be disinfected will be isolated for one week after use;
- Sharing of clay will not be permitted between students;
- Gloves will be utilized by staff for the cleaning of all shared supplies and equipment;
- Tables and chairs will be disinfected after every use by staff and students;
- All required forms, syllabus and music will be distributed electronically when possible;
- Hand sanitizing stations will be placed and utilized throughout the art classroom; and,
- Keep all egress clear for evacuation if needed.

Student Expectations:

- No in person group social activities sponsored by the art division until further notice;
- No socializing before and after class on school property;
- All personal items must be properly stored and removed daily;
- No sharing of food and drinks;
- Students must wear mask while entering and exiting the facility;
- Students must wear proper mask during class;
- All students will be responsible for bringing their own water supply. Sharing of water will not be allowed. All students need to bring enough water to last for the duration of the instructional day. Each container should be properly labeled and stored. Campus ice machines and water fountains are not available;
- Students should remain 3 feet apart when possible with mask on; and,
- Only one student at a time will be allowed to use the restroom. Students will be required to wash their hands for 20 seconds per restroom visit. Students are encouraged to use a paper towel when opening restroom doors and disposing them immediately into a trash can located outside the restroom door.

Volunteer Expectations

- No serving of water, snacks and food to students;
- All meetings must take place virtually; and,
- All volunteer interactions must follow staff expectations and protocol.

Primary Goals of VPA

- Limit risk of exposure by maintaining social distancing throughout all activities conducted at the Clear Creek ISD VPA department;
- Emphasize personal hygiene such as hand washing and use of hand sanitizer upon entry and exit of facilities;
- Implement routine and enhanced cleaning and sanitization of VPA equipment and facilities; and,
- Plan and communicate safe access to facilities to minimize personal interaction and facilitate social distancing.

Parent/Guardian Communication Plan

- Information will be provided to all parents/guardians outlining procedures and protocols that will be used within VPA programs and extra-curricular activities; and,
- Parents will be updated on changes in protocol.

Covid-19 Symptoms

- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Chills
- Repeated shaking with chills
- Muscle pain
- Headache
- Sore throat
- Loss of taste or smell
- Diarrhea
- Feeling feverish or a measured temperature greater than equal to 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit
- Known close contact with a person who has a lab confirmed to have COVID-19

Covid-19 Self-Health Assessment

IF a staff member OR student ANSWERS YES TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS, YOU MAY NOT ENTER the school FACILITY AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTACT YOUR PHYSICIAN.

THANK YOU FOR DOING YOUR PART TO KEEP our schools SAFE.

1. Have you or anyone in the home had a fever or felt feverish (chills or shaking) in the past 3 days?
2. Have you taken any fever-reducing medication such as Tylenol or Ibuprofen in the past 24 hours for reasons related to illness or fever?
3. Have you or anyone in the home shown signs of respiratory illness (cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, loss of sense of taste or smell) in the past 10 days?
4. Have you or anyone in the home shown signs of gastrointestinal illness (recurrent nausea, vomiting, diarrhea) in the past 10 days?
5. Have you or anyone in the home had new or worsening headaches or muscle pains in the past 10 days (excluding migraines or injuries)?
6. Have you or anyone in the home had any contact with someone with a confirmed diagnosis of COVID-19 in the past 14 days?
7. Are you or anyone in the home under investigation or monitoring for suspected COVID-19?
8. *If you have traveled outside the state of Texas in the past 14 days, please adhere to the Texas Department of State Health Services travel advisories and quarantine instructions listed on the COVID-19 webpage of its website under *Information for Travelers*.