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School Operations and Reopening Office Hours
July 23, 2020



ATTENTION: Instructions for participants

During this meeting, participants may submit questions via the online chat feature throughout the presentation. Submitting questions via the chat allows LDOE the opportunity to not only answer your question while on the call but to also add your question and the answer to our publicly disseminated FAQ document(s).

Strong Start Reopening Office Hours

Strong Start School Reopening Office Hours will occur each Thursday, beginning July 23, from 3-4 p.m. and run through September 3

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Reopening Weekly Office Hour Calls

The purpose of the weekly reopening calls are for school system leaders and support staff to join our Zoom session to hear the latest updates on policy implementation, supportive guidance, and tool development.

Each weekly call will begin with an overview of recent updates followed by a moderated Q&A session on policy implementation, supportive guidance, and tool development.

Resource Documents

<u>Guidelines:</u> Baseline public health requirements for school systems to follow when reopening school facilities to students in Fall 2020 policy implementation, supportive guidance, and tool development.

updated during the week as needed - remember to clear your cache for the latest version

Best Practices: Supportive guidance and resources for implementing guidelines

<u>Planning Template and Checklist:</u> A template with questions to guide school systems in planning for reopening, with an accompanying checklist for reopening

<u>FAQ Document:</u> LDOE released and is maintaining a dynamic FAQ document for implementation support. **updated during the week as needed**

<u>Self Monitoring Checklist</u>: School system checklist to ensure BESE adopted requirements are being met. This tool will be available the week of July 20.

Resource: Self-Monitoring Checklist



School System:	School Site:	
Date:	Person Responsible:	

MAXIMUM GROUP SIZI

PHASE 1	PHASE 2	PHASE 3
10, including adults:	25, including adults:	50, including adults:
O Yes O No	○ Yes ○ No	○ Yes ○ No
Younger Students maintain not be wearing face covering O Yes O No O N/A		als may come into close contact and may
distance of at least six feet greatest extent possible.	tion of a group may change if studen from other students and adults in a c	
O Yes O No		
environment. School systems	must factor in any additional service prive services outside the classroom (e.g.	nd related services in the least restrictive providers who may need to enter the g. resource, APE), and/or students who
O Ves O No		

PHYSICAL STANDARDS

Groups convene indoors in rooms enclosed by walls or partitions: Yes No	In large spaces, such as a gymnasium or cafeteria, more than one group can convene if a wall or partition is erected: Yes No	Groups are separated outdoord but do not require a physical barrier: O Yes O No
Limit crowding at entry and exit points: maintain maximum group sizes and physical distance recommendations to the maximum extent possible		High-touch surfaces are
	commendations to the maximum	group's use:
extent possible		group's use:
extent possible		group's use: O Desks

SELF-MONITORING REOPENING CHECKLIST FOR SCHOOLS | LEARN MORE AT LOUISIANABELIEVES.COM

The <u>Self- Monitoring Reopening checklist</u> has been provided to assist school systems as they plan for reopening. School systems should utilize this checklist to ensure they are meeting the requirements for re-opening approved by BESE.

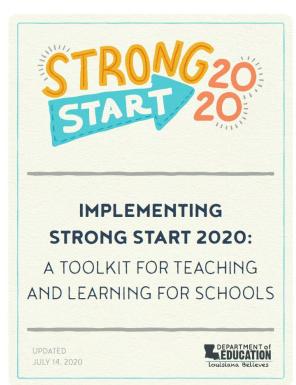
The checklist includes requirements related to maximizing group sizes, physical distancing, symptom monitoring, environmental cleaning and personal hygiene, hygienic supplies, transportation, essential visitors, and medical or disability impact exceptions.

This does not have to be submitted to the LDOE

Reopening Instructional Resources: Strong Start 2020 Teaching and Learning Toolkit

A Toolkit for Teaching and Learning for Schools was released last Tuesday. This toolkit supports school leaders and teachers in implementing the Strong Start 2020 priorities aligned to teaching and learning. It includes high-level actions to implement the priority, along with samples and models for implementation. It is structured around the following teaching and learning priorities:

- Assessments and individual student plans
- Continuous core, non-core and CTE instruction
- Student and staff well-being
- Professional development
- Adaptive and flexible staffing plans and schedules
- Strategic communications plans
- 1:1 device and access



Supports from Key Partners: CHNOLA

The Children's Hospital New Orleans Hotline for School Wellness and Virtual Care (504-837-7760) offers guidance to school nurses and school administrators.

The Children's Hospital New Orleans Town Hall Series for Schools is being conducted every two weeks through July and August.

The next Town Hall is August 4, 2020 at 1:00 PM

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Supports from Key Partners: CHNOLA

CHNOLA will make available the following to school systems in August:

- Printable signage for physical distancing reminders
- Printable signage for facial coverings, hand washing and other wellness issues
- Parent Communication tool kit

Supports from Key Partners: GOHSEP

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Availability for School Reopening: As school systems plan for operations during the 2020-2021 school year, the Department is working in concert with the Governor's Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Management (GOHSEP) to address immediate personal protective equipment (PPE) needs.

GOHSEP will provide:

- at least one cloth (reusable/washable) mask for each student and faculty member;
- at least 2,000 disposal masks (for visitors and/or students/faculty that may forget their mask); and
- at least 3 thermometers per each school.

School systems should make PPE requests directly to the Parish Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (OHSEP) directors in respective school systems by following the steps outlined below:

- 1. School systems should compile data that depicts number of students, number of faculty members and number of schools.
- 2. Each school system will make requests to the respective parish OHSEP based on data specified in number one (above bullet).
- 3. Requests for this should go to the <u>local parish OHSEP contact</u>.
- 4. Delivery will be made to the school systems' warehouse for school distribution as systems already have a mechanism to disseminate supplies.

Please contact <u>LDOECOVID19support@la.gov</u> with questions.

Moderated Q&A Session

Additional questions following the Q&A can be sent to: LDOECOVID19support@la.gov