



Northern Suburban
Special Education District

April 29, 2021

Dear NSSED Families,

Reopening Committee and Message Schedule

Beginning in May, the Reopening Committee will meet twice a month rather than every week. This message will come out after each meeting, and if there is critical information in the interim that will be communicated as well. The next Reopening Committee meeting will be May 13, 2021.

Reopening Plan

We have revised and added guidance into the Reopening Plan. Please see the following items:

- [Travel Outside the School/Work Day](#)

Lake County Health Department Update

The Region 9 positivity rate in Lake County was 3.1% as of April 24, 2021.

Travel Guidance

The CDC and state and local health departments have stated that people who are **fully vaccinated** with an FDA-authorized vaccine can travel safely within the United States as they are less likely to get and spread COVID-19; use of the 3 W's is still recommended.

NSSED students or staff **who are not vaccinated** and are unable to follow the 3 W's while traveling will be required to:

- a. Get a COVID-19 viral test 3 - 5 days after travel AND
- b. Stay home for 7 days after travel.
- c. Even with a negative COVID-19 test, travelers should stay at home for the full 7 days and monitor for symptoms and maintain strict mask wearing and social distancing for the full 10 days after travel.
- d. If you choose not to get tested, then quarantine at home for 10 days after travel.

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