



Northern Suburban  
Special Education District

April 8, 2021

Dear NSSED Families,

### **Phase 3: In-Person Learning**

As a reminder, to prepare for our return to in-person learning, NSSED staff will engage in an ISBE-provided planning day tomorrow, Friday, April 9. **There will be no student attendance or instruction on April 9** in our programs: North Shore Academy, North Shore Academy Elementary, Arbor Academy, Little Wildcats and Little Adventurers, and Transition Center.

### **Reopening Plan**

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

- [Travel Outside the School Day](#) (the added guidance is shown in the next item below)

### **Travel Guidance**

COVID-19 travel guidance has been in the news recently. Our travel guidance remains the same; NSSED students or staff who are unable to follow the 3 W's while traveling will be required to:

- Get a COVID-19 viral test 3 - 5 days after travel **AND**
- Stay home for 7 days after travel.
- 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.
- If you choose not to get tested, then quarantine at home for 10 days after travel.

**This process applies whether you are vaccinated or not.**

### **Vaccination Status**

Vaccination efforts for Lake County educators have been going well. Currently 77% of NSSED staff have either been fully vaccinated or have received one dose of the vaccination with the second dose scheduled within the next two weeks.

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