



State Department of Education/Public Instruction COVID-19 Information/Guidance on School Closures and Reopening

The recent rise in coronavirus cases has resulted in schools returning to online remote learning or left to delay reopening. State leaders and local officials continue to reassess the impact of COVID-19 while maintaining community safety and health. Currently, 45 states have issued a mask mandate, and several have school mandate requirements. All 50 states and the District of Columbia released guidance for districts, and developed community color-coded COVID-19 transmission classifications for counties. When and how schools are delivering education is largely determined by local district, board of education and health authorities. In addition to state guidance, other considerations include: state and local public health mandates, state and community COVID-19 data, and implementing safety measures to protect students, families, and school personnel.

School reopening options included one or a combination of virtual or remote learning; in-person; or a hybrid. Districts continue to adjust plans as state status' and COVID-19 data is updated. The one constant is schools are preparing for any changes that may arise, and they have developed processes and strategies which include hiring their own contact tracers. A drop in public school enrollment is reported across multiple states, attributed to lower than expected Kindergarten enrollment where parents didn't enroll their kids in school or are choosing to delay their kids' start. In turn, the lower numbers impact school budgets which determine the amount of state funding districts receive. Experts warn cooler weather will increase the coronavirus' spread, and the continued impact on school communities is unknown.

A hot topic continues to be the status of high school sports and other extra-curricular activities, with many states delaying or altering the sports season. Several states reversed initial decisions and have flipped some sports back to the fall with others reconsidering based on feedback from parents and communities. However due to the recent uptick in COVID cases, some states have moved their winter seasons to spring. In some cases, sports or games were cancelled or postponed based on positive COVID-19 reports. For the most [current list](#), visit the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) website.

The situation changes rapidly, and we try our best to maintain the information and links. Please visit your state department of education and local school district websites for the most current information.

Updated info

Federal and Education Organizations

[Covidschooltracker.com](https://covid19.com) (School COVID-19 case data by state)

U.S. Department of Education COVID-19 Information and Resources

<https://www.ed.gov/coronavirus>

- [What Congressional COVID Funding Means for K-12 Schools \(Updated 11/18/20\)](#)

Pacific Disaster Center – COVID-19 Global Pandemic Dashboard **Worldwide data by country also posted*

- [US Status \(11/19/20\)](#) - 40 states and territories have some type of mandated mask requirement.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

- [Preparing K-12 Administrators for a Safe Return to School in Fall 2020 \(8/26/20\)](#)
- [Operating Schools During COVID \(9/1/20\)](#)
- [Schools and Childcare Programs: Plan, Prepare, and Respond \(Updated 10/16/20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Vaccination Program Operational Guidance \(11/6/20\)](#)
 - Executive summaries from the COVID-19 vaccine playbooks, a crucial step in the overall U.S. government effort to develop, distribute, and administer COVID-19 vaccines.



Education Commission of the States

- [COVID-19 Update: State Policy Responses and Other Executive Actions to the Coronavirus in Public Schools \(9/30/20\)](#)
- [Key Issues: COVID \(Seven Part Series\)](#) – ECS tracks state education policies related to impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic, this series provides overviews on key issues facing education leaders.
 - [Changes to State Graduation Requirements](#)

College Board Corona Virus Updates (6/30/20)

- [Advanced Placement \(AP\) Testing and Exams](#)
- [SAT and PSAT Coronavirus Updates](#)

[International Baccalaureate COVID-19 \(Updated 11/4/20\)](#)

National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS)

- [Updated Guidance for Fall \(8/31/20\)](#)
- [NFHS Releases Guidelines for Return to High School Marching Band Activities \(6/9/20\)](#)
- [Status of State Association Activity Restrictions \(6/22/20\)](#)
- [Fall 2020 Guidance for Music Education \(6/22/20\)](#)
- [NFHS Sports Medicine Position Statements and Guidelines \(8/9/20\)](#)
- [NFHS and NAFME: Copyright for Distance Learning \(9/10/20\)](#)
- [Sports Season Modifications Update \(10/23/20\)](#)
- [Course: COVID-19 for Coaches and Administrators](#)
- [NFHS Performing Arts COVID-19 Resources \(11/13/20\)](#)

State Department of Education Webpages and Information

Alabama

- State DOE: <https://www.alsde.edu/covid-19>
- Resources:
 - [Roadmap for Reopening Schools](#)
 - [AHSAA Releases Best Practices Document and Fall Sports Rule Modifications \(7/23/20\)](#)
 - [Alabama Dept. of Health updates coronavirus toolkit for schools \(10/13/20\)](#)
 - [Alabama Public Health Department – Schools K-12 and Report Card](#)
- Articles:
 - [Pandemic Costs Pile Up As Many Schools Remain Closed \(10/21/20\)](#)
 - [ADPH Analyzes COVID-19 Uptick in Alabama Schools \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - [Alabama schools report 2,261 new COVID-19 cases \(11/20/20\)](#)
 - [Despite rising COVID cases, few Alabama schools switch to virtual between holidays \(11/22/20\)](#)

Alaska

- State DOE: <https://education.alaska.gov/safeschools/infectiousdisease>
- Resources:
 - [Alaska's Smart Start for K-12 Schools and Framework](#)
 - [ASAA COVID-19 Resources](#)
- Articles:
 - [Alaska sees record with 526 COVID-19 cases reported Sunday \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Alaska high school basketball gets a late tipoff, and for small schools that means March Madness in April \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Staffing concerns drove Anchorage superintendent to postpone opening schools \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Dunleavy clarifies statewide COVID-19 emergency alert does not mean schools must close \(11/13/20\)](#)

- o [Alaska hospitals report strain as coronavirus continues statewide \(11/20/20\)](#)

Arizona

- State DOE: <https://www.azed.gov/communications/2020/03/10/guidance-to-schools-on-covid-19/>
- Resources:
 - o [Department of Education Releases Guidance for Reopening Arizona schools \(6/1/20 11:20am\)](#)
 - o [Roadmap for Reopening Schools](#)
 - o [COVID-19 School Benchmarks \(11/19/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Arizona public schools see enrollment decline amid coronavirus pandemic \(10/23/20\)](#)
 - o [Arizona education and health officials held news conference amid surge in COVID19 cases \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - o [Education, health leaders launch 'Healthy Kids, Open Schools' campaign amid COVID-19 surge \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [Football game cancellations rampant among Arizona high schools as COVID-19 cases rise \(11/23/20\)](#)

Arkansas

- State DOE: <http://dese.ade.arkansas.gov/divisions/communications/covid-19-information>
- Resources:
 - o [Arkansas Back-to-School Playbook](#)
 - o [State releases 'Arkansas Ready to Learn, Healthy School' Guide \(8/13/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Teachers' dual roles doubling their work \(10/25/20\)](#)
 - o [Substitute teachers harder to find during the pandemic \(10/25/20\)](#)
 - o [Pandemic lessons: Teachers need time to do their jobs \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - o [COVID-19 Hospitalizations Set New Records; Active Cases Rise in Public Schools \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [Arkansas schools in the red zone jumps by 51 \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - o [Arkansas schools to start retesting in the Spring \(11/19/20\)](#)

California

- State DOE: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/he/hn/coronavirus.asp>
- Resources:
 - o [COVID-19 Industry Guidance: Schools and School-Based Programs](#)
 - [Stronger Together: A guidebook for Safe Reopening of California's Public Schools](#)
 - [Quick Guide: What California's color-coded county tracking system means for schools \(8/31/20\)](#)
 - [BluePrint for a Safer Economy \(8/28/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Virus outbreaks unavoidable as school campuses reopen, experts warn \(10/23/20\)](#)
 - [California praised for recent handling of pandemic \(10/23/20\)](#)
 - [Leading school superintendents ask Gov. Newsom to impose a 'common standard' for reopening schools in California \(11/3/20\)](#)
 - [Rising Covid-19 rates halt school reopening plans in three California counties \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Gov. Newsome Imposes New Restrictions To Curb COVID-19 \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - [Did Schools Reopen Too Soon? California Federation Of Teachers Says Yes \(11/18/20\)](#)



Colorado

- State DOE: <https://www.cde.state.co.us/safedistrschools>
- Resources:
 - [A Framework and Toolkit for District Leaders \(5/7/20\)](#)
 - [FAQ: How Colorado high school football plans to return amid the coronavirus pandemic \(10/7/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [These school districts have shifted to remote learning \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Coronavirus in Colorado – Latest updates, Nov. 12](#)
 - [Colorado school leaders say state COVID rules are hindering in-person learning \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - [Colorado Education Association Develops Model For School Districts When COVID Cases Rise \(11/19/20\)](#)

Connecticut

- State DOE: <https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/COVID19/COVID-19-Resources-for-Families-and-Educators>
- Resources:
 - [Governor Lamont Announces Plans for the 2020-2021 School year Amid the Ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic \(6/25/20\)](#)
 - [Executive Summary](#)
 - [Adapt, Advance, Achieve: Connecticut's Plan to learn and Grow Together Presentation](#)
- Articles:
 - [CT public schools make adjustments after reporting COVID cases over the weekend \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Coronavirus cases rising among Connecticut students and school staff \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - [More Than Half a Dozen CT Schools Close Buildings Due to Staffing Shortage \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - [Future CT Coronavirus Restrictions To Keep Schools Open: Lamont \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - [Sports suspended as COVID cases tracked to athletics \(11/19/20\)](#)

Delaware

- State DOE: <https://www.doe.k12.de.us/domain/599>
- Resources:
 - [State of Delaware Announces Guidance for Reopening of Schools for 2020-21 Academic Year \(7/15/20\)](#)
 - [Returning to School: Planning a Safe, Efficient and Equitable School Return for Students and Staff](#)
 - [Governor Carney Issues revision to Omnibus COVID-19 Order \(10/10/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [COVID-19 spread by in-school students and staff has proven rare, DPH says \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Governor Carney warns of more restrictions amid Delaware spike in COVID-19 cases, hospitalizations \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Schools to stay open as Carney announces new round of business and gathering restrictions \(11/17/20\)](#)
 - [Weekly report highlights Covid-19 surge, school cases \(11/21/20\)](#)

District of Columbia

- Public Schools: <https://dcps.dc.gov/coronavirus>
- Resources:
 - [School Year Term 1 will Begin Virtually \(7/30/20\)](#)
 - [Unified Virtual Start Date – August 31, with shift to possible hybrid model on November 9](#)
- Articles:
 - [Coronavirus in DC, Maryland, Virginia: What to Know on Nov. 18](#)



- [Washington Teachers' Union Reject School Reopening Agreement with D.C. Public Schools \(11/18/20\)](#)

Florida

- State DOE: <http://www.fldoe.org/em-response/>
- Resources:
 - [Reopening Florida's Schools and the CARES Act \(6/11/20\)](#)
 - [Safe. Smart. Step-by-Step. Plan](#)
- Articles:
 - [Florida Governor opposes school closures for COVID-19 \(10/21/20\)](#)
 - [Nearly 3,000 more COVID-19 cases related to FL schools \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [South Florida high school football teams trying to get through late, interrupted season as COVID-19 cases rise \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Coronavirus cases are rising in Florida schools. What will they do? \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - [As coronavirus cases surge in Florida, rise reflected in reports from schools \(11/21/20\)](#)

Georgia

- State DOE: <https://www.georgiainsights.com/coronavirus.html>
- Resources:
 - [Georgia Department of Education Releases Reopening Guidelines for Schools \(6/1/20\)](#)
 - [Path to Recovery for K-12 Schools](#)
 - [High school football kicks off in Georgia amid COVID-19 \(9/6/20\)](#)
 - [SAT score waived for UGA, other Georgia college admissions, but still required for scholarships \(9/14/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Quarantines vex some Georgia schools as infections spread \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [Georgia graduation rate increases again \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Schools prep for indoor winter sports amid COVID-19 spike in Georgia \(11/22/20\)](#)
 - [Georgia schools suspend in-person teaching as virus spreads \(11/18/20\)](#)

Hawaii

- State DOE: <https://bit.ly/3eExX4i>
- Resources:
 - [Guidance for Reopening Schools](#)
 - [Return to Learn \(7/2/20\)](#)
 - [Hawaii Health Department updates guidance for schools reopening \(10/20/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Some Hawaii public schools shift gears for students foiled by online learning \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - [Health department cites COVID-19 cases in Hawaii schools, University dorms \(11/12/20\)](#)
 - [Hawaii Principals Find Communal Space: We Need Each Other \(11/23/20\)](#)

Idaho

- State DOE: <https://coronavirus.idaho.gov/resources-for-schools/>
- Illinois Education Association: <https://ieanea.org/covid-19/>
- Idaho Board of Education: <https://boardofed.idaho.gov>
- Resources:
 - [Board of Education allowing schools to reopen if they follow COVID-19 safety protocols \(5/4/20\)](#)
 - [School District and Charter School Re-Entry Criteria](#)
 - [Idaho High School Activities Association releases fall sports guidance \(7/21/20, 9:41 AM\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [In Idaho, high some student athletes completing fall sports as normal \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Educators Continue In-Person Instruction Amid COVID-19 Surge \(11/23/20\)](#)



- o [Analysis: What we know \(and don't\) about the COVID-19 vaccine rollout for Idaho schools \(11/21/20\)](#)

Illinois

- State Board of Education: <https://www.isbe.net/coronavirus>
- Resources:
 - o [Starting the 2020-21 School Year \(June 23, 2020\) – Part 3 Transition and Joint Guidance](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Coronavirus in Illinois \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - o [Illinois COVID-19 Hot Spots \(11/6/20\)](#)
 - o [Illinois starts sharing data about COVID-19 outbreak in schools \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [Illinois teachers union calls on Gov. Pritzker to close school buildings again because of COVID-19 surge \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - o [Data shows outbreaks in Illinois schools \(11/18/20\)](#)

Indiana

- State DOE: <https://www.doe.in.gov/safety/health/covid-19-resources-indiana-schools>
- Resources:
 - o [Indiana's Considerations for Learning and Safe Schools In-Class Guidance](#)
- [Statewide COVID-19 map offers guidance for Indiana schools \(9/5/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Indiana coronavirus updates for Tuesday, November 10, 2020](#)
 - o [Here are the Central Indiana schools going to eLearning or hybrid due to COVID-19 cases \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - o [More than 3,300 additional COVID-19 cases reported in schools, total tops 15,000 \(11/23/20\)](#)
 - o ['Exhausted and broken': coronavirus quarantines lead to severe shortages of teachers, subs \(11/20/20\)](#)
 - o [Indiana coronavirus updates: State passes 300k cases \(11/23/20\)](#)

Iowa

- State DOE: <https://educateiowa.gov/article/2020/04/03/covid-19-guidance-and-information>
- Resources:
 - o [Reopening Guidance for Schools \(6/25/20\)](#)
 - o [Iowa High School Athletic Association announces revised 2020 football schedule due to COVID-19 \(7/24/20, 1:14 PM\)](#)
 - o [Iowa Dept. Of Education: COVID-19 Guidance and Information \(10/7/20\)](#)
 - o
- Articles:
 - o [Iowa reports another 6 COVID-19 deaths, 508 total confirmed cases, bringing total tests above 900,000 \(10/19/20\)](#)
 - o [Iowa reports 22 COVID-19 deaths \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - o [As COVID-19 cases explode, Iowa remains 'open for business' \(11/12/20\)](#)
 - o [Another 12 Iowa schools, districts have received online-only waivers this week, totaling 23 since Nov. 1 \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - o [Gov. Kim Reynolds' new mask mandate doesn't apply to schools \(11/20/20\)](#)

Kansas

- State DOE: <https://www.ksde.org/Home/Quick-Links/News-Room/kansas-school-buildings-to-close-for-remainder-of-school-year-because-of-covid-19-1>
- Resources:
 - o [Navigating Change: Kansas' Guide to Learning and School Safety Operations \(7/15/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Kansas counties, biggest school district set new COVID rules \(11/11/20\)](#)



- [Kansas to Launch Pro-Mask Campaign but Faces Skepticism \(11/21/20\)](#)
- [Proposal would delay Kansas winter prep sports until Jan. 15 \(11/23/20\)](#)

Kentucky

- State DOE: <https://education.ky.gov/districts/SHS/Pages/2019-Novel-Coronavirus.aspx>
- Resources:
 - [KY Department of Education Releases Guidance for Schools to Reopen Safely this Fall \(5/15/20\)](#)
 - [COVID-19 Considerations for Reopening Schools - Initial Guidance for Schools and Districts \(5/15/20\)](#)
 - [High school sports in Kentucky restart with COVID-19 safety measures \(Updated 9/8/20\)](#)
 - [New K-12 COVID-19 Dashboard Live for Kentucky Schools to Self-Report Data \(10/5/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Several KY districts moving to distance learning as COVID-19 cases rise \(10/23/20\)](#)
 - [‘Truly frightening.’ 2,302 new Kentucky coronavirus cases and 10 deaths. \(11/6/20\)](#)
 - [KHSAA commissioner overall pleased with how football season played out during the pandemic \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [As cases surge, Gov. Andy Beshear unveils new coronavirus restrictions for Kentucky \(11/18/20\)](#)
 - [Kentucky students return to remote learning after governor’s order \(11/23/20\)](#)

Louisiana

- State DOE: <https://www.louisianabelieves.com/resources/covid-19>
- Resources:
 - [Reopening LA Schools, Adjusting 2020-21 Schedule Focus of ‘Strong Start’ Guidance \(5/8/20 4:04pm\)](#)
 - [Strong Start Planning Guide \(6/25/20\)](#)
 - [Performance of Louisiana school will not be fully updated on annual ‘report cards’ in 2020 \(9/21/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Senate Education Committee Unanimously votes to advance The Ka’Mauri Act \(10/31/20\)](#)
 - Bill mandates school districts to write policies specifically for online learning
 - [Here’s a look at where Louisiana schools are reporting cases of COVID-19 \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [MAP: COVID-19 cases in schools rising in southeast, Louisiana \(11/13/20\)](#)
 - [Louisiana students, teachers have mixed feelings on coronavirus-affected school year \(11/15/20\)](#)

Maine

- State DOE: <https://www.maine.gov/doe/covid-19>
- Resources:
 - Maine Education Department Releases Initial Guidelines for Reopening Schools in Fall (6/14/20)
 - [Working Draft: Return to Classroom Instruction Framework \(6/11/20\)](#)
 - [Return to Classroom Instruction Framework](#)
 - [No football, volleyball to be played at Maine high schools this fall \(9/11/20\)](#)
 - [Officials unveil dashboard of coronavirus cases in Maine schools \(10/14/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Four Maine counties categorized ‘yellow’ in latest school designations \(11/6/20\)](#)
 - [Maine remote learning concerns amid coronavirus center on internet connectivity, less socialization \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Maine DOE Updates color-coded guide for schools, Androscoggin county has changed to yellow \(11/13/20\)](#)
 - [As COVID-19 cases hit record levels in Maine, models predict numbers will get even worse \(11/18/20\)](#)

- o [Maine CDC Director says COVID-19 is not being spread in schools \(11/20/20\)](#)

Maryland

- State DOE: <http://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/default.aspx>
- Resources:
 - o [A State Plan Outlines How Schools Could Change in Maryland \(5/7/20 6:56pm\)](#)
 - [Maryland's Recovery Plan for Education \(5/13/20 10:51am\)](#)
 - o [School Boards Across Maryland Consider How to Safely Bring Students Back Amid Coronavirus Pandemic \(10/7/20\)](#)
 - o [Maryland schools get green light for earlier start to winter sports \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - o [Five things to know about Maryland's coronavirus dashboard \(11/18/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [MCPS superintendent, other Maryland school leaders seek clarity on state COVID-19 guidelines \(10/24/20\)](#)
 - o [Coronavirus in DC, Maryland, Virginia: What to Know on Nov. 18](#)
 - o [More than 50 public and private schools faced outbreaks in recent weeks \(11/20/20\)](#)

Massachusetts

- State DOE: <http://www.doe.mass.edu/covid19/>
- Resources:
 - o [Fall Reopening Memo for Massachusetts Schools \(6/8/20, 9:46am\)](#)
 - [MA DESE Memorandum \(6/5/20\) - Guidance on Required Safety Supplies for Reopening Schools](#)
 - o [Reopening Massachusetts Public Schools \(9/3/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Live school updates: The latest on COVID-19 and education in Mass. \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - o [Mass Schools to Get 2 Million Rapid Coronavirus Tests \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - o [Education Commissioner Reverses Course, Says Mass. Schools In Red Should Stay Open \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - o [New database shows how the 40 largest school districts in Massachusetts have responded to the coronavirus \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - o [Live school updates: The latest on education and COVID-19 in Mass. \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - o [As Cases Soar, Massachusetts Is Better Prepared to Handle Coronavirus Surge, Baker Says \(11/12/20\)](#)
 - o [Mass. Schools Report 652 New COVID-19 Cases Among Students, Staff \(11/20/20\)](#)

Michigan

- State DOE: https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-37818_53456---,00.html
- Resources:
 - o [Michigan State University publishes guide for K-12 schools reopening amid pandemic \(6/18/20 11:43am\)](#)
 - [Re-Opening Schools During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Coronavirus Outbreaks Reported at 99 Michigan K-12 Schools and 27 Colleges in Oct. 26 Report \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - o [Michigan Gov. Whitmer Announces COVID-19 Grants for Teachers, Support Staff \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - o [What role are Michigan schools playing in spread of COVID-19? \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [Full List: Michigan reports 50 new COVID-19 related outbreaks \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [Michigan to close high schools, collages, bars for 3 weeks as COVID spikes \(11/15/20\)](#)
 - o [Coronavirus in Michigan: Here's what to know Nov. 23, 2020](#)



Minnesota

- State DOE: <https://education.mn.gov/MDE/dse/health/covid19/>
- Resources:
 - [Minnesota schools allowed to reopen for summer \(5/15/20 4:27pm\)](#)
 - [Stay Safe: Minnesota Dept of Health: 2020-2021 Planning Guide for Schools](#)
- Articles:
 - [Rising coronavirus cases mean 19 MN counties may have to close all schools \(10/22/20\)](#)
 - [Walz discusses COVID-19 strategy, no plans to re-close business, schools \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [MN Governor Walz Announces New Measures \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [More Minnesota schools halt in-person classes as COVID-19 cases rise \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [COVID in Minnesota: High Schools Brace For Winter Sports Restrictions \(11/17/20\)](#)
 - [MN teacher's union: Follow new COVID-19 guidelines to keep schools open \(11/20/20\)](#)

Mississippi

- State DOE: <https://www.mdek12.org/COVID19>
- Resources:
 - [Considerations for Reopening Mississippi Schools, June-August 2020](#)
- Articles:
 - [More rapid COVID-19 tests coming to Mississippi \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Harrison County, 6 other counties added to coronavirus mask mandate, MS Gov. Reeves says \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Mississippi Sees 1,612 New Cases of COVID-19, Highest Report Since All-Time Peak \(11/5/20\)](#)
 - [COVID-19 cases rising among school kids, Mississippi health officials say \(11/18/20\)](#)
 - [As coronavirus spikes across Mississippi, school districts choose to close doors \(11/20/20\)](#)

Missouri

- State DOE: <https://dese.mo.gov/communications/coronavirus-covid-19-information>
- Resources:
 - [Missouri School Boards Association Releases Guidelines to Consider When Reopening Schools \(5/11/20 5:52pm\)](#)
 - <https://ams.embr.mobi/Documents/DocumentAttachment.aspx?C=ZfON&DID=GJGDM>
 - [DESE, DHSS release FAQs on school re-opening \(8/17/20\)](#)
 - [COVID-19 relief funds now available to reimburse substitute teachers in Missouri \(10/24/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Missouri high school playoffs continue with COVID-19 travel restrictions in mind \(11/20/20\)](#)
 - [Missouri facing 'exponential and unyielding' COVID spread. \(11/22/20\)](#)
 - [While reaction to Missouri's new guidance on COVID-19 quarantining in schools is mixed, some schools have already been following that guidance \(11/13/20\)](#)

Montana

- State DOE: <http://opi.mt.gov/COVID-19-Information>
- Resources:
 - [School Districts Decision on COVID-19 Closures \(4/14/20\)](#)
 - [The 3 Phases of Reopening Schools](#)
 - [Guide to the 2020 Class A football season \(8/25/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Montana schools turn to remote learning after COVID exposure \(11/6/20\)](#)
 - [401 Montana schools with COVID-19 cases \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Montana schools could get a smaller, late round of COVID stimulus funding \(11/12/20\)](#)
 - [Montana coronavirus report \(11/23/20\)](#)



Nebraska

- State DOE: <https://www.education.ne.gov/publichealth/resources/>
- Resources:
 - [State ed commissioner: flexibility and balance keys to working through the pandemic \(6/5/20\)](#)
 - [Launch Nebraska](#)
 - [NSAA Fall Sports Announcement \(7/20/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Governor announces Nebraska's plan to distribute the COVID-19 vaccine \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Ricketts says Nebraska prioritizing kids in schools; board member calls for stricter DHMs \(11/5/20\)](#)
 - [Nebraska high schools move closer to normal Signing Day ceremonies \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [NSEA files petition to require schools to follow strict health and safety criteria \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - [Ricketts says Nebraska is approaching renewed COVID-19 restrictions \(11/20/20\)](#)

Nevada

- State DOE: <http://www.doe.nv.gov>
- Resources:
 - [Gov Sisolak signs directive allowing K-12 schools to open for summer \(6/10/20 12:49am\)](#)
 - [Nevada's Path Forward: A Framework for a Safe, Efficient, and Equitable Return to School Buildings \(6/9/20\)](#)
 - [Nevada high school fall sports postponed; no state tournaments planned \(7/23/20\)](#)
 - [State announces free COVID-19 tests for all public-school employees \(9/14/20\)](#)
 - [School District Launches COVID-19 Testing Program for Employees \(10/23/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Sisolak urges Nevadans to limit nonessential activities under 'Stay at Home 2.0' or face further restrictions in two weeks \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Clark County schools consider reopening, but as COVID-19 surges, teachers push back \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Gov. Sisolak announces new restrictions for Nevada as COVID-19 cases surge \(11/23/20\)](#)

New Hampshire

- State DOE: <https://www.education.nh.gov/who-we-are/commissioner/covid-19>
- Resources:
 - [New Hampshire Grades K-12 Back-to-School Guidance \(July 2020\)](#)
 - [NHIAA moving ahead on fall sports, putting safety first \(7/26/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Active COVID-19 Cases in NH, The Most Since June: Data \(10/25/20\)](#)
 - [Another COVID-19 Death: 230 More Positive Cases In NH: Data \(11/7/20\)](#)
 - [New Hampshire Schools Weigh Whether To Go Remote Until After The Holidays \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - [New Hampshire Reaches Another One-Day High for Coronavirus: 529 \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - [More NH Schools Switch to Remote Learning \(11/20/20\)](#)

New Jersey

- State DOE: <https://www.nj.gov/education/topics/index.shtml>
- Resources:
 - [NJ Schools reopening in fall with students back in classrooms \(6/26/20 5:43pm\)](#)
 - [The Road Back: Restart and Recovery Plan for Education](#)
 - [Did your kid fall behind during the pandemic? N.J. Schools to unveil new "Start Strong" exam to find out. \(9/11/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [NJ reports 1,223 new COVID-19 cases \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [NJ Student Transporter Discusses Impact of COVID-19 \(10/26/20\)](#)

- [State reports big drop in all-remote learning in NJ public schools \(11/10/20\)](#)
- [Should all NJ schools go virtual? \(11/11/20\)](#)
- [NJ is not planning statewide school closure now due to COVID-19 spike; Gov. Phil Murphy says \(11/12/20\)](#)
- [NJEA: Murphy is downplaying the risks of keeping schools open \(11/19/20\)](#)

New Mexico

- State DOE: <https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/bureaus/safe-healthy-schools/covid-19-coronavirus/>
 - [New Mexico Releases Plan for Reopening Public Schools \(6/23/20 1:03pm\)](#)
 - [NMAA announces revised 2020-21 sports calendar \(7/15/20, 3:29PM\)](#)
 - [School Air Filters to be Upgraded Across New Mexico \(9/12/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Public Education Department Confirms 73 New Cases of COVID-19 Across New Mexico's Public Schools \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [As COVID-19 cases surge what's next for schools \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Recap of New Mexico COVID-19 news \(11/23/20 edition\)](#)
 - [New Mexico warns all schools may return to fully remote learning \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - [NM Adds More Testing as COVID-19 Cases, Hospitalizations and Deaths Surge \(11/23/20\)](#)

New York

- State DOE: <http://www.nysed.gov/coronavirus>
- Resources:
 - [NY State Education Department releases framework for school reopening plans \(7/13/20\)](#)
 - [Recovering, Rebuilding, and Renewing the Spirit of New York's Schools \(7/13/20\)](#)
 - [Governor Cuomo Launches "The COVID-29 Report Card," An Online Dashboard Tracking Real-Time COVID-19 Infections and Testing Operations of Every New York School and School District \(9/8/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [COVID-19 Testing Presents Challenges For Schools \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Cuomo Orders New COVID-19 Restrictions As Cases In New York Climb \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Coronavirus news: Gov Cuomo says state makes school decisions once positivity rate is over 3% \(11/22/20\)](#)
 - [Number of COVID-19 cases among DOE students and staff grows to 2,400 \(11/21/20\)](#)

North Carolina

- State Department of Public Instruction: <https://www.dpi.nc.gov/news/covid-19-response-resources>
- Resources:
 - [N.C. releases 116-page guidebook on reopening public schools \(6/11/20 6:06pm\)](#)
 - [Lighting Our Way Forward: NC's Guidebook for Reopening Public Schools](#)
- Articles:
 - [NC reports more than 2,000 cases as hospitalizations top 1,200 once again \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [Coronavirus live updates \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [As schools reopen during COVID-19, we need a nurse in every school \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Gov Cooper: NC Phase 3 reopening 'paused' again two weeks before Thanksgiving holiday, gathering limit reduced from 25 to 10 \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Record Breaking Spike In COVID-19 Cases: More Than 3K In One Day \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Gov. Cooper signs executive order to strengthen mask mandate in N.C. \(11/23/20\)](#)
 - [Number of N.C. counties in the 'red zone' for COVID-19 cases doubles from last week \(11/23/20\)](#)



North Dakota

- State Department of Public Instruction: <https://bit.ly/3gcb3S2>
- Resources:
 - [North Dakota K-12 Smart Start Restart Guidance \(May 2020\)](#)
 - [NDHSAA Return to Competition Guidelines \(7/24/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [15 more COVID-19 deaths reported in ND; numbers rising in Ward County \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [Why North and South Dakota are suffering the worst Covid-19 epidemics in the US \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [Active COVID-19 cases top 11,000 in North Dakota; 12 deaths reported \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [30 more COVID-19 deaths reported in North Dakota; schools, nursing homes face staff shortages \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [North Dakota to roll out free rapid testing for K-12 school staff in pilot project to slow COVID-19 spread \(11/22/20\)](#)

Ohio

- State DOE: <http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Student-Supports/Coronavirus>
- Resources:
 - [Reset and Restart Education: Planning Guide for Ohio's Schools and Districts](#)
 - [New OHSAA executive director Doug Ute: 'Full steam ahead' for winter sports \(9/9/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [COVID Cases, Quarantines Continue in Ohio County Schools \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [Ohio schools report 2,000 new coronavirus cases this week \(11/5/20\)](#)
 - [DeWine announces new orders, threatens shutdowns if virus continues to spread \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [For 10th straight week, Ohio schools report record weekly cases in coronavirus cases \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - [Coronavirus finding its way into Ohio's K-12 schools, infecting students, staff \(11/20/20\)](#)
 - [Ohio State dashboard helping Columbus-area schools spot COVID outbreaks among children \(11/16/20\)](#)

Oklahoma

- State DOE: <https://sde.ok.gov/>
- Resources:
 - [COVID 19 FAQ for Oklahoma Public Schools](#)
 - [Oklahoma Department of Education Releases Guidance on School Reopening This Fall \(6/3/20\)](#)
 - i. [Return to Learn Oklahoma – a Framework for Reopening Schools](#)
- Articles:
 - [Feds to deliver 1/2M rapid coronavirus tests to Oklahoma \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [One of Oklahoma's largest school districts back to in-person learning as COVID-19 cases climb \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Pressure for mask mandate increases for Oklahoma schools \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Classroom COVID-19 confusion: Flood of Oklahoma districts decide to move to distance learning \(11/13/20\)](#)
 - [State superintendent says she would have implemented Oklahoma school masking mandate 'a long time ago' \(11/19/20\)](#)
 - [Oklahoma schools are starting to defy CDC quarantine rules \(11/20/20\)](#)

Oregon

- State DOE: <https://www.oregon.gov/ode/students-and-family/healthsafety/Pages/COVID19.aspx>
- Resources:
 - [Ready Schools, Safe Learners: Guidance for SY2020-21](#)
 - [OSAA Update: Memo to Schools \(7/22/20\)](#)

- [Oregon Department of Education releases new COVID targets for schools to reopen in person \(11/1/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [How Oregon school districts track attendance during COVID \(10/16/20\)](#)
 - [47 cases of COVID-19 reported at 24 Oregon schools \(11/5/20\)](#)
 - [114 cases of COVID-19 across 67 schools in Oregon \(11/19/20\)](#)

Pennsylvania

- State DOE: <https://bit.ly/3dG9fzb>
- Resources:
 - [Wolf Administration Outlines Preliminary Guidance for Phased Reopening of Schools \(6/3/20\)](#)
 - [Preliminary Guidance](#)
 - [GOP Introduces COVID-19 Liability Shield for Schools \(10/12/20\)](#)
 - [While COVID sidelines MD athletics, Your County, PA schools are playing ball \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Pennsylvania COVID-19 Early Warning Monitoring Dashboard Update for Oct.16-Oct. 22 \(10/26/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Coronavirus in Pennsylvania: Schools Reporting More Cases As Some Switch To Online Learning \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Schools face pressure to close as COVID-19 cases increase in Pennsylvania \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [As COVID-19 Cases Reach Critical Levels, Wolf Admin Announces New Mitigation Efforts \(11/23/20\)](#)
 - [New COVID Rules Issued In PA Impacting Schools, Businesses \(11/23/20\)](#)

Rhode Island

- State DOE: <https://www.ride.ri.gov/InsideRIDE/AdditionalInformation/Covid19.aspx>
- Resources:
 - [Reimagining RI Education: Fall Reopening Plan Framework, SY20-21 \(5/22/20\)](#)
 - [RI opens comprehensive school testing program for COVID-19 \(9/14/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [For RI, This Coming Week's Numbers May Be the Most Important in the Battle Against Coronavirus \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [5 Major Coronavirus Developments – More Data Problems in RI \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [R.I. education chief warns 'something drastic' is coming if a deal can't be reached with Providence teachers \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [781 New Coronavirus Cases in RI Reported, Daily Record of New Cases \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Rhode Island high schools shift to distance learning after Thanksgiving \(11/18/20\)](#)
 - [Video: Gov. Raimondo announces Pre-K, elementary schools to hold in-person learning during two-weeks pause \(11/23/20\)](#)

South Carolina

- State DOE: <https://ed.sc.gov/newsroom/covid-19-coronavirus-and-south-carolina-schools/>
- Resources:
 - [SC could know options for reopening K-12 schools soon as June, top official says \(5/13/20 4:45pm\)](#)
 - [AcceleratedED Task Force: Draft Guidance and Recommendations for 2020-21 School Year](#)
 - [How the pandemic may turn 2020 high school football to a more digital season \(9/21/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Federal government sending more than 1.5 million COVID-19 tests to South Carolina \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [141 new COVID-19 cases identified in SC schools \(10/23/20\)](#)
 - [Over 2,500 total COVID-19 cases reported in S.C. Schools; USC Aiken reports 5 new cases \(11/8/20\)](#)



- [Confirmed COVID-19 cases in S.C. schools rise by 403 in a week \(11/10/20\)](#)
- [All South Carolina schools to get rapid COVID test kits, governor order \(11/19/20\)](#)
- [S.C. DHEC reports 549 new school COVID-19 cases within week; USC Aiken reports 5 cases \(11/20/20\)](#)

South Dakota

- State DOE: <https://doe.sd.gov/coronavirus/>
- Resources:
 - [SDHSAA approved non-binding summer guidance rules \(5/28/20 1:00pm\)](#)
 - [South Dakota's Back to Normal Plan](#)
 - [SD's open enrollment rules waived for fall sports \(8/26/20\)](#)
 - [South Dakota High School Activities Association amends constitution \(8/25/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Why North and South Dakota are suffering the worst Covid-19 epidemics in the US \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - [South Dakota high school football championships: Guide to safety protocols, tickets, more \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [South Dakota leads all states in number of COVID-19 patients currently hospitalized per million \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [300 K-12 South Dakota schools dealing with at least one case of coronavirus \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - [More S.D. school districts are moving to remote learning ahead of Thanksgiving. Sioux Falls won't be one of them. \(11/18/20\)](#)

Tennessee

- State DOE: <https://www.tn.gov/education/health-and-safety/update-on-coronavirus.html>
- Resources:
 - [Tennessee State Board of Education FAQs](#)
 - [Tennessee Department of State – Division of Publications, Emergency Rules](#)
 - [State releases broad reopening guidance for schools; commissioner testifies in US Senate hearing \(6/10/20 11:31pm\)](#)
 - [Reopening Guidance](#)
 - [TSSAA adopts COVID-19 regulations and fall sports contingency plans \(7/22/20\)](#)
 - [Tennessee schools receive rapid test kits for COVID-19 \(9/30/20\)](#)
 - [Gov. Lee Calls For Temporary Suspension of Accountability Measures for 2020-2021 \(10/16/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [2,897 Tennessee school-age children test positive for COVID-19 last 14 days \(11/5/20\)](#)
 - [COVID-19 in Tennessee: Record-high 89 deaths, 3,632 additional cases reported on Nov. 11](#)
 - [Several Tennessee school close early for Thanksgiving break due to COVID-19 \(11/18/20\)](#)
 - [Tennessee Bill Would Expand Coronavirus Vaccine Exemptions \(11/22/20\)](#)

Texas

- Education Agency: <https://bit.ly/3dFwBFj>
- Resources:
 - [TEA Issues Comprehensive Guidelines for a Safe Return to On-Campus Instruction for the 2020-21 School Year \(7/7/20 3:01PM\)](#)
 - [SY 20-21 Public Health Planning Guidance \(7/7/20\)](#)
 - [Texas rolls out COVID-19 rapid testing to schools \(10/14/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Over 240 Texas Schools Sign up for COVID-19 Rapid testing Program \(11/3/20\)](#)
 - [Texas High School Football Playoff Schedules, Results \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - [State reports record number of new COVID-19 cases; nearly 400 more confirmed here \(11/10/20\)](#)



- o [Nearly 40 Texas school districts have asked to halt in-person learning 5+ days due to COVID-19 cases \(11/16/20\)](#)
- o [Texas Education Agency authorizes schools to close doors for 14 days due to coronavirus-related staffing concerns \(11/20/20\)](#)

Utah

- State Board of Education: <https://schools.utah.gov/coronavirus>
- Resources:
 - o [Planning Requirements and Recommendations for K-12 School Reopening \(6/26/20\)](#)
 - o [UHSA votes to approve fall sports and activities for 2020 \(7/9/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Why one Utah school district's COVID-19 schedule comes with an unexpected benefit \(10/25/20\)](#)
 - o [Utah's Gov. Herbert declares state of emergency, mandates mask to fight COVID \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [How to navigate Utah's emergency COVID-19 order: Schools, bars, football and more \(11/9/20\)](#)
 - o [Concerns voiced over shorter quarantine for Utah's schools \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - o [List: Utah schools closed due to COVID-19 outbreaks \(11/16/20\)](#)

Vermont

- State Agency of Education: <https://education.vermont.gov/covid19>
- Resources:
 - o [State issues guidelines for reopening schools \(6/18/20\)](#)
 - [A Strong and Healthy Start: Safety and Health Guidance for Reopening Schools, Fall 2020](#)
- Articles:
 - o [As weather turns cold, VT updates school rules on bus rides, physical education and more \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - o [Vermont officials release updated guidelines for club, college sports \(10/27/20\)](#)
 - o [State to begin surveillance testing for coronavirus in K-12 schools \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - o [Vermont Sees 46 New Cases of COVID-19, 20 Active Outbreaks \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - o ['We Can't Get Subs': Sub Shortage May Cause Schools to Go Remote \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - o [COVID-19 surveillance testing in Vermont schools and how it works \(11/23/20\)](#)

Virginia

- Public Schools: http://www.doe.virginia.gov/support/health_medical/office/covid-19.shtml
- Resources:
 - o [VA releases plan for phased reopening of schools \(6/10/20, 6:52pm\)](#)
 - [Return to School Plan](#)
 - o [VHSL adopts condensed athletic schedule for 2020-21 school year \(7/27/20, 7:56AM\)](#)
 - o [Virginia launches dashboard with number of coronavirus cases in schools by name \(10/24/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - o [Virginia Beach City Public Schools will bring back 15,000 students to classrooms this week \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - o [Virginia high schools sports return, no spectators allowed for Loudoun Co. games \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - o [Coronavirus in DC, Maryland, Virginia: What to Know on Nov. 18](#)
 - o [Virginia education leaders: COVID-19 has made school staffing shortages worse \(11/22/20\)](#)
 - o [Virginia's 7-day average of COVID-19 cases is highest ever \(11/23/20\)](#)



Washington

- Department of Public Instruction: <https://bit.ly/3897PfB>
- Resources:
 - [Reopening Washington Schools 2020: District Planning Guide \(6/11/20\)](#)
 - [WIAA's return-to-play guidance for 2020-21 high school sports approved by Washington state officials \(7/22/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Schools in Washington state, Idaho report COVID-19 outbreaks \(10/19/20\)](#)
 - [Washington schools could limit COVID testing with countermeasures, report finds \(11/5/20\)](#)
 - [Rising COVID cases delays return to many Washington classrooms \(11/6/20\)](#)
 - [Teachers balk at returning to school as Covid cases surge in Seattle area \(11/17/20\)](#)
 - [WIAA: It's about time to let the kids play \(11/23/20\)](#)

West Virginia

- State DOE: <https://wvde.us/covid19/>
- Resources:
 - [West Virginia School Re-entry & Recovery Guidance](#)
- Articles:
 - [COVID-19 cases lead to numerous quarantines in Upshur, Harrison \(West Virginia\) school systems \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Gov. Justice broadens statewide indoor face covering requirements; announces adjustments to school and athletics calendars \(11/13/20\)](#)
 - [WVEA calls for remote learning for schools in West Virginia for remainder of 2020 \(11/16/20\)](#)
 - [COVID-19 Daily Update: 11/17/20](#)

Wisconsin

- Department of Public Instruction: <https://dpi.wi.gov/sspw/2019-novel-coronavirus>
- Resources:
 - [Wisconsin officials release guidance on reopening schools \(6/22/20\)](#)
 - [Education Forward](#)
 - [Wisconsin Releases Guidelines for Reopening K-12 Schools \(8/19/20\)](#)
 - [Western Wisconsin high schools giving fall sports a shot \(8/25/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Wisconsin study: High school sports have not spread the coronavirus \(10/26/20\)](#)
 - [Gov. Evers urges everyone to stay home in new executive order \(11/10/20\)](#)
 - [Winter sports season update: What area schools plan to do amid COVID-19 pandemic \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [As Wisconsin teachers' unions call for statewide shutdown criteria, Evers doubles down on local control \(11/23/20\)](#)
 - [Local district adapts to staffing amid coronavirus pandemic \(11/22/20\)](#)

Wyoming

- State DOE: <https://edu.wyoming.gov/educators/covid-19-resources/> (school district closure list)
- Resources:
 - [State releases initial guidance for fall reopening of K-12 schools \(7/1/20\)](#)
 - [High school fall sports season encounters no problems in opening week \(8/20/20\)](#)
- Articles:
 - [Wyoming Education Association cancels all in-person events \(11/11/20\)](#)
 - [Wyoming seeing COVID-19 in schools and "literally everywhere" State could see 3,000 cases per day \(11/13/20\)](#)
 - [Wyoming Public Schools extends remote learning to January \(11/23/20\)](#)



Department of Defense Education Activity Schools

- [Defense Officials Brief on Opening DODEA Schools During COVID-19 \(8/13/20\)](#)
 - “Of the 45 DODEA schools in the Pacific region, 19 will open remotely. Of the 64 schools in Europe and the Middle East, two will open remotely. Of the 50 schools in the United States, 25 will open remotely. These 159 DODEA schools are located in seven states, two U.S. territories and 11 nations. The student population totals about 70,000.”
- [DODEA school at Yokota Air Base in Tokyo announces coronavirus infection \(10/22/20\)](#)
- [Vincenza High School at Army's Italy garrison closes after a positive coronavirus test \(10/26/20\)](#)
- [DoDEA official outlines steps for in-person learning still success \(11/20/20\)](#)

Other Agencies and Organizations

US Department of Defense - <https://www.defense.gov/Explore/Spotlight/Coronavirus/>

- [MIC3 Department of Defense Memorandums and Information webpage](#)
- Website: [Latest DOD Guidance \(10/22/20\)](#)
- [Pentagon Reservation Plan for Resilience and Aligning with National Guidelines for *Opening Up America Again* \(5/26/20\)](#)
- [Fact Sheet – Travel Restrictions \(5/26/20\)](#)
- [Transition to Conditions-based Phased Approach to Coronavirus Disease 2019 Personnel Movement and Travel Restrictions \(5/22/20\)](#)
- [Pentagon Gives Local Commanders Roadmap for Easing On-Base Coronavirus Restrictions \(5/20/20 5:53pm\)](#)
- The US Department of Defense has extended the [Stop Movement Order](#) to June 30, although the Pentagon will allow more than 30,000 families to move during the Stop Order (5/6/20)
 - <https://www.stripes.com/news/us/pentagon-allows-more-than-30-000-military-families-to-move-during-stop-movement-order-1.628722>
- [Military Moving Season Most Likely Extended to the End of the Year](#)
- [SecDef update to Travel Restrictions \(Stop Movement extended to June 30\) \(4/20/20\)](#)
 - [Memorandum](#) and [FAQ](#)

Bluestar Families - <https://bluestarfam.org/covid-19/>

Military One Source - <https://www.militaryonesource.mil/coronavirus>

National Military Family Association -

<https://www.militaryfamily.org/what-military-families-need-to-know-about-covid-19/>

Military Child Education Coalition - <https://www.militarychild.org/covid19>

Military One-Source - Coronavirus Updates for our Military Community

<https://www.militaryonesource.mil/coronavirus>