



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

While the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recently released new quarantine guidelines for 14, 10, and 7 days, states continue to struggle to contain the virus' spread with the colder weather and holiday season. States' response varies, some issued statewide lockdowns, curfews, and mask mandates, while others have less stringent regulations. Currently, 48 states/territories have issued some type of mask mandate and several have adopted school mask requirements.

State leaders and local officials continue to reassess the impact of COVID-19 while trying to maintain community safety and health. While there has been an increased push for students to return to school, with the report of new coronavirus strains and a rising number of cases in many communities, a majority of districts and schools have moved to remote learning or are delaying reopening plans.

The impact of a remote learning environment on students, the ability for districts to provide special education services, academic regression, and the overall mental health and wellbeing of students continue to be concerns expressed by families and educators. State education officials expressed concern regarding annual state testing assessments and graduation testing requirements, with some considering similar waivers permitted last school year.

While the continued impact of pandemic is unclear, districts continue to adjust plans as state status' and COVID-19 data is updated. One constant is schools remain flexible and are preparing for any changes that may arise.

*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 \(Updated 12/30/20\)](#)

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

- [US Status \(12/17/20\)](#) - 48 states and territories have some type of mandated mask requirement.

#### **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)**

- [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.
- [Schools and Childcare Programs: Plan, Prepare, and Respond \(Updated 1/5/21\)](#)
- [Operating Schools During COVID-19: CDC Considerations \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### **Education Commission of the States**

- [Key Issues: COVID \(Seven Part Series\)](#) – 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](#)
- [ECS COVID-19 Blog](#) – Quick reads on COVID-19 education topics

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



- [2021 Advanced Placement \(AP\) Testing and Exams](#)
- [SAT and PSAT Coronavirus Updates](#)

### [International Baccalaureate COVID-19 \(Updated 1/6/21\)](#)

#### **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 \(11/13/20\)](#)
- [Winter Sports Seasons Guide \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### **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:
  - [Alabama K-12 schools see new COVID-19 cases rise to 2,502 \(12/4/20\)](#)
  - [For some Alabama schools, it's home before and after the holidays as COVID cases surge \(12/11/20\)](#)
  - [Alabama schools self-report 3,352 COVID-19 cases this week \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [Alabama sees over 24,000 COVID-19 cases this week \(1/8/21\)](#)
  - [\\$900 million in federal COVID-relief coming to Alabama's K-12 schools \(1/6/21\)](#)

##### 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:
  - [Health officials 'cautiously optimistic' about Alaska's COVID-19 cases plateau \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Alaska's daily COVID-19 count dips over the weekend \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [2020 Year in Review, Part 2: COVID-related school closures cause headaches \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [With teachers next in line for vaccines, some in Anchorage want to postpone return to face-to-face instruction \(1/7/21\)](#)

##### Arizona

- State DOE: <https://www.azed.gov/communications/2020/03/10/guidance-to-schools-on-covid-19/>
- Resources:
  - [Department of Education Releases Guidance for Reopening Arizona schools \(6/1/20 11:20am\)](#)
  - [Roadmap for Reopening Schools](#)
  - [COVID-19 School Benchmarks \(11/19/20\)](#)



- [Education, health leaders launch 'Healthy Kids, Open Schools' campaign amid COVID-19 surge \(11/9/20\)](#)
- [Statewide Tracker: School Learning Models \(12/1/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Arizona DOE launches online tool to track statewide school's learning models \(12/1/20\)](#)
  - [Arizona teacher says her colleagues are looking forward to getting COVID-19 vaccine \(12/7/20\)](#)
  - [Teacher Shortage Compounds Covid Crisis in Schools \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [Struggles of Cave Creek district are emblematic of Arizona schools during COVID-19 \(12/19/20\)](#)
  - [Arizona School Superintendent pushing for virtual learning with COVID-19 cases climbing \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus in Arizona on Jan. 7 \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### Arkansas

- State DOE: <http://dese.ade.arkansas.gov/divisions/communications/covid-19-information>
- Resources:
  - [Arkansas Back-to-School Playbook](#)
  - [State releases 'Arkansas Ready to Learn, Healthy School' Guide \(8/13/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Arkansas schools work to get students back on track amid COVID-19 pandemic \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [ICU bed availability continues to decline; more school districts in high COVID-19 areas \(12/20/20\)](#)
  - [150 Ark. Schools in communities with high COVID-19 spread, setting new record \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Increase Reported in Arkansas District Schools with High Numbers of Infected Residents \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Central Arkansas schools prepare for students to return amid COVID-19 surge \(1/4/21\)](#)

#### California

- State DOE: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/he/hn/coronavirus.asp>
- Resources:
  - [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:
  - [California teachers unions mobilize against Democratic school reopening bill \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [School districts balk at California's new Covid worker safety regulations \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [CA Coronavirus Updates: Some CA Hospitals Could Ration Life-Saving Case As ICU Beds Run Out \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Education and the Coronavirus Crisis: What's the latest? \(1/6/21\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus Today: The big school reopening debate \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### Colorado

- State DOE: <https://www.cde.state.co.us/safeschools>
- Resources:
  - [A Framework and Toolkit for District Leaders \(5/7/20\)](#)
  - [FAQ: How Colorado high school football plans to return amid the coronavirus pandemic \(10/7/20\)](#)

- [Colorado Education Association Develops Model For School Districts When COVID Cases Rise \(11/19/20\)](#)
- [CHSAA: Sports Modifications for COVID-19](#)
- Articles:
  - [Mike Johnson: Educators should be front of the line for the COVID vaccine \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - [Back To School Plans in Spring 2021 Will Hinge On Reducing The Spread of Coronavirus \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [Millions in Colorado school funding at risk because of COVID-19 enrollment declines \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Teacher vaccination efforts will pause after Colorado emphasizes older adults should go first \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - [Plan for Colorado high school winter sports to proceed in coronavirus pandemic released \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Colorado's coronavirus vaccine rollout is confusing and frustrating – but also working, state leaders say \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Governor Lamont Provides Update on Connecticut's Coronavirus Response Efforts \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Education Unions Call for Statewide School Safety Protocols Amid Pandemic \(12/10/20\)](#)
  - ['They Get it Done': School Nurses on Front Lines of COVID-19 Crisis \(12/14/20\)](#)
  - [Lawmakers are preparing for another push to eliminate CT's religious exemption from vaccines. The COVID-19 shot is complicating that. \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [Governor Lamont provides update on Connecticut coronavirus response efforts \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 pandemic introduces new factors to CT's teacher shortage \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 fall high school sports data shows seven athletes contracted virus through CIAS sanctioned events \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(10/10/20\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\) Data Dashboard: In-Person Contagious School Cases Dashboard \(1/5/21\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [What you need to know about Delaware's new COVID-19 restrictions that started Monday \(12/14/20\)](#)
  - [Does remote learning mean no more snow days for Delaware students? Most likely, educators say. \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [Delaware teachers reflect on Unusual School Year Amid COVID \(1/3/21\)](#)
  - [Governor Carney, DPS Urge Schools to return to Hybrid Learning on January 11 \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - [Redding Consortium lays out recommendations to address inequity in Delaware schools \(1/8/21\)](#)



#### 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:
  - [DC to test asymptomatic students, teachers, in-person staff, to prevent COVID-19 spread \(12/2/20\)](#)
  - [DC Public Schools To Start New COVID-19 Testing Protocol \(12/4/20\)](#)
  - [DC schools reach deal with teachers on return to classroom \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus in DC, Maryland, Virginia: What to Know on Jan. 7](#)

#### 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:
  - [COVID-19 cases at Florida schools \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Educators ask Florida governor to add school employees to vaccine priority groups \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [Will students and teachers be required to get the COVID-19 vaccine in South Florida \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Desantis says Florida teachers, school staff will not be prioritized for COVID-19 vaccine \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - [FL schools begin 2021 spring semester in pandemic \(1/6/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [COVID-19 Hospitalizations Hit New Record In Georgia \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Georgia teachers, school employees eagerly await COVID-19 vaccines \(12/19/20\)](#)
  - [Georgia schools gain option to gut year-end tests amid COVID-19 pandemic \(12/26/20\)](#)
  - [Georgia Sets New Single-Day Coronavirus case record \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(10/20/20\)](#)
  - [Ready to Learn – BOE Metrics reporting](#)
- Articles:
  - [Hawaii reports 57 new coronavirus infections as statewide total grows to 19,480 \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [Teachers and unions push back, say state employee furloughs could hinder students in 2021 \(12/21/20\)](#)



- o [BOE Metrics show public school quarterly report in COVID pandemic \(12/22/20\)](#)
- o [Hawaii Cancels High School State Championships, But Not Seasons \(1/4/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - o [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](#)
  - o [Idaho High School Activities Association releases fall sports guidance \(7/21/20, 9:41 AM\)](#)
- Articles:
  - o [Teachers of the Year: Prioritize Safety, Invest in Idaho Schools \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - o [K-12 Coronavirus Case Numbers Dip After Thanksgiving Surge \(12/14/20\)](#)
  - o [Athletics proposal would let more parents in games – with consequences if districts violate safety protocols \(12/20/20\)](#)
  - o [Teachers and staff slated to get COVID vaccines next month \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - o [Back to school in 2021: a mixed picture \(1/6/21\)](#)

#### 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 [Illinois schools are not COVID-19 super spreaders, data shows \(12/3/20\)](#)
  - o [Illinois schools have tallied more than 160 outbreaks of COVID-19. \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - o [Coronavirus in Illinois updates \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - o [Top Illinois schools official says districts should consider extending school year; CTU says it's open to the idea \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - o [Illinois Coronavirus Updates \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 [To help deal with COVID, Indiana Schools Will Add Administrators At Some Schools \(12/20/20\)](#)
  - o [Nearly 3,000 additional COVID-19 cases reported in schools, total nears 27,000 \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - o [Nearly 400 additional COVID-19 cases reported in school during the break, total nears 28,000 \(1/4/21\)](#)
  - o [Indiana lawmakers advance bills to ensure school funding \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - o [How Schools Are Planning For Teacher COVID-19 Vaccinations \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(10/7/20\)](#)



- Articles:
  - [Iowa boys' basketball Super 10 rankings: Most top teams haven't played yet due to COVID-19, online classes \(12/7/20\)](#)
  - [Iowa teachers, police would be next in line for vaccine under state distribution plan \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - [To get kids back into Iowa schools, Gov. Reynolds indicates she will push for law requiring it \(12/14/20\)](#)
  - [Pandemic impact on enrollment, achievement complicates Iowa school funding \(1/6/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Navigating Change: Kansas' Guide to Learning and School Safety Operations \(7/15/20\)](#)
  - [Kansas schools prepare for winter sports under strict state guidelines \(12/3/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Kansas Coronavirus Advisory Council deciding which groups to receive COVID-19 vaccine next \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [Quarantines still outweighing the confirmed COVID cases in schools \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### 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
  - [Beshear lays out how schools in 'red' counties can resume in-person classes in January \(12/14/20\)](#)
  - [Kentucky schools gathering lists of teachers and staff who want COVID-19 vaccine \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Kentucky Gov. Beshear COVID-19 vaccine update Dec. 21, 2020](#)
  - [Ky. Teachers Address Senate Education Committee About Impact of COVID \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Kentucky House passes bill preventing Gov. Beshear from shutting down schools, businesses \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(9/21/20\)](#)
  - [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
- Articles
  - [Louisiana teachers deserve priority for coronavirus vaccine, state education chief says \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus in Louisiana \(12/21/20\)](#)



- o [Louisiana teachers, staff all await the arrival of the COVID-19 vaccine \(1/6/21\)](#)
- o [The COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution Plan in Louisiana \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### Maine

- State DOE: <https://www.maine.gov/doe/covid-19>
- Resources:
  - o [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](#)
  - o [No football, volleyball to be played at Maine high schools this fall \(9/11/20\)](#)
  - o [Officials unveil dashboard of coronavirus cases in Maine schools \(10/14/20\)](#)
  - o [Maine delays start date for winter sports practices and scrimmages to Jan. 4, 2021 \(12/4/20\)](#)
- Articles
  - o [Maine coronavirus guidelines create tension between school and community basketball groups \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - o [COVID-19 outbreaks on the rise at area schools \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - o [Thousands of COVID-19 test kits distributed to 50+ Maine schools \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - o [Four of Maine's 16 counties remain in 'yellow' in school reopening advisory system \(12/31/20\)](#)
  - o [Maine schools get more funding under COVID-19 stimulus \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### 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 [State Superintendent Requests Prioritization of COVID-19 Vaccines for Teachers, School Staff, Child Care Workers \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - o [While schools have reopened in much of the country, many Maryland students remain online \(1/4/21\)](#)
  - o [Teachers look forward to receiving COVID-19 vaccines, get back to class \(1/6/21\)](#)
  - o [Coronavirus in DC, Maryland, Virginia: What to Know on Jan. 7](#)

#### 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 [How the COVID-19 pandemic will affect high school sports in Massachusetts this winter \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - o [State reports 1,009 new coronavirus case in Massachusetts schools, highest case count ever \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - o [One Challenge to Reopening Schools: Finding Enough teachers \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - o [Mass. Reports 178 new COVID-19 cases among students, 233 among school staff across the state \(1/7/21\)](#)





o [Baker Announces New Weekly Testing Program in Mass. Schools \(1/8/21\)](#)

Michigan

- State DOE: [https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-37818\\_53456---,00.html](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 [Michigan to reopen high schools, indoor entertainment amid stabilizing coronavirus rates \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - o [65 infected in new coronavirus outbreaks at schools, says Michigan's Dec 21 outbreak report \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - o [Coronavirus in Michigan: Here's what to know Dec. 21, 2020](#)
  - o [Gov. Whitmer gives COVID-19 update Friday, encourages in-person learning for K-12 schools \(1/8/21\)](#)
  - o [Coronavirus in Michigan: Here's what to know on January 8, 2021](#)

Minnesota

- State DOE: <https://education.mn.gov/MDE/dse/health/covid19/>
- Resources:
  - o [Minnesota schools allowed to reopen for summer \(5/15/20 4:27pm\)](#)
    - [Stay Safe: Minnesota Dept of Health: 2020-2021 Planning Guide for Schools](#)
  - o [Target dates for return of Minnesota prep sports address uncertainty of managing COVID-19 \(12/8/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - o [What you need to know about Minnesota's new reopening guidelines for schools \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - o [Minnesota school leaders discuss plans to return to in-person learning \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - o [Minnesota schools required to offer on-site COVID-19 testing to staff \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - o [Minnesota schools eager for federal COVID-19 relief aid \(1/1/21\)](#)
  - o [Teachers Union Urges Walz To Watch Virus Data As Elementary Schools Plan To Reopen \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - o [Limited fans approved for Minnesota high school, youth sports \(1/7/21\)](#)

Mississippi

- State DOE: <https://www.mdek12.org/COVID19>
- Resources:
  - o [Considerations for Reopening Mississippi Schools, June-August 2020](#)
- Articles:
  - o [Mississippi public schools' enrollment down 23K \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - o [Reeves issues new executive orders as Mississippi COVID-19 cases surge \(12/9/20\)](#)
  - o [1,167 new coronavirus cases, 2 additional deaths in Mississippi \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - o [MS Dept. of Education recommends waiving passing requirements for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, high school students \(1/8/21\)](#)

Missouri

- State DOE: <https://dese.mo.gov/communications/coronavirus-covid-19-information>
- Resources:
  - o [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>
  - o [DESE, DHSS release FAQs on school re-opening \(8/17/20\)](#)
  - o [COVID-19 relief funds now available to reimburse substitute teachers in Missouri \(10/24/20\)](#)

- Articles:
  - [These are the Missouri K-12 schools participating in first-ever COVID-19 study \(12/11/20\)](#)
  - [How safe are Missouri's COVID-19 strategies? \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 forces more adaptation \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [Missouri teachers want state standardized tests suspended for 2020-21 school year, survey finds \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 teachers will get priority for a COVID-19 vaccine, but when is unclear \(12/12/20\)](#)
  - [Homeschool enrollment numbers skyrocket in Montana amid pandemic \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Montana coronavirus report \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [High school basketball returns to Missoula amid a pandemic \(12/30/20\)](#)
  - [OPI-hosted panel explored pandemic impacts \(1/5/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [OPS, Nebraska high school graduation rates drop amid coronavirus pandemic \(12/11/20, updated 12/19/20\)](#)
  - [State education commissioner: Stay vigilant in COVID-19 preventatives to keep schools in-session \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [OPS, Nebraska high school graduation rates drop amid coronavirus pandemic \(12/31/11, updated 1/2/21\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 vaccinations ramping up in Nebraska, Ricketts says \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [COVID Class of 2020: Grad rate declined, disparities increased \(12/11/20\)](#)
  - [Sisolak extends COVID-19 restrictions to Jan. 15, eviction moratorium to Mar. 31. \(12/13/20, updated 12/14/20\)](#)
  - [High school sports leaders determined to have seasons, but must figure out logistics \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 vaccinations make their way to school employees in some Nevada counties \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Nevadans step up to ensure that children's educational needs are met \(1/8/21\)](#)



#### 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:
  - [Coronavirus in New Hampshire Schools: Update \(12/9/20\)](#)
  - [Staffing Shortages and COVID-19 Surge Shutting Down More Schools in Southern N.H. \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [New Hampshire teachers await their turn for COVID-19 vaccination \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Many N.H. families opting out of preschool and kindergarten during pandemic \(1/4/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Are N.J. schools passing the COVID-19 test? \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [More N.J. schools switching to all-remote classes as COVID-19 cases rise, winterbreak nears, Murphy says \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Monday's COVID-19 figures for New Jersey, per Governor Murphy \(12/22/20\)](#)
  - [In NJ Schools, Coronavirus Pandemic Challenges Continue \(1/3/21\)](#)
  - [New Jersey's Two Biggest School Districts Plan To Stay Remote Through April \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [PED: 45 New Mexico schools on COVID-19 Watchlist \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [NMPED secretary provides midyear review, update \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [New Mexico moves into next phase of COVID-19 vaccinations, releases distribution plan \(1/8/21\)](#)
  - [Lawyers: New Mexico trying to comply with education needs \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(9/8/20\)](#)
  - [New York State releases revised COVID guidelines for schools \(12/5/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Get Ready for K-12 COVID-19 surveillance testing in New York \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus Impact Reports: December 21](#)
  - [NY School Boards Association On What Worked For Schools, What Didn't During the Pandemic \(12/10/20\)](#)



#### 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:
  - [Rising COVID cases cause some NC school districts to suspend their in-person classes \(12/9/20\)](#)
  - [How are North Carolina schools handling the pandemic? \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [NC high school students will take in-person exams as COVID cases reach record highs \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [No easy answers for a COVID-19 vaccine requirement at North Dakota schools \(12/15/20\)](#)
  - [North Dakota coronavirus news, Dec. 18 \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [North Dakota board suggests changes to priority list for COVID-19 vaccine \(12/21/20\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Ohio schools report record new COVID-19 cases as DeWine hopes compliance to orders can return students to classrooms \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [Is COVID spreading in schools? Ohio study could impact student quarantine protocols \(12/22/20\)](#)
  - [Ohio outlines dates to begin vaccinating elderly, school employees \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Oklahoma Board of Education votes to suspend School Report Cards grading system for year 2020-2021 \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [OEA release results of December COVID-19 survey \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Timeline murky for teacher COVID vaccines in Oklahoma \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 Impacting Enrollment At Okla. Schools, OSDE Officials Say \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [High school sports delayed again in Oregon \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - [Gov. Kate Brown changes course, allows local districts to decide on opening schools \(12/23/20, updated 12/25/20\)](#)
  - [Gov. Brown deploys Oregon National Guard to administer COVID-19 vaccine \(1/8/21\)](#)
  - [Teachers ask Oregon governor for vaccine, resources, before in-person classes resume \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Pennsylvania COVID Update \(12/6/20\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 In Pennsylvania: Dept of Education Recommends Elementary School Students Return to the Classroom \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Wolf administration recommends sending elementary students back to classrooms \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [R.I. House COVID-19 Vaccine Task Force hears from public health experts on vaccine distribution \(12/4/20\)](#)
  - [Schools around RI offer wide-scale COVID testing but two districts declined to participate \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [COVID-19 case numbers keep rising in South Carolina \(12/8/20\)](#)
  - [DHEC confirms another 46 COVID-19 cases in South Carolina schools \(1/6/21\)](#)
  - [Pandemic intensifies 'crisis' in South Carolina teacher recruitment \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [State lawmakers planning to take action if schools don't return to in-person learning \(1/8/21\)](#)



#### 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 \(8/25/20\)](#)
  - [South Dakota high school football championships: Guide to safety protocols, tickets, more \(11/10/20\)](#)
  -
- Articles:
  - [South Dakota schools continue to cope with COVID-19 pandemic \(12/1/20\)](#)
  - [COVID cases in schools plateau during winter break \(1/4/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Tennessee schools close ahead of winter break as COVID-19 surges across the state, staffing challenges continue \(12/14/20\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus in Tennessee \(12/20/20\)](#)
  - [Tennessee governor's executive order restricts school-sponsored sporting event attendance \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Governor Lee Calls for Special Legislative Session on Education \(12/29/20\)](#)
  - [As COVID-19 surge continues, here's how some Tennessee schools are starting spring semester \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Are COVID-19 Vaccinations Mandatory for Texas Schoolchildren \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Public School Face Funding 'Death Spiral' as Enrollment Drops \(12/22/20\)](#)
  - [As pandemic grinds on, Texas students increasingly feel alone and scared, and some are thinking about suicide \(12/22/20\)](#)
  - [Texas school sports moved indoors for the winter. So did the coronavirus. \(1/4/21\)](#)
  - [Texas public school pre-k enrollment tumbles 22 percent \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### Utah

- State Board of Education: <https://schools.utah.gov/coronavirus>
- Resources:
  - [Planning Requirements and Recommendations for K-12 School Reopening \(6/26/20\)](#)



- [UHSAA votes to approve fall sports and activities for 2020 \(7/9/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Utah will relax COVID-19 guidelines for public schools, Gov. Gary Herbert says \(12/17/20\)](#)
  - [The pandemic pushed Utah schools to find more substitutes, but the need for help still outstrips the supply. \(12/20/20\)](#)
  - [12 things you need to know about Utah teachers and schools getting the COVID-19 vaccine \(12/22/20\)](#)
  - [New quarantine rules take effect for Utah schools after winter break \(1/3/21\)](#)

#### Vermont

- State Agency of Education: <https://education.vermont.gov/covid19>
- Resources:
  - [State issues guidelines for reopening schools \(6/18/20\)](#)
    - [A Strong and Healthy Start: Safety and Health Guidance for Reopening Schools, Fall 2020](#)
  - [Vermont officials release updated guidelines for club, college sports \(10/27/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [After Christmas break, a patchwork of school reopening plans \(12/20/20\)](#)
  - [VDH COVID-19 Update: Positivity rate falls as cases remain high \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Vermont governor says pandemic recovery offers opportunity \(1/7/21\)](#)

#### Virginia

- Public Schools: [http://www.doe.virginia.gov/support/health\\_medical/office/covid-19.shtml](http://www.doe.virginia.gov/support/health_medical/office/covid-19.shtml)
- Resources:
  - [VA releases plan for phased reopening of schools \(6/10/20, 6:52pm\)](#)
    - [Return to School Plan](#)
  - [VHSL adopts condensed athletic schedule for 2020-21 school year \(7/27/20, 7:56AM\)](#)
  - [Virginia launches dashboard with number of coronavirus cases in schools by name \(10/24/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Virginia Launches New Dashboard Tracking Outbreaks in Senior Facilities, Schools \(12/19/20\)](#)
  - [Coronavirus in DC, Maryland, Virginia: What to Know on Jan. 7](#)
  - [Gov. Northam considering year-round schooling for children amid pandemic \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Virginia teachers union calls for virtual schools until all staff vaccinated \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [With K-12 enrollment drop, funding schools an urgent challenge for Washington state \(12/13/20\)](#)
  - [Washington state eyes reopening schools no matter the rate of COVID-19 infections \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 vaccine line has Washington teachers near front, students in back. What's that mean for reopening schools? \(12/19/20\)](#)
  - [School nurses key to reopening schools, but new research shows equity gaps in Washington \(1/6/21\)](#)
  - [Washington outlines plan for vaccinating teachers \(1/7/21, updated 1/8/21\)](#)



#### West Virginia

- State DOE: <https://wvde.us/covid19/>
- Resources:
  - [West Virginia School Re-entry & Recovery Guidance](#)
  - [COVID-19 Outbreaks in State Public Schools](#)
- Articles:
  - [All West Virginia school employees to receive opportunity for COVID-19 vaccination, priority determined by age \(12/18/20\)](#)
  - [COVID-19 Update \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [West Virginia schools prepare for COVID-19 vaccine this week \(1/5/21\)](#)
  - ['It's not perfect, but we need to be back in school,' Gov. Jim Justice says \(1/8/21\)](#)
  - [WV BOE and State Superintendent discuss in-person instruction \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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:
  - [Evers hints Wisconsin schools should consider reopening \(12/10/20\)](#)
  - ['They're Boiling Over': 9 Months Of COVID-19 Push Wisconsin Families To A Breaking Point \(12/16/20\)](#)
  - [Officials Look For Path Forward As COVID-19 Has Brought Learning Loss, School Struggles \(12/22/20\)](#)
  - [As semester ends in Wisconsin, COVID-19 fears shrink – while concerns of academic slide grow \(1/6/21\)](#)
  - [Wisconsin State Report Shows Effect of COVID-19 in the Classroom \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(8/20/20\)](#)
  - [New health orders mean less space for spectators \(12/8/20\)](#)
- Articles:
  - [Wyoming student enrollment falls by 2% statewide amid economic downturn \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [410 New COVID-19 Cases in Wyoming, No New Deaths Over the Weekend \(12/21/20\)](#)
  - [Wyoming Board of Ed to decide school re-opening model \(1/7/21\)](#)
  - [Wyoming school seek to defer goal metrics after pandemic cancelled assignments \(1/8/21\)](#)

#### 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 \(11/20/20\)](#)
- [DODEA Europe pushes back start of winter sports season \(11/30/20\)](#)



- [Schools on US military bases to close classrooms as Germany readies for tougher coronavirus lockdown \(12/14/20\)](#)
- [DODEA-Pacific cancels spring competition between schools \(12/15/20\)](#)
- [Fort Benning to tighten COVID-19 controls after troops return from holiday leave \(12/16/20\)](#)
- [Yokosuka child care center closed, DODEA second-grade class at Kadena suspended after coronavirus exposures \(1/4/21\)](#)
- [DODEA schools in Germany extend remote learning \(1/8/21\)](#)

### **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) [Article](#)
- [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](#)