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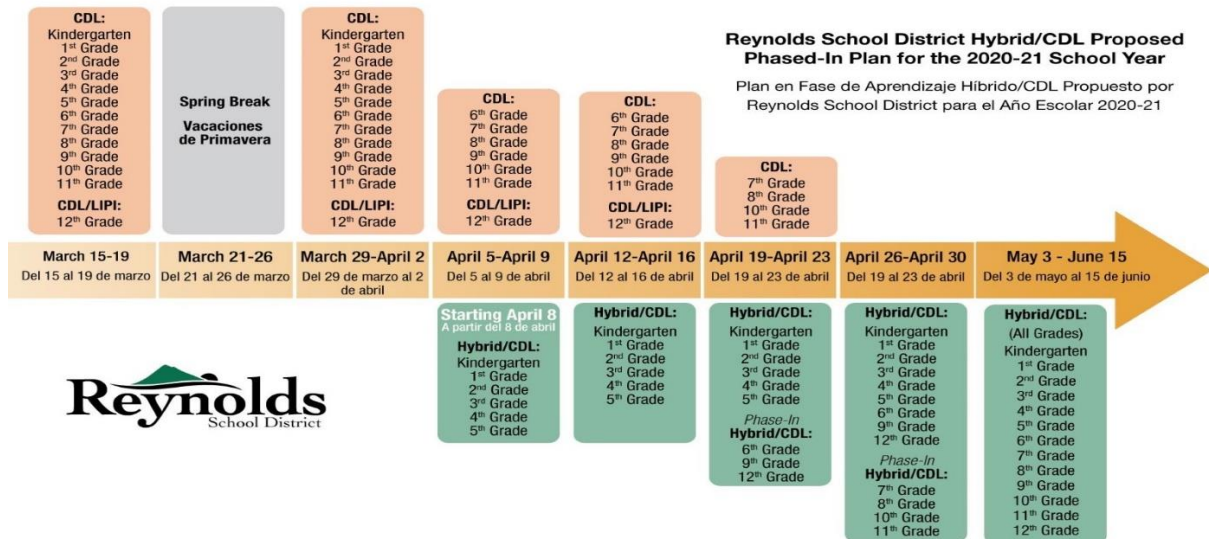
*Reynolds School District Preparing for Hybrid Learning After its Spring Break*

**March 23, 2021, Fairview, OR** – Reynolds School District has been busy ensuring its schools are safe for the return to hybrid learning after its spring break on March 29th. The district is working with the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) in response to Governor Brown’s recent Executive Order to return students to school buildings in the coming weeks for full in-person or hybrid learning.

Reynolds School District has completed ventilation inspections in all buildings; all building ventilation systems have been serviced and filters replaced regularly; the district has increased ventilation (air flow) throughout buildings; and MERV 11+ or HEPA filters are filtering air from 6am to 6pm on a daily basis in all buildings. Reynolds School District is also conducting a “Return to School” survey for parents to help prepare for the return of students in classrooms.

RSD also created a waiting room for students or staff experiencing COVID-related symptoms in order to isolate exposed persons from others. RSD had excess furniture removed from classrooms to provide 35 square feet per person. We posted floor signage indicating 6-foot intervals. We created procedures for traveling thorough hallways and common spaces have been established and include signage redirecting foot traffic. And we identified a point person at each building responsible for ensuring adherence to COVID safeguard procedures.

The district created comprehensive timeline for hybrid/in person instruction throughout all grade levels, which has been approved by ODE. Hybrid Learning will begin for elementary students starting on April 8<sup>th</sup> and phase in other grades over the following weeks, with all students offered Hybrid Learning by the week of April 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>. Hybrid Learning and Comprehensive Distance Learning will then continue throughout the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year through June 15, 2021.





“Our staff is working diligently with each school to ensure that the buildings are safe and ready for the return of students,” states Dr. Danna Diaz, Reynolds School District Superintendent of Schools. Our phased approach to opening enables us to create a safe environment for students, families, teachers and faculty,” added Dr. Diaz.

**About [Reynolds School District](#):**

Each and every child in Reynolds School District is prepared for a world yet to be imagined. Reynolds School District recognizes the diversity and worth of all individuals and groups in our society. Reynolds School District Board of Education ensures that all educational programs, activities and employment will be free of discrimination or harassment on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, parental or marital status, or age.

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