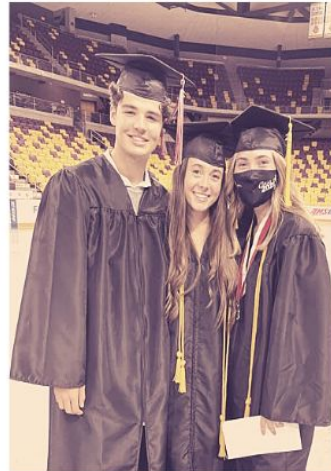


# Safe Learning Update

*Committee of the Whole Meeting*

*November 3, 2021*

# 2021-22 Safe Learning Plan



ISD 709

## Guiding Principles

FOR SAFE IN-PERSON LEARNING

- 1 Ensure the safety and wellness of students and staff
- 2 Deliver high-quality instruction to students
- 3 Equity: Ensuring all means all
- 4 Optimize use of resources (space & materials)
- 5 Community and stakeholder engagement in plan development

*Equity Criteria:*

Access

Participation

Representation

Outcomes

[ISD709.org/Equity](https://ISD709.org/Equity)

# Current COVID Rates

- 7/11-7/24 - 4.49
- 7/25-8/7- 8.82
- 8/1-8/14 - 11.15
- 8/8 - 8/21 17.47
- 8/15-8/28 - 20.39
- 8/22-9/4 - 25.30
- 8/29-9/11 - 35.62
- 9/5-9/18 - 42.02
- 9/12-9/25 - 41.27
- 9/19-10/2 - 46.92
- 9/26-10/09 - 60.33
- 10/03-10/16 - 59.25
- 10/10-10/23 - 54.50

# Vaccine Clinic Updates

*With CDC authorization of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine for use in children ages 5-11, the State of Minnesota and Duluth Public Schools are providing voluntary vaccination clinics for 5 to 11 year-olds. The second dose will be administered no earlier than 3 weeks after the first dose.*

The Duluth school district is working in partnership with the MN Department of Health to provide ISD 709 families and students access to these voluntary clinics:

- Families will receive sign up information from their elementary or middle schools. Appointments are strongly recommended – walk-ups will be welcome only if supply allows.
- A parent or guardian must provide written permission and must be present during the vaccinations.
- The clinics are intended for students ages 5 to 11 only.
- People ages 12 and older are encouraged to visit [mn.gov/vaccine](https://mn.gov/vaccine) to use the Find My Vaccine map to locate and contact providers near them.

[Check the MN Department of Health website for information about COVID vaccines.](#)

# Vaccine Clinic Updates

**Thurs 11/4 3PM - 7PM** Laura MacArthur Elementary

**Mon 11/8 3PM - 7PM** Stowe Elementary and Homecroft Elementary

**Tues 11/9 3PM - 7PM** Piedmont Elementary and Lowell Elementary

**Wed 11/10 3PM - 7PM** Myers-Wilkins Elementary and Lester Park Elementary

**Thurs 11/11 3PM - 7PM** Lakewood Elementary

**Thurs 11/11 3:30PM - 7:30PM** Ordean East Middle School

**Fri 11/12 3PM - 7PM** Congdon Park Elementary

**Fri 11/12 3:30PM - 7:30PM** Lincoln Park Middle School

# Vaccine Clinic Updates

***Second Dose Clinics will take place the week of November 29th***

## **PRESS CONFERENCE:**

**Date:** Thursday November 4, 2021

**Location:** Laura MacArthur Elementary Media Center, 720 N. Central Ave. Duluth, MN 55807

**Time:** 11:45AM

## **Scheduled Speakers:**

- John Magas, Superintendent
- Emily Larson, Duluth Mayor
- Jim Erickson, Principal, Laura MacArthur Elementary
- Amy Westbrook, St. Louis County Public Health Division Director