

Colvill Family Center – Back to School Plan

Overview - All programs at Colvill Family Center will be in session whenever K-4 schools are in session. If RWPS K-4 Schools go to online learning, Colvill will follow suit. Applicable cleaning and safety procedures followed in the other buildings will be followed. Adult masks or face shields will be worn; student face coverings will be at the discretion of the parent. Parent access to the building will be limited. There will be changes to class configurations, class size, hours of operation and general procedures in order to increase safety for children and staff. A generous grant from Live Well Goodhue County will allow us to support more families in learning about Conscious Discipline strategies.

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) – Classes will be in session starting September 14. Classes will have a somewhat different format, location and schedule as well as smaller class size.



Participating adults will wear face masks; face coverings for children are at the discretion of the parent. An online parenting component will be added to some face to face classes as well as a completely online class. Classes at Tower View and RW Correctional Facility will continue online. Partnership with Goodhue County Social Services and Prairie Island Indian Community will also continue.

Colvill Kids Preschool – Classes will be in session with smaller class sizes. Class times will be staggered to create greater safety at arrival and departure times. Even though arrival and departure times will be staggered, all children will receive the same amount of preschool time. Scholarships will continue to be available based on financial need. Staff and adults dropping off children will wear face masks; face coverings for children are at the discretion of the parent.

A strong emphasis will be placed on social-emotional wellness through the use of Conscious Discipline. Handwashing, mask wearing (by adults), social distancing will all be intentionally taught.



Early Childhood Special Education, Birth to 5 (ECSE) – ECSE services will continue to be delivered in accordance with each child / family's IFSP / IEP as well as in accordance with each child's Contingency Learning plan. Services will be delivered differently and in different locations or by different methods depending on which learning model the district is in. All three learning models are covered in each child's Contingency Learning Plan. Each parent needs to agree with the plan before it is implemented.

Early Childhood Screening – Early Childhood Screening, which is required by law for all children ages 3 to 5, will begin in August with some changes to procedures. Less appointments will be held per day and each child will be in 1 room during the process. Families will be contacted individually to arrange a screening time or they may call Colvill schedule a screening appointment.

