



American Rescue Plan (ARP) Safe Return Plan

The district's Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) system includes support for all students. These include social-emotional-behavioral supports, academic supports, and wraparound supports. The district MTSS plan is being utilized to provide support for students. These supports are identified and delivered under the Child Study Team, Social & Emotional Learning Team, Intervention & Referral Services Team, and the Intervention Specialist Team. Specific services are identified and delivered through the MTSS systemic approach. Access to these supports occur through both parental reporting and educator reporting to our teams. Although the district has a waiver for free and reduced lunch services, parents in need have access to support for food-related needs through these teams as well.

Throughout the 2023-2024 school year, the Rumson School District continued to hold monthly parent academy meetings to share updates and revisions. This information is posted on the District website and all changes in response to state and federal guidelines and local data are included. These meetings are held via Zoom so all parents/guardians can access the opportunity. Parent Academies highlight the components of the Academic and Social, Emotional, & Academic Initiatives in the district. In addition, all monthly Board of Education meetings provide a review of the updates.

The Rumson School District has ensured the Safe Return Plan is in an understandable format by following the same format utilized throughout the pandemic and highlighting monthly changes. These are followed up with monthly Parent Academy sessions via Zoom. While it is not practicable to provide written translations of the plan to a parent with limited English proficiency, the district is able to provide oral translations for such a parent. Any parent who is an individual with a disability as defined by the ADA will be provided with an alternative format accessible to that parent upon request.

The Rumson School District continues to monitor student academic achievement and social and emotional issues as addressed during PLC times. Problem trends are addressed accordingly.

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