

From the Office of Superintendent Trig Overbo Ed.D.

Love is not premeditated - it is spontaneous; that is, it bursts forth in extraordinary ways.
-Oswald Chambers



August 17, 2021

Parents/Guardians,

The situation with COVID-19 is everchanging and Glen Rose ISD is committed to keeping all stakeholders informed. We remain committed to supporting your student's learning, as well as keeping the health of our students and staff as one of our highest priorities. We also recognize that many of you are excited to get back to "the way is used to be."

Glen Rose ISD believes it is in the best interest of our students, staff and community to begin the school year as "normal" as possible. We will continue to follow the guidance of local health and government authorities, the CDC, and Texas Education Agency (TEA) to prepare for and respond to the evolving COVID-19 situation. We will continue ensuring our classrooms and other school facilities are frequently cleaned and disinfected to provide the safest environment for the health of our Tiger Family. We encourage students and staff to wear masks if they choose.

We expect parents to use their best judgement on sending their child to school. Parents should keep their children home if their child is sick, or they feel their child has been directly exposed to COVID-19. Glen Rose ISD will not be contract tracing but will keep parents informed if the district considers the situation one that parents, and guardians should be made aware of. Glen Rose ISD will provide a COVID-19 dashboard, located on their district website, to keep you informed of current cases within the district.

The dashboard will be updated each Monday by 10:00 a.m.

Each school year brings its fair share of illness, due to the nature of bringing many new students and families together. It is imperative that all of us work together to ensure our students and staff have the best learning environment possible.

As the quickly changing situation with COVID-19 continues to evolve, GRISD desires to keep parents, faculty and community members abreast of our responses. Once again, student health and safety are GRISD's number one priority.

We believe the 2021-2022 school year will be a great one, and we look forward to supporting your student in his or her learning journey. Please contact the school if you have questions/concerns.

“For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.”

2 Timothy 1:7

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Trig Overbo', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Trig Overbo Ed.D.
Superintendent
Glen Rose ISD