



January 31, 2021

The recommendations of the IDEA Community Conditions Advisory Committee are as follows:

- 1) **Below you will find a benchmark chart that clearly depicts where community spread will need to be in order for IDEA School to move to each successive level of reopening.** Please note that there will be a hybrid phase of reopening that will take place outdoors. \*\*\*All hybrid stages will be optional, with a fully-remote option available for those who wish.
- 2) So that you can see and track levels along with us, we have posted our benchmark chart and a link to the [AZDHS school-reopening dashboard](#) on our website. You can also find links to COVID-19
- 3) When community conditions are appropriate, students will be invited to join small class pods, which will meet outdoors.
- 4) We are very excited that staff has begun getting vaccinations, and it is **the recommendation of the committee that all staff is vaccinated before moving to "phase 2"**. Due to the fact that we are about 4-5 weeks away from staff being fully vaccinated, and Spring Break is 6 weeks away, **the committee has made a recommendation that we will not be moving to the next phase until after Spring Break.**

The CACC will continue to meet monthly to review current conditions and approve each successive stage.

Phase:	1	2*	3	4
<b>Cases:</b>	>150 cases per 100,000	100-150 cases per 100,000	10 - 100 cases per 100,000	<10 cases per 100,000
<b>Percent Positivity:</b>	>10%	>10%	5 - 10%	<5%
<b>Covid-Like Illness:</b>	>10%	>10%	5 - 10%	<5%
<b>Delivery Model:</b>	Virtual/Remote	Hybrid: Small groups of students outdoors	Hybrid: Small groups of students indoors	Traditional/In-Person

\*\*\*For the week of Jan. 10, there was a rate of 689 cases per 100,000 individuals