

January 19, 2021

Dear Superintendent Bates,

Salt Lake County Health Department has determined that Taylorsville High School has had 1% of the school population or more cases of COVID within a two-week period. Under the recommendations outlined in the [State of Utah's COVID-19 School Manual](#), your local education authority must choose one of the following:

- 1- Move all students and staff in the school to virtual or remote learning for at least 10 days.
 - Should you choose this option, no students should attend school in-person until Saturday, January 30, 2021. Online or virtual instruction and activities may continue during this time.

- 2- Offer rapid antigen testing for all students and staff in the school ("Test to Stay").
 - Students who are offered rapid antigen testing:
 - Must isolate at home if they test positive, even if they had symptoms before the test. They may return to in-person learning after they are done with their isolation period.
 - May continue in-person learning if they test negative, are not a close contact of a person who tests positive, and do not have any symptoms of COVID-19.
 - Who choose not to get tested should move to virtual or remote learning and should not attend school in-person until Saturday, January 30, 2021.
 - Teachers and staff are expected to continue their normal job duties in-person if they choose not to get tested or test negative. They should isolate at home if they test positive or follow quarantine guidelines if they were exposed to COVID-19.

Thank you for your help in protecting public health.

Sincerely,

Salt Lake County Health Department