

Dear Suzuki families,

9/17/2021

Please read carefully the Covid-19 safety guidelines that we are requiring all families to follow this year. Each teacher may add additional guidelines for their individual studios, but the following are requirements for all families and instructors. These guidelines are subject to change based on CDC and Seattle Public Schools recommendations.

1. Masks will be worn indoors at all times regardless of vaccination status.
2. You must stay home and have a virtual lesson if anyone in your household is sick (even if it's not Covid).
3. You must provide a negative covid test result before coming to your lesson if anyone in your household has been exposed to someone with Covid.
4. You must provide a negative covid test result before coming to your lesson if anyone attending the lesson has returned from an out of town trip via air travel.

If there is a Covid case within a studio, teachers will email families immediately to let them know, and will switch all lessons to virtual until the instructor receives a negative Covid test result. All instructors are vaccinated and will also be abiding by these guidelines, so they reserve the right to change any in person lesson to a virtual one for any reason. There will be no makeup or reschedule if your in-person lesson ends up being online. Teachers are required to send families home if they show up in violation of any of these guidelines.

If you have a specific circumstance and are unsure if you should attend in person or not, please email your teacher. The King County Public Health office has great information on when to get tested and when to quarantine. Below are a couple of resources.

Here is the page on isolation and quarantine:

<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/care/quarantine.aspx>.

There is also a feature that can help people decide if and when they need to get a test or isolate here: <https://redcap.iths.org/surveys/?s=AP3NW4AWJM>

The safety and health of everyone in the school is of the highest importance, and we appreciate you all working together to create a learning environment that is comfortable for everyone.

Thank you for your understanding and your help in keeping our school healthy and safe!

Sincerely,

Suzuki Institute Board of Directors and faculty

Please sign below that you have read and agree to follow these guidelines, and bring this form to your next in person lesson.

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Name

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Date