

Dear Private School Administrators and Stakeholders,

In addition to the memorandum and Q&A we forwarded your way yesterday/today, the Department of Education has been working with the Department of Health and we have received the following additional recommendations that many of you asked about:

- Anyone (students/faculty/staff/etc.) who go on foreign travel, to any country, must self-isolate for 14 days upon return.
- Anyone (students/faculty/staff/etc.) who go on a cruise, anywhere, must self-isolate for 14 days upon return.
- There should be no mass gatherings, which are defined by the CDC as “1,000-25,000 people, but the practical application is any gathering that would strain local resources.” We leave it to your discretion for events with less than 1,000 people.
- If a student/faculty/staff has been exposed to a person with confirmed COVID-19, and that student/faculty/staff has been in a classroom, we still recommend that you **NOT** close the school/college/program, but we do recommend that you clear the classroom and take necessary steps to sanitize the room.

And as always, you can learn more about COVID-19 preparations, signs and symptoms, and guidance at <http://www.fldoe.org/em-response/index.stml>.

Thanks.

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