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Dear TUHSD Parents and Guardians,

Tolleson Union High School District (TUHSD) has, for the first time, received an Overall Risk Level of MODERATE!

Thursday, September 17, TUHSD received their 2nd, of the required two consecutive weeks, Moderate rating using the benchmarks from the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS). This allows our students with the greatest needs to begin receiving on-campus support services and our student-athletes to return to campus for conditioning, acclimatization and practice.


For all of you waiting for TUHSD to finally meet the ADHS and Maricopa County benchmarks and Arizona Interscholastic Association-Sports Medicine Advisory Committee guidelines, we greatly appreciate your support, patience and understanding.

TUHSD athletic directors and district staff will meet on Friday morning to review and begin implementation of Return-to-Play protocols, which will go into effect on Monday, September 21st. In addition, Fall head coaches will meet later in the afternoon with site AD's and district staff.

Further communication will be forthcoming via the TUHSD online athletic clearance portal, Register My Athlete. It is important that coaches are able to communicate with students interested in their sports program. Please make sure your student-athlete is registered and cleared for the 20-21 school year (<https://www.registermyathlete.com/login/>).

We realize that this process has been a trying one for everyone involved. It is our hope that this marks a turning point in being able to provide our student athletes with the opportunities that athletic competition can provide them. Through all of this, we have asked our students and coaches to exhibit patience and resiliency. We realize that at times, that has been very difficult. Understand that we have all gone through this TOGETHER and it has truly made us #TUHSD Strong.

Sincerely,



Nora Gutierrez
Superintendent