Barring any major orders to continue sheltering in place, the following will be the safety and health protocol Starlight School will be strictly following in September and these guidelines may change according to what is recommended by the CDC and county health organizations:

* We will only accept children if they are fever and symptom-free.

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* It is your responsibility to take your child's temperature before bringing them to school. We will do the same. We are planning to purchase a new thermometer.

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* If your child develops a fever, runny nose or cough during school hours, we will isolate him/her, call you immediately and ask you to pick up your child and have them return once they are symptom and fever-free for at least 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications.

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* The only ones allowed in the classroom are the children. No adults will be allowed. We will hand you the sign-in clipboard and ask that you use your own pen to sign your child in and out of school.

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* Teachers will be using masks as much as is practical during school hours.

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* Tables, chairs, floors, bathrooms, door handles and shelves (as much as possible and practical) will be wiped and disinfected daily.

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* We will ask the children to wash their hands several times a day (as we were before) upon arrival, before snack/lunch, after they've sneezed, touched their mouth or nose, after coming in from outside time.

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* Teachers will also practice hand-washing several times a day. When available, hand sanitizers will also be used.

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- * We will be making use of our oil diffuser, using oils which help purify the air.
- * We will be spending a good portion of our days outdoors, weather permitting.

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* The water table, kiddie pool, sandbox and dish-washing works will be temporarily closed. As much as possible, we will encourage children to work at their own tables.