

Post COVID-19 Opening of Special Equestrians Policies and Procedures for Programs/Services

1. Participants & volunteers are asked to park in the participant and guest parking lot during the reopening.
2. Please do not go into the office unless you have permission.
3. Please respect social distancing rules (6 feet apart) at SE, during this time, even when wearing a face covering.
4. All persons coming to SE will need to sign a COVID-19 liability release, once.
5. All persons must wear a face covering such as a mask or bandanna including riders, instructors, and family members/caregivers and volunteers.
6. On arrival at SE for program services, all persons must come to the intake table, to be screened for COVID-19. If someone arrives with a temperature of over 100.4, they must leave the property. If you answer yes to any of the questions, you will need to leave the property.
7. If you have a cold, cough, or respiratory illness, do not come to Special Equestrians.
8. Only 1 person may accompany each participant to the arena. If other persons or siblings come with the rider, they must stay in the car in the parking lot. If other children come, another adult must stay in the car with the children.
9. Please bring your own water to classes. Stand away from people when you move your face covering, to take a drink. For health reasons, the water cooler at the arena will not be available.
10. Please bring your own folding chairs. SE chairs and benches will not be available, at this time.
11. All SE students must have their own equestrian helmet. SE sells helmets at no markup.
12. Frequent handwashing (or hand sanitizing) is required on arriving and leaving SE. It is encouraged throughout the morning. Hand sanitizer will be available at check in, at each end of the arena and in the barn.
13. Participants and families may go to your lesson area or the office restroom, and that is it.
14. Each class area has its own side. Please go to the side where you or your child are riding.
15. Do not touch anything unnecessarily.
16. Sadly, we cannot allow hugging or touching between volunteers, instructors, and riders, at this time. If there is an emergency, this rule is not in effect.
17. Arrive on time and leave immediately after your lesson.
18. After classes, equipment and common areas of our facility will be disinfected.
19. Toys will not be used in the arena, until further notice. Barrels, cones, and poles will be used.
20. Reins will be changed after each rider and disinfected at the end of the day.
21. Saddles will be wiped with disinfectant between riders & cleaned with saddle soap at the end of classes
22. Please do not bring food to share at class until further notice.