Dayville School has been placed on a Level 2 evacuation notice due to the Rail Ridge Wildfire.

Level 2 is a precautionary 'be set to evacuate at a moments notice'.

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At this time, Dayville School will continue with regular classes, but we have developed a plan and will be ready to evacuate should the situation change.

If your student normally drives to school or you might need to make alternative transportation arrangements, please contact the school office by 8:30 a.m.

Please know, the safety of students will always be our highest priority. We will continue to <u>monitor the situation</u>, <u>evaluate</u> and <u>revise plans</u>, and <u>keep parents informed</u>.

## EMERGENCY PLAN in the event of being moved into a LEVEL 3 Wildfire Evacuation

An automated call will be made to ALL parents/guardians as soon as staff have been notified of Level 3 Evacuation notice.

Please know that upon being put on a level 3, we will consult with local agencies and authorities to safely and calmly evacuate.

- ALL Students, including those driving personal vehicles, will get on the evacuation busses with the rest of the students — with the exception of those students whose parents have called the school prior to 8:30 a.m. and expressed explicit permission to drive home, or arranged alternative transportation in advance.
- Aside from the bus driver, there will be a minimum of two other staff chaperones on with students; 1 male and 1 female.
- Our first Evacuation step will be to release students to parents/guardians who are able to pick their children up <u>from school</u> quickly — <u>within 20 minutes</u> of the call going out.
- ALL students with parents/guardians unable to pick them up within 20 minutes will be bussed to Clyde Holliday State Park (1.3 miles East of Mt. Vernon on HWY 26) to be picked up by their parents/guardians.

For information during an evacuation, please contact Superintendent Jose Melendez on the school's *shared cell phone*: 541-620-0350