

First Day of School

Today was the first day of the 2020-2021 school year. We opened today with Cohort A students returning to school in-person and Cohort B beginning their learning by working on school-provided packets or Google Classroom. In addition, our Temporary Remote Learners began their new year meeting their teacher in Grades K-5, and in grades 6-12 with an introduction and orientation to Odysseyware.

Click [here](#) to view a few photos of our First Day of School 2020.

I want to thank all of our custodians, food service staff, paraeducators, teachers, lunch/recess aides, bus drivers, office staff, and administrators for their focused and dedicated efforts to open our doors and our electronic gateways to learning. Thank you most of all to all of our families for your support and commitment to your child, and for the trust you put in all of us. This year will be unique but we will remain ready to transition if necessary, and to ensure quality learning experiences and opportunities for our students throughout the school year.

Daily Self Check

We are asking all of our families and staff to utilize the Daily Self Check Questionnaire prior to coming to school each day. This will ensure that we work together to keep our schools healthy learning environments.

The following questions will help to determine if your child should attend school on a particular day:

- Do you have a fever today of 100.4F or greater?
- Do you have shortness of breath or other difficulties breathing?
- Do you have a persistent cough that is new?
- Do you have loss of taste/smell?
- Do you have flu-like symptoms such as gastro-intestinal upset, nausea, vomiting, headache?
- Have you been in contact or close contact with someone diagnosed with COVID 19?
- Have you traveled in the past 14 days to any regions listed on the DPH travel advisory list?

If you answer yes to any of the questions listed above, your child should stay home and call your medical provider for further guidance. Please also remember to report to your school office if your child is absent from school for any reason.

Annual Notifications

Each year, we are required to notify parents, and students, of certain policies and procedures. Please [click here](#) to view the 2020-2021 Annual Notifications document that has been posted to our website.

Future Updates

This is the final district-level reopening update. School-specific information will be provided in the Friday Weekly Blasts, so be sure to take some time at the end of each week to review the information sent from your child's school.