Information on the Phased Re-Entry Plan

Q – When can students return for face-to-face instruction?
A – The building will re-open for traditional learning on Tuesday, September 8.

Q – On which days will in-person instruction be offered?
A – Traditional learning will take place Monday – Thursday each week. Every Friday will be digital learning from home while the building is sanitized.

Q – I don’t feel safe sending my student back to school yet… What do I do?
A – Digital learning will continue to be offered for the entire school year for those families who choose to keep their children home.

Q – In the summer, I chose the digital learning option. Now I think I want to change my mind and send my student to school. Can I?
A – Your child’s teacher will be calling you during the week of August 24-28 and talking with you about which option you think is best for your child.

Q – If I choose to continue with digital learning and change my mind later, can I send my child back to school?
A – Because there is a great deal of planning involved for our staff to meet the needs of students in the different instructional models, we ask that any changes be made at the end of each 9-week grading period. Parents should notify the principal of any changes so the school is prepared and can make adjustments to the instructional plan for the student.
Q – Are masks required?
A – Yes, a face covering of some type will be required for all students who choose to return to the building.

Q – Do students have to wear the masks all day?
A – Yes, but we are building “mask breaks” into the schedule to allow students to safely have time without wearing them.

Q – What if a student gets sick at school?
A – Any student (or adult) who develops a fever at school will be quarantined in a sanitized room and parents will be notified. Students and staff must be fever-free (without medicine) for 72 hours before they can return to school.

Q – What if someone in the school tests positive for COVID?
A – The school system’s lead nurse has a team of nurses who provide contact-tracing services for all who may have been in contact with a COVID-positive person. The school or a nurse will contact the parents of any child who has potentially been exposed. A period of quarantine will be required. If this happens, the affected class(es) will resume fully digital learning from home until the quarantine period passes.

Q – I’m still not sure what to do…
A – We want to empower parents to make the right decision for their students. If you have questions or concerns, please talk to your teacher or the administration. Whatever your choice, we will do our best to support your child as they grow and learn in the safest environment we can provide.