Hall School



2020-2021 School Reopening Plan

Health and Wellness for Students

- All families will be requested to self monitor wellness of students
- Ensure student temperature is below 100.4 before leaving for school
- Thermometers are available for families as needed
- Students should remain home if showing symptoms related to covid-19, or have had close contact with someone diagnosed with covid-19
- Sanitation / Cleaning protocols have been increased throughout the building
- Desks in classrooms have been placed at a minimum of 40 inches apart in order to maximize social distancing within a classroom

Safety for Students

- Face coverings are required to enter the building and throughout the school day
- Parents must provide face coverings each day, although the school will have back-up disposable masks available if needed
- Frequent mask-breaks will take place during the day when social distancing is available
- Students are expected to maintain social distancing to the greatest extent possible when moving throughout the building and within classrooms

Safety for Students continued

- Sharing of school supplies is not allowed
- Frequent hand washing and sanitizing is expected throughout the school day, sanitizing stations have been set up outside bathrooms and hand sanitizer will be available in classrooms
- Parents and outside adults will be allowed in the building by appointment only, in order to maximize safety precautions for all staff and students
- Water fountains have been turned off, and students may bring in a personal water bottle each day.

Morning Arrival / Entering the building

- Room numbers will be painted onto the playground blacktop, with ample space for social distancing between lines
- Students will line up behind their room number each morning
- Teachers will go outside to walk their classes into the building
- Classes for K, 1, and 2 will enter the building through the door facing Willow Street
- Classes for 3, 4, 5, and 6 will enter the building through the door facing the parking lot in the rear of the building
- Parents will not enter the building with students

Dismissal

- Teachers will walk students to the class numbers on the playground through the same doors they used during arrival time
- Lighthouse staff will retrieve their students outside on the playground.

Late Arrivals / Dismissals

- Appointed staff members will wait at the Willow Street door until 9am for late arrivals
- Any students arriving after 9am will enter the building through the front door and MUST report to the main office.
- Late dismissals will be directed to the office at 3:15pm.
- Early dismissals must send in a note and / or call ahead to have their child ready.

Movement Throughout the Building

- In order to maximize social distancing throughout the building, the following system has been put into place:
- The playground side stairwell will be for students going UP the stairs.
- The library side stairwell will be for students going DOWN stairs.
- The back stairwell will only be utilized ONLY for arrival / dismissal and lunch waves for rooms 209, 210, and 211.
- Signs will be posted at each stairwell indicating its usage.
- Students must have a pass to go to the nurse AND the teacher will call the nurse's office before sending a student.
- All specialists will come to the classrooms during their time.

Lunch Wave Schedule

- An additional lunch wave has been added to help maximize social distancing in the cafeteria
- Students will have assigned tables and seats in the café
- Wave 1: 11:10 11:40 Verrastro, Open, Wiener, Priest
- Wave 2: 11:50 12:20 Bernier, Depeano, Pearce, Palumbo, Clemons
- Wave 3: 12:30 1:00 Callegari, Gardner, Ford, Hanna
- All waves will have extra support staff

Recess and Bathroom Schedules

- All staff members will adhere to a recess schedule to help maximize social distancing on the playground while giving students a physical outlet and mask break
- A bathroom schedule will be adhered to by all staff, except in emergency situations, in order to decrease cohort intermingling

Nurse's Office / Isolation Room

- Any student being sent to the nurse must have a pass AND the teacher must call the nurse's office before sending a student.
- An isolation room has been identified on the 2nd floor at the end of the hallway between rooms 215 and 216, next to the single bathroom.
- The isolation room will be utilized at the nurse's discretion for students / staff exhibiting possible contagious symptoms.
- The nurse has protocols set in place by that department and DPH for handling and reporting of incidents.