



Reopening Schools Task Force Update

June 9, 2020



PARENT SURVEY RESULTS



STAFF SURVEY RESULTS

- Schools are obligated to find ways to serve all students, even during times of disruption when remote learning requires students to connect from home.
- Schools are responsible for meeting the needs of all students, including the distinctive needs of students from low-income backgrounds, students with disabilities, and English language learners.
- Decisions are best made by consulting with those closest to the problem, including school leaders, health officials, community leaders and parents.

- Schools will reopen in the 2020–21 academic year.
- Reopened schools will need modifications based on guidance from national and state health officials.
- Plans should take into account both short and long-term solutions.

SCENARIO A

'Normal' return to school

SCENARIO B

Hybrid:

Brick and Mortar/Remote

SCENARIO C

Online Instruction

Global Academy

- A: Return to campus full-time, with safety precautions in place
- B: Blended Learning Model with classroom teachers providing instruction both in person and remotely
- C: Online Instruction utilizing GPS Global Academy teachers

- Academics
- Accountability
- Campus Operational Management
- Communication
- Employees
- Extra Curricular
- Health Services
- Legislative Advocacy
- Operations
- Programs
- Remote Learning/Technology
- Whole Child Supports

COMMUNICATION

- Audiences: Students, Parents, Employees
- Achieving Consistency and Clear District Voice
- Communication Channels
 - Existing
 - New
(e.g. Parent Website)

WHOLE CHILD SUPPORTS

- SEL/Trauma Informed Practices
- Mental Health Supports
- Professional Development

ACADEMICS

- Continuity of Learning
- Addressing Learning Gaps
- Learning Support and Services
 - Special Education
 - 504
 - Title
 - ELL

REMOTE LEARNING/ TECHNOLOGY

- Teacher Training
 - Platform
 - Best Instructional Strategies
- Parent Training/Support
 - Platform access
 - Resource navigation
 - Strategies for student support
- Device and Technical Support
 - Access
 - K-6 Device Distribution/Insurance Options
- Internet Accessibility

CAMPUS OPERATIONAL MGMT

- Schedules
- Resources
- Campus Processes/Procedures
 - Classrooms
 - Common areas/Movement
 - Cafeterias
 - Playgrounds
 - Office Areas
 - Cleaning

OPERATIONS

- Financial
 - Cares Act Grant
 - Monitoring of Funding
 - Warehouse PPE & Cleaning Supplies
- Nutrition Services
 - Lunchroom Modifications
- Transportation
 - Cleaning
 - Hand Sanitizer at Bus Entrance
- Facilities
 - Ductwork In Line Filtration
 - Cleaning protocols and materials
 - Sanitizers throughout buildings

EXTRACURRICULAR

- Athletics
- Performing Arts
- Special Areas
- Activities

PROGRAMS

- Before/After School - VIK and Enrichment
- Preschool
- Summer/Holiday Camps
- Specialized Programs

EMPLOYEES

- Susceptible Personnel
- Teacher Certification
- Staffing Adjustments/Costs
- Return to work precautions and procedures
- Reporting of identified COVID cases w/ employees/OSHA
- FFCRA/ADA

HEALTH SERVICES

- AZDHS/CDC Guidance
- Protocols
 - Student
 - Staff
 - Screening
 - Procedures (illness, outbreak)
 - Prevention modalities

ACCOUNTABILITY

- Assessing Student Growth
- Teacher Evaluations
- Attendance Requirements and Reporting

LEGISLATIVE ADVOCACY

- Funding
- Accountability



June 2020	Task Force Planning/Work
Ongoing Updates	Provided to Families, Staff and Governing Board
June 30, 2020	Formal Governing Board Presentation

TIMELINE



QUESTIONS?