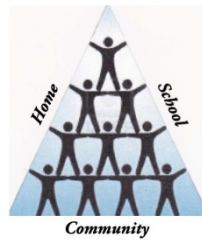


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**CORRECTED and UPDATED as of 8:30 PM on 3/12/21.**

Good evening PS/IS 229K students and families!

We are definitely looking forward to seeing our students back in the school next Tuesday, March 16th!!

Just a few reminders and updates...

- Beginning on March 16<sup>th</sup>, we will welcome **Grades K-5 and Grade 8 Blended Students** into the school building for in-person learning FOUR DAYS per week. All Cohort A, Cohort B and Cohort C students will attend in-person Tuesdays-Fridays. **We will continue to seek adjustments that will allow us to bring Grades 6/7 into the building four days per week.**
- We did have to make a few class changes, either the number of students in a class or classroom location. We did all we could to make as few changes as possible. Where we did have to make a change, the best possible solution for everyone was chosen. Families of students in the affected classes should already have been notified.
- At this point, our doors will open for students at 8:40 AM. Teachers and paraprofessionals contracted days currently begin at 8:10 AM, and they have thirty minutes of collaborative planning/preparation until 8:40 AM.
- HEALTH & SAFETY: Social distancing of 6 feet and mask wearing are still being required. All staff, students, and visitors must complete the Daily Health Screening. Random in-school COVID-19 Testing will continue on a weekly basis. Students without COVID-19 Testing consent submitted will be moved to fully-remote learning.
- Our three Afterschool Academic Programs (K-2 ELA & Math Support; Grades 3-8 ELA & Math Mastery; Title III/LEP) will begin for some groups on Tuesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> and for others on Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>. We will have IN-PERSON groups that meet in the school building (2:30-4:30 PM) and REMOTE groups that meet online through Google Classroom (2:30-4:30 PM, or 3:15-5:15 PM). Invitations/Permission Slips were sent out by email via Pupil Path this week. Please check your provided email and/or your child's school email [e.g. [joshuak12@ps229k.com](mailto:joshuak12@ps229k.com)], and return the form by replying directly to the email.

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