



Cherry Hill

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WE Return to Learn Updates
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WE Return to Learn – The Basis of the Plan – District Mission Statement

WE shall provide all children with an education that develops open-minded thinkers with the strong academic and interpersonal skills to thrive **in an ever-changing world** and make it a better place for all.



WE Return to Learn – Begin with the numbers

!%

15

76

80


692

1045

3000+



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4 ONLINE SESSIONS:

Session 1, August 19 @ 4pm - I Have Questions:
Where to Go for Technology Support

Session 2, August 20 @ 4pm - Setting Your Child Up for Success

Session 3, August 25 @ 4pm - Google Classroom and Parent

Session 4, August 26 @ 4pm - Virtual Learning

Can't attend live? All sessions w



WE Return to Learn – Why Are We Here?

- Feedback over the past 15 days from students, parents, teachers, and community members
 - Elementary schedule
 - Amount of screen time
 - Stress of remote learning on families
 - Trauma and social emotional learning
 - Technology issues
- Are we prepared to return on November 9, 2020?

WE are responding but more importantly
we are LISTENING!



WE Return to Learn – How are we listening and responding?

- We Return to Learn Subgroups are reconvening -
 - Elementary - September 21 - Ms. Friddell
 - Pupil Services - September 30 - TBD
 - High School - October 5 - Mrs. Saidel
 - Middle School - October 5 - Mrs. Neary

WE Return to Learn – How are we listening and responding?

- Subgroup Topics for Discussion
 - Screen time
 - Impact and continuity of schedule
 - Work volume and expectations for students and staff
 - Length of the academic day
 - Balance of synchronous and asynchronous learning
 - Well-being of students and staff
 - Technology needs

WE Return to Learn – How are we listening and responding?

- Professional Development Offerings -
 - Survey sent to all staff on September 21.
 - Did you participate in summer flex options?
 - Have you explored the Virtual Learning Platform (VLP)?
 - If you have explored the VLP what did you find helpful, what suggested improvements would you make?
 - Indicate the type of PD you need to be successful in a remote learning environment. Be specific as possible.

WE Return to Learn – How are we listening and responding?

- Pandemic Response Teams -
 - Formed in each school
 - Meet the guidelines as outlined by the DOE with participants
 - Meetings have begun and will continue
 - PPE distributions

WE Return to Learn – Our new normal



COVID -19
TEMPORILY CLOSED

We are still operating online
visit our website for more information



WE Return to Learn – How are we listening and responding?

- Social Emotional Learning -
 - Presentation to the Curriculum and Instruction Committee September 8 by Mrs. Weathington and Mrs. Mingin
 - Why Try Program grades K-12
 - Second Step - grades K & 1
 - Positive Behavioral Supports - some schools and grades

WE Return to Learn – We Return to Learn Changes

- Clarifications -
 - wearing of masks for staff while in remote learning model
 - cameras - “strongly encouraged to have cameras on”

Additional changes will be forthcoming based on feedback and recommendations from the committees specifically at the elementary level.

WE Return to Learn – Are we prepared to return November 9th?

- Actively Preparing for Returning to School
 - November 9th
 - Hybrid model
 - Increased communication with CHEA
 - HVAC
 - Safety Protocols and PPE

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Questions
Feedback
Discussion