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Centerville City Schools

2020-2021



Noon Optimist Meeting | September 22, 2020

Spring 2020

- Wednesday, March 11, 2020 – Governor’s Press Conference – mandating the closing of K-12 schools.
- CCS began remote learning on Monday, March 16 using “Google Classroom” and the ZOOM platform.
- Deployed 125 Wireless Hotspots and approximately 2000 Chrome Books.
- Continued to support families who qualify for free and reduced lunch and breakfast.
- Assisted by Centerville PD and Washington Township Sheriff’s Office.

Spring 2020 cont'd...

- Buildings were shut down until the end of June and all staff worked remotely from home.
- All Spring activities were cancelled.
- Remote Graduation
- Class of 2020 Parade



Input from Community & Experts

- More than 5,000 surveys from students, parents and teachers
- Input from building principals and teacher advisory teams
- Collaboration with area school districts and Public Health - Dayton & Montgomery County
- Guidance and considerations from ODE, Ohio Department of Health, American Academy of Pediatrics and more

Guiding Principles

- Safeguarding the health and safety of our school community
- Ensuring effective and equitable teaching and learning opportunities
- Supporting the emotional well-being of students and staff
- Providing an essential service to our community

Learning Options

 Option 1	 Option 2
In-Person	100% Online Learning Model
50/50 Blended	
Fully Remote	

Option 1

Student Experience

- Students will attend school all day, everyday.
- Classrooms will be reconfigured to maximize distancing as much as possible.
- Schedules will be modified to reduce transitions and limit the number of students each person comes in contact with daily.
- Each student will be assigned a Chromebook laptop device to use throughout the school year.
- If a child receives special services, those services will continue to be provided.

Option 1

Student Experience

- Lunch will be served everyday at school, or students may pack their lunch. Juniors and seniors will still be permitted to leave campus for lunch. Lunch and recess will be modified to incorporate health and safety protocols whenever possible.
- PE, performing arts and other large classes may be reorganized, modified or held outside to allow for safe conditions.
- In our K-5 buildings, some integrated arts teachers will travel to the classrooms to reduce student transitions.
- There will be no field trips or large gatherings within the school, such as assemblies, performances or programs.

Option 1

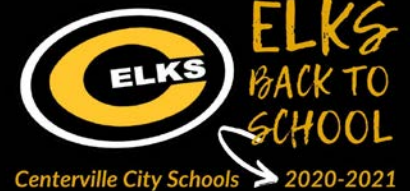
Student Expectations

- Face coverings will be required for students and staff.
- Students should provide their own masks as part of their school supplies.
- Students and staff members will practice social distancing whenever possible.
- In the event a student cannot report to school in-person (such as an extended absence or quarantine), the student may continue learning and stay connected with their teachers and classrooms remotely and will not be recorded as absent.

Option 1

Cleaning & Prevention

- Self-screenings, including temperature checks, should occur at home each day prior to entering school or the bus.
- Students and staff members should stay home if they are sick or displaying symptoms.
- Cleaning supplies and disinfectants will be available to clean work spaces as needed.
- Frequent hand washing will be encouraged. Hand sanitizer will be available throughout buildings.
- Barriers and signage will be used in high traffic areas.
- Hallway travel will be modified to increase physical distancing.



Option 1

Cleaning & Prevention

- Custodial and maintenance staff will continue to clean and disinfect classrooms, restrooms, common areas, high-touch surfaces, etc.
- Spray mists and electrostatic cleaning machines will also be used to disinfect spaces.
- Touchless water bottle filling stations will be available in each school building, and students are encouraged to bring water with them each day. Other drinking fountains will be disabled.

Option 1

Transportation

- Routine bus transportation to and from school will be available.
- Bus seats will be limited to 2 student(s) per seat. Siblings will sit together whenever possible.
- Students and staff members will be required to wear a face covering when they are on a school bus.
- Social distancing is recommended when students are at their bus stop.
- Arrival and dismissal will be modified to reduce the number of students each person comes in contact with.
- Buses will be disinfected throughout the day and before and after each trip.

Option 2

Student Experience

- Students maintain enrollment as a Centerville City Schools' student.
- Each student will be assigned a Chromebook laptop device to use for online learning.
- Students will learn in an online environment with Centerville Teachers and the Centerville Curriculum.

Option 2

Student Expectations

- Students will log in daily and complete work, which may include instructional videos, independent practice, progress checks and unit assessments.
- Students who enroll in the online option will participate in online learning for at least the fall semester.
- In the event of a building or district closure, students will continue in their online courses.

First Day of School

- Staff would report on Monday, August 17
- First day of school for students in grades K-12 would move to Monday, August 24
- First day of school for preschool would remain on Wednesday, August 26

Sample Staff Professional Development

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
District & Building Opening Day Video greetings and messages Zoom meetings Grade level and/or content area team meetings Planning, preparation and practicing	Curriculum Remote Teaching Practices Training in various online resource like Newsela, Freckle, Mathia, Mystery Science, and more Teaching and Learning in a Block Schedule Assessment Strategies and Practices for determining learning gaps Bridges Implementation Classroom setup and environment during COVID Instructional pacing	Technology K-1 Google Classroom -set up and getting started Google Classroom Guidance and Best Practices (Student view and best practices, teacher best practices) Support with various Technology equipment - in classroom and at home Technology Practices/Expectations Zoom, Screencastify, Flipgrid and training in other technology tools	Health & Safety Teacher and Student Expectations Mask expectations Training in noticing and identifying symptoms Sanitation Protocols (including the sharing of classroom materials) Quarantine Protocols (Identification, Communication, Process) Monitoring students during lunch, recess, transition times, etc	Social Emotional Transitioning Back to In-Person Learning (Guidance for a Supported Return to School) Building Classroom Community during COVID Naviance

June/July/August 2020

- Governor modifies his mandates and allows school buildings to open for staff.
- Athletic Skills Training is allowed to begin with strict protocols.
- Ohio begins to “open back up”
- Public Health Recommendation for K-12 school to start the school year totally remote . Decision to go remote was made on Thursday, August 6.
- Currently we have deployed over 4,500 Chrome Books and 200 wireless “hotspots.”
- Food to Go Program supported needy families over the summer

Quarter 1

- First day of school for students in grades K-12 moved to Monday, August 24.
- Remote learning can be challenging but, we have had good attendance and 80% of our teachers have been teaching from their classrooms.
- Student Nutrition Services and Transportation continued to provide for families who qualified for free and reduced lunch.

Looking ahead to Quarter 2

- Begins Monday, October 19 and we are recommending an in-person teaching model.
- Continuing to balance educational options with health and safety protocols.
- During remote learning we have had some students attend in person. This includes Special Needs students, some Career Education and Elementary Students for MAP Assessments.
- Total remote learning will still be an option for Quarter 2 for those families who still desire this mode of instruction.
- Additional details will be pushed out next week.

