

Dear Kinnikinnick Families,

The 2020-2021 Back to School Re-Opening Plan was approved by our Board of Education on July 28th and is available for your review.

DATE AND TIMES

- First Day of School: September 8, 2020
- Schedule for Learning for **both** in-person and remote instruction:

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| 8:10 a.m. - 2:25 p.m. Ledgewood/Stone Creek/Kinnikinnick |
| 8:10 a.m. – 10:40 a.m. EC/PK morning session |
| 11:55 a.m. – 2:25 p.m. EC/PK afternoon session |
| 9:14 a.m. – 3:20 p.m. Roscoe Middle School |

- Students in **both** environments will utilize district grade level curriculum and will follow the District grading policy. Although the environment differs, our high standards remain the same.

A video presentation of the plan was presented to the Board of Education on July 28th and will be made available on our district website.

LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

The District is providing families a choice between two learning environments, while our region remains in Phase 4 of Restore Illinois.

- **Learning Environment #1: IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION**
- **Learning Environment #2: REMOTE LEARNING 2.0**

Please note that families who choose in-person instruction must be prepared for **possible short-term and rolling closures**, regardless of community spread. **Families and staff should expect transitions between remote and in-person learning throughout Phase 4 due to the impact of COVID-19.**

SELECTION PROCESS

Families will choose between the two environments for their student(s). To assist you in making the decision, we have created a robust Back to School Re-Opening Plan guidebook which is available on the district website (<http://www.kinn131.org/>).

All parents must select their program option by **THURSDAY, AUGUST 6TH**. This must be done by completing the Back to School Year 2020-2021 Form which can be accessed using the link below or by visiting our district website. <https://forms.gle/Apday4qXS6EoMB9v9>.

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions, please email ask@kinnschools.org. We will answer these questions in a Frequently Asked Questions document posted to the website and updated as questions are received.

I want to thank our Board of Education, Administration, District Cabinet Team, Parent Focus Group and the Kinnikinnick Staff for the many hours they have dedicated this summer to creating a plan for our community during such unique circumstances. We look forward to the upcoming school year ahead.

Your partner in education,

Keli Freedlund
Superintendent