

## MHP Quarter 2 Hybrid Start Date

September 25, 2020

Mission Heights' Families,

It is with excitement that I get to share that we have met the COVID benchmarks for the county and have been approved to start our hybrid on-campus learning for the students who have chosen this option. As next week is finals week, we will not make this change then as to not interfere with testing. Good luck to all of our students as you finish your classes! Finish strong!

Quarter 2 starts on Tuesday, October 6th. We will start those first two days from home and will be bringing students back onto campus on **Thursday, October 8th (Purple Group) and Friday, October 9th (Gray Group)**. We then have fall break from October 12-16th. After that, we will come back fully into our hybrid plan.

We are not going to go into all details of our hybrid plan in this email as to keep it concise. Here is a presentation of our full plan for you to view. If you feel you have seen this before, please know things have changed in the last week. I encourage you to review it again:

[https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1Q9s\\_qBhc2xl7GKkjmeBWGCfvTd3hz3Tw7vC77q87VXA/edit#slide=id.g89250c7814\\_0\\_16](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1Q9s_qBhc2xl7GKkjmeBWGCfvTd3hz3Tw7vC77q87VXA/edit#slide=id.g89250c7814_0_16).

### Here are the main details about our Hybrid Plan:

1. **Purple Group - Students with last names A-K will attend on Monday and Thursdays.**
2. **Gray Group - Students with last names L-Z will attend on Tuesdays and Fridays.**
3. On Wednesdays, all students will be learning from home. Students will still have class all day but instruction will be shortened (like our pre-covid Friday schedule). We are using this day to do more intense cleaning in the middle of the week.
4. Instruction will be taught LIVE every day for students (whether on campus or at home).
5. Attendance is mandatory for all students on all days.
6. Schedule is going back to our Pre-Covid Schedule (8:20-1:30 or to 3:00 if you have a 4th period). (See presentation for exact schedule)
7. Masks are mandatory for students and staff.

Our admin team is working on two videos for our families that will be released before we come together on October 8th - one will go in depth with our hybrid plan, and the other will explain how online learning will work for those who have chosen that learning option for the rest of the year. These videos will detail all the plans we have in place for instruction, safety, sanitation, meals, etc... that will address the largest concerns our families have for each learning option.

This decision has been extremely challenging as there is no way to satisfy all needs and concerns of our families. We all wish that we could return to the pre-covid days of school. We are committed to following the guidance of our health department, state, and corporate leadership. If you have questions or concerns

you'd like to share, please feel free to reach out to me via email. I am eager to see our students' faces, albeit behind masks. As always, thank you for allowing us the opportunity to educate your child.

Blessings and safety to you all,

Amanda Mace

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