HCCS – Staten Island Reopening Plan Addendum - Transition to 3ft Social Distancing
Updated April 15, 2021
*As per New York State Department of Health Interim Guidance for In-Person Instruction

Town-Hall (PTA) & Faculty Meetings
Faculty Meeting – Monday, April 5, 2021
PTA/Family Meeting - Wednesday, April 14, 2021

HCCS SI will be transitioning to Five Day In School Learning for Cohorts A and B, beginning the week of April 19th. After measuring and rearranging classroom furniture we are able to accommodate students from cohorts A and B within the new 3 feet distancing guidelines. Cohort C will continue to learn remotely. The return to 5 day in school instruction will be staggered by grade level as follows:

**Kindergarten - Cohorts A and B** (K11, K12, K13) - They will begin the transition to 5 days on Monday, April 19, 2021.

**First Grade - Cohorts A and B** (1-101, 1-102) - They will begin the transition to 5 days on Tuesday, April 20, 2021

**Second Grade - Cohorts A and B** - (2-201, 2-202) They will begin the transition to 5 days on Wednesday, April 21, 2021.

Transition will be as follows for the first week of Five Day In School Learning:

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Week of April 19:
**Kindergarten** – Five days of in school instruction (both cohorts together)
**First Grade** – Four Days of in school instruction (both cohorts together)
**Second Grade** – Three Days of in school instruction (both cohorts together)

Week of April 26:
All GRADES/ALL CLASSES – FIVE DAYS IN SCHOOL

Pre-k Guidance
We have been advised by the New York City DOE Early Childhood Policy team that Pre-k will remain the same and there are no changes at this time. Should any changes arise, we will follow up with an additional email.

Eating, Snacking & Mask Guidelines:

- All students and staff are required to wear masks at all times
- while eating, students must be at least 6ft apart
- Classes will be separated to eat - half of the students will eat in the classroom and the other half of the class will eat in the gym/lunchroom
- Tables will be sanitized between lunch periods
- Teachers will establish a rotating schedule of students eating in the gym/lunchroom

ARRIVAL and DISMISSAL
Arrival will be staggered between three groups in an effort to alleviate congestion now that the daily attendance will be increased. Please adhere to arrival and dismissal times as closely as possible.

***ARRIVAL
7:30 - 7:45 - Grade 2 and SIBLINGS
7:45 - 8:00 - Grade 1 and SIBLINGS
8:00 - 8:15 - Kindergarten
***DISMISSAL
K13 and SIBLINGS - 3:10         FIRST GRADE and SIBLINGS - 3:30
K12 and SIBLINGS - 3:15         SECOND GRADE - 3:35
K11 and SIBLINGS - 3:20

COVID-19 Health Guidance & Safety
We will continue to follow all health and safety protocols as keeping our students, families and entire HCCS community safe is our number one priority. We ask that families continue to follow the COVID-19 health guidelines as well; wear masks, complete daily health screening and stay home if sick. Teachers will spend some time going over the safety and lunch protocols and discuss the importance of mask wearing, washing/sanitizing hands and using the up/down staircase correctly. Please review our Reopening Plan updated on April 8, 2021 for additional details, guidance and school closures at www.hccs-nys.org

Continuation of Hybrid Learning – Optional
Any families who wish to continue learning using the hybrid model must email administration.