Hellenic Classical Charter Schools (HCCS)
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COVID-19 TRAVEL POLICY
2020-2021
(Updated March 8, 2021)

HCCS has implemented a travel policy covering all HCCS Faculty, Staff, and students. HCCS’s travel policy follows the State of New York’s mandatory travel restrictions and additional guidance issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Accordingly, if you have traveled outside of New York (both domestically and internationally), you must comply with the following requirements:

- OPTION 1:
  o Quarantine for 10 days before you return to HCCS.

- OPTION 2:
  o If you have traveled outside of New York for **24 hours or more**:
    ▪ Pursuant to New York’s travel guidelines, you must obtain a COVID-19 test within three days **prior** to your departure from the out-of-state destination.
    ▪ Upon returning to New York, you must quarantine for three days.
    ▪ On the fourth day, you must obtain another COVID-19 test.
    ▪ If both tests are negative, you may return to HCCS upon receipt of the second negative COVID-19 diagnostic test result.
  o If you have traveled outside of New York for **less than 24 hours**:
    ▪ On the fourth day after returning to New York, you must obtain a COVID-19 test.
    ▪ If the COVID-19 test is negative, you may return to HCCS upon receipt of such negative COVID-19 diagnostic test result.

**TRAVEL POLICY UPDATE, January 27, 2021:**
HCCS Faculty, Staff, and students who travel to/from a state that is contiguous to New York are exempt from this travel policy. These states are: Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, and Vermont.

**TRAVEL POLICY UPDATE, March 8, 2021:**
Under the new New York State travel restrictions, if a HCCS student/teacher has been fully vaccinated (received both doses of the Pfizer/Moderna vaccine or the one dose of Johnson & Johnson and waited a sufficient amount of time for antibodies to have developed) and they traveled to a location within the US that is not contiguous with New York (any state/territory that is not touching New York), the student/teacher will not need to quarantine upon return to New York. Therefore, these individuals can return to in-person HCCS learning upon return.

If you have any questions or concerns please email HCCS’s Chief of Operations, Joy.Petrakos@hccs-nys.org, and copy our Superintendent CTettonis@hccs-nys.org and HCCS-PS Principal: NCaban@hccs-nys.org and/or HCCS-SI Principal: CKakleas@hccs-nys.org.