

2020/21 Reopening Campuses for eLearning Phase 2 Survey

Dear BCPS Parents and Guardians,

Local environmental trends and the District's analysis of gating criteria both point to the reopening of our schools for on-campus instruction next month. The Superintendent and staff engaged the School Board in a reopening discussion at the September 22, 2020, School Board Workshop. Included was discussion to garner input from parents and guardians through a survey similar to the one that was administered in the summer.

<u>Considerations</u>: The following concepts should be taken into account as parents/guardians contemplate the decisions they are making for their families:

- The school day for students will continue to be administered through the current eLearning model. Students who return to campus for face-to-face eLearning will have live interaction with their teachers and peers within physical distancing guidelines.
- Students will need to transport their District-issued device or personal device (if possible) to and from school each day.
- Facial coverings must be worn at all times while on campus and school buses.
- All schools' times for eLearning Phase 2 will reflect the 2020/21 Opening & Closing School Times approved by the School Board on May 19, 2020. (Click here to see your child's school times.)
- Parents/guardians will commit to the chosen option for the remainder of the semester, which is January 7, 2021. Request for changes will be considered on an individual basis.
- Due to space limitations necessitated by physical distancing guidelines, having 100% of our students requesting to be on campus each day or needing transportation may not be possible at all schools.
- All non-respondents will be defaulted to continue with eLearning at home.

Directions:

- The survey administration window is Wednesday, September 23, 2020 through Tuesday, September 29, 2020.
- Parents/caregivers must log on to their children's single sign on Launch Pad and complete the Reopening Survey. An individual survey must be completed for each student in their home.

When eLearning instruction in schools begins for students, my child will:

(a) continue with eLearning at home

Thank you for taking the time to make these important selections for your family. *(End of survey if selection is made)*

(b) participate in face-to-face eLearning on the school's campus

My child does not have a District-issued or personal device to bring to school each day and will need a District-issued device if he/she returns to campus.

- (a) Yes
- (b) No

Thank you for taking the time to make these important selections for your family.