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# Chenery Middle School

Return to Full In Person & Remote Learning

March 22, 2021

Parent Information Night

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# What We Know - Elimination of Hybrid Model

The Commissioner has outlined general ideas which include:

- ★ Full day duration to include lunch at school
- ★ Full week (i.e. 5 days / week) scope
- ★ The Commissioner has asked districts to implement a plan that provides a minimum of 3 feet distancing and a recommended distance of 6 feet where feasible (10 feet for some music and PE).

# What We Know - On the CMS Campus

- ★ Distancing for Students - minimum 3' classrooms, 6' unmasked, 10' exhalation.
- ★ Mitigation Strategies Remain in Place - masks, sanitizing, hand-washing, distancing.
- ★ ENCORE instruction will occur on campus (PE, Art, Music, Health, Engineering, Foreign Language, NF Studies, 21st Cent.).
- ★ Lunch will be served in multiple spaces.
- ★ In person students will remain grouped **on teams** for core, PE, Art, Health, and Engineering. **Off teams** for Music, Foreign Language, NF Studies, 21st Cent., 7/8 Math.

# Recommendations for Return

- ❑ Grade 5 - Hopeful start April 14.
- ❑ Grades 6-8 - April 28
- ❑ Full School Day 7:45-2:25, Wednesdays 7:45-1:15
- ❑ Lunch for All Grades (5-7 Lunches)
- ❑ Adjust Remote Schedule to include lunch/recess breaks
- ❑ Baseline Model - Livestream Remote Students
  - ❑ Possible “remote academy” for grade 5

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**Grade 5 Begin Full Time Sometime This Week** (Green arrow pointing from Monday, April 12 to Friday, April 16)

**School Vacation** (Orange arrow pointing from Sunday, April 18 to Saturday, April 24)

**Grade 5** (Green arrow pointing from Monday, April 26 to Wednesday, April 28)

**+ Grades 6-8 Begin** (Cyan arrow pointing from Thursday, April 29 to Friday, April 30)



# Lunch SAMPLE With 90% Enrolled

Grade 5 = 298

Grade 6 = 334

Grade 7 = 332

Grade 8 = 306

- Students must be 6' spaced
- Project max students at one time = 320
- Cafeteria = 154 students
- 4 Tents = 49 students (per tent)
- Large Gym + Small Gym = 131 students
- Need to be able to fit teams of students (not pure numbers of students)
- Multiple teams need to fit at one time.

## Cafe + Gyms + 2 Tents

Cafe	Tent 1	Tent 2	Tent 3	Tent 4	Gym	Total Lunch Capacity
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## Cafe + Gyms

Cafe	Tent 1	Tent 2	Tent 3	Tent 4	Gym	Total Lunch Capacity
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## Cafe + 4 Tents

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# Lunch Possibilities & Challenges



- 6-7 Lunches 9:50-12:55
- 25 minute lunch, Clean up Time, Transition Time
- Most/All large spaces occupied most of school day.
- Supervision? Who? APs unavailable for most of the day?
- Can we schedule some PE around lunches?
- Who takes down and sets up tables/chairs daily if we use tents?



# Schedule Sample with 7 Lunches

CMS All in Person									
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday									
Grade 5 Green & Silver	Grade 5 Yellow & Indigo	Grade 5 Red & Blue	Grade 5 Orange & Violet	Grade 6		Grade 7		Grade 8	
Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in	Community Check in
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9:50 am -  
1:00 pm

# ENCORE - The Challenges

- ❑ Class sizes challenge our available space.

<b>Chorus</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>PE</b>	<b>100 (4 grades)</b>
<b>Band</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>21st Cent. Skills</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Orchestra</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>NF studies</b>	<b>32</b>

- ❑ Large spaces and outdoor spaces competing for lunch and classes
- ❑ Large Spaces = Cafeteria, Gym, Auditorium, 4 Tents, Grounds

# ENCORE - The Challenges

- ❑ Reduction of “bubble” effect.
  - ❑ Students moving off team to go to these classes
  - ❑ Students across grades will need to share spaces.
- ❑ Access to internet limited outside of the building.
  - ❑ How would livestream happen for PE and Music?  
Asynchronous content? Hire?
  - ❑ Remote Only Coverage needed for PE, 21st Cen. Learning, Non Fiction Studies, Chorus, Band (some classes too large to activate in building)



# Updates from DESE Guidance: Remote Learning

“We encourage districts to use a “livestreaming” or simultaneous instructional model for remote students. In this model, students learning at home participate in largely the same classroom activities as students who are learning in-person. This will continue to allow students to access remote learning if they need to quarantine this spring due to a COVID-19 related issue.”

*DESE Guidance on In-Person Learning and Student Learning Time Requirements (p. 6)*

# Live Stream - Benefits and Challenges

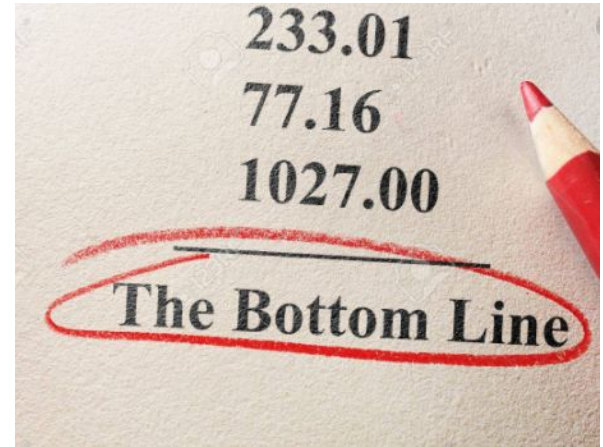
- ❑ Unlike elementary, CMS classes are not self-contained (team model).
- ❑ Teams and classroom communities can remain intact.
- ❑ Special Education and English Language student support can remain consistent with teachers and service blocks.
- ❑ Grades 7 & 8 math levels remain intact.
- ❑ Students who need to quarantine may log into class.
- ❑ Remote only option used only when classes are too large for safety and technology challenges?
- ❑ Internet access outside could be a problem which will impact PE and Music classes and ability to livestream.

# What About Remote Academy?

- ❑ **Grade 5 Only** - 2 person teams, more support for this age group. Numbers dependent.
- ❑ Allows dedicated instruction for students both in person and full remote.
- ❑ Remote students move off team.
- ❑ Classes need to be rebalanced. Some in person students may need to go to different teams.
- ❑ Some teachers will need to be reassigned to different teams.
- ❑ Pull existing BPS teachers and/or hire.

## We need the data.

- Surveys to choose model sent to families Friday. Data culled this week.
- Anticipate more students will want to return to in person than currently.
- All logistics can be better planned with data.



# What's Next?

## Tuesday, March 23

- ❑ Working Group - grade 5 and grade 6-8 recommendations moved forward to Superintendent for consideration and to bring forward to the School Committee
- ❑ **Surveys from Families due at 1:00PM**

## March 24 to Start Date

- ❑ Finalize Logistics, Schedule, and All Moving Parts for Grade 5 Start, then grades 6-8
- ❑ Faculty, Parent Meetings, Regular Updates and Return Guidelines to Community
- ❑ Tours for grade 5 and other students needing support for reentry.
- ❑ **April 14 (hopeful) - Grade 5 return**
- ❑ **April 28 - Grades 6-8 return**



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