

Latin Café - March 24, 2021

**Winter Concert TONIGHT!
8:00 PM on YouTube**





Welcome, Latin Families!

Thank you for being here!

- 1. Please stay muted** to eliminate background noise.
- 2. Please start your video.** We would love to see your faces!
- 3. Subtitles are available!** If you want subtitles, please click on more (right side of toolbar)
- 4. Please ask your questions in the chat.** We will answer them at the end LIVE so all can hear. Any remaining will be answered in a follow-up doc.





Today's forum

- **Introduction**
 - Sharing what we know so far
 - Some items still in process
- **Hybrid procedures**
 - Drop-off and pick up
 - Health & Safety
 - Schedules & Logistics
- **Training & orientation**
 - Student Training
 - Family Day – orientation, uniform sales
- **Questions & Answers**



REMINDER - Priorities

- 1.** Get us in the habit/rhythm of in-person school.
- 2.** Be with other people – live, in person.
- 3.** Continue to educate your children.



Plan Overview - Schedule

		M	T	W	Th	F	
		All Virtual	Synch	Synch	Asynch	Synch	Synch
Hybrid	5th	On Campus 8:45am - 3:30pm	On Campus 8:45am - 3:30pm	Asynch	Synchronous	Synchronous	
	6th	On Campus 8:45am - 3:30pm	On Campus 8:45am - 3:30pm		Synchronous	Synchronous	
	7th	Synchronous	Synchronous		On Campus 8:45am - 3:30pm	On Campus 8:45am - 3:30pm	
	8th	On Campus 8:45am - 4:15pm	Synchronous		On Campus 8:45am - 4:15pm	Synchronous	
	9th	On Campus 8:45am - 4:15pm	Synchronous		On Campus 8:45am - 4:15pm	Synchronous	



Program for 5, 6, and 7

5, 6, 7 on campus 2 full days/week

- 5th & 6th on campus Mondays and Tuesdays **8:45-3:30** starting April 12.
- 7th on campus Thursdays and Fridays **8:45-3:30** starting April 15.
- Non-campus days follow regular Virtual schedule (asynchronous Wednesdays, other days synchronous).
- All students will be assigned to pods – small groups that will stay together for most classes, lunch, recess.
- School lunch will be offered. Please let Martita Fleming know if your child needs school lunch those days, *if you have not yet done so.*
- ***Students need to depart by 4:00 pm if not participating in supervised activities; no hanging out on campus!***



Program for 8

8th campus 2 days/week for FULL days

- 8th will be on campus Mondays & Thursdays **8:45-4:15** starting on April 12.
- All 8th graders will be in pods – small groups that stay together for most classes, break and lunch.
- Every Hybrid 8th grader will have at least 3 on-campus, in-person classes.
- Non-campus days follow regular Virtual schedule (asynchronous Wednesdays, other days synchronous).
- School lunch will be offered. Please let Martita Fleming know if your child needs school lunch those days, *if you have not yet done so.*



Program for 9

9th campus 2 days/week for FULL days

- 9th on campus Mondays & Thursdays **8:45-4:15** starting on April 12.
- This is possible due to the change in DC guidance on cohort size.

Scheduling

- We have rescheduled all 9th graders (Hybrid and All-Virtual).
- Every Hybrid 9th grader will have at least 3 on-campus, in-person classes.
- Non-campus days follow regular Virtual schedule (asynchronous Wednesdays, other days synchronous).
- Lunch and breaks will be outside. In inclement weather, students will eat in their last classroom.
- School lunch will be offered. Please let Martita Fleming know if your child needs school lunch those days, *if you have not yet done so.*



On-campus for 10, 11 and 12

10-12 classes on campus now

- Selected Chemistry labs
- Selected Biology labs
- Honors Humanities

Some classes under consideration for on-site

- Statistics
- Honors Choir
- Jazz Band
- Advanced Arabic
- AP Latin
- AP Chinese



All-Virtual Program

All-virtual program remains the same.

- Synchronous Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays; Asynchronous Wednesdays
- Teachers and classes will remain largely the same, but the order of the periods and each student's schedule will change.
- Some of the virtual classes will be bigger in order for teachers to be able to teach on campus



DAILY ROUTINES



Arrival & Departure

Before students arrive

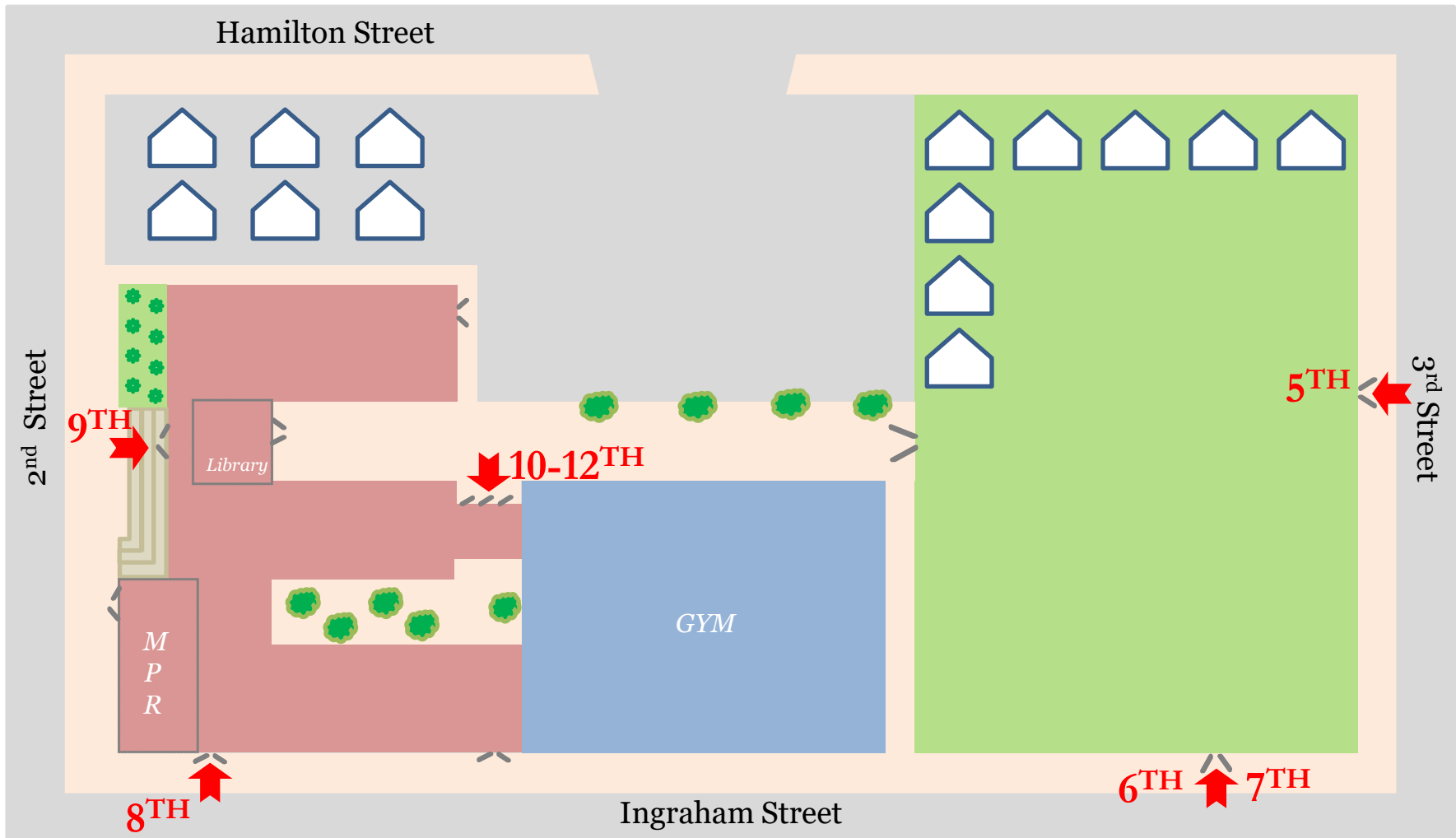
- **Latin** will notify all students of their classroom for the week by email (De Facto)
- **Parents** will complete **HealthCheck** and Administration will check in each student upon arrival.

Arrival & Departure through designated entrances

- Classes will begin at 8:45, meaning students must be in their seats, ready for Advisory by *no later than 8:45*.
- Arrival and check-in will begin at **8:15**.
- Each grade will have a designated entrance/exit.
 - 5th - Field gate on THIRD STREET
 - 6th – Field gate on INGRAHAM STREET
 - 7th – Field gate on INGRAHAM STREET (no overlap)
 - 8th – Door near MPR on INGRAHAM STREET
 - 9th – Front door on SECOND STREET
- **Departure MUST be immediately after classes end; no afterschool!**

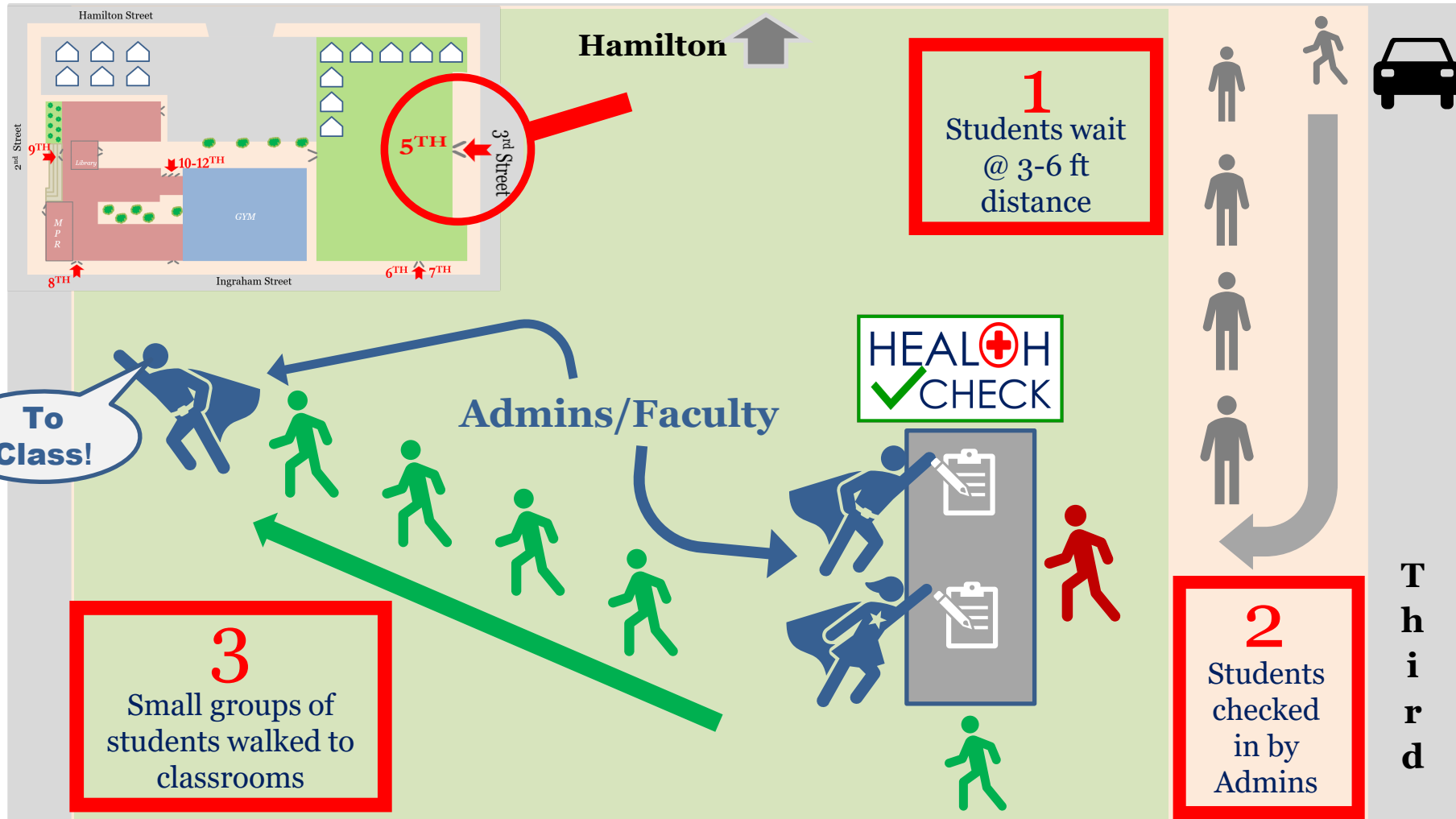


Arrival/Departure





Arrival example – 5th





Classes & Classrooms

Grades 5-8 will stay in their pods for classes.

- **5-7 Pods** will stay together for all classes in one classroom (one inside, one outside) exclusive to that pod for that day. Rooms will be cleaned daily.
- **8th Pods** will travel together to each class (not staying in the same classroom).
- We will share pod info on **Student Training Day** on Wednesday, April 6.

Grade 9 will have individualized schedules, as in non-COVID times.

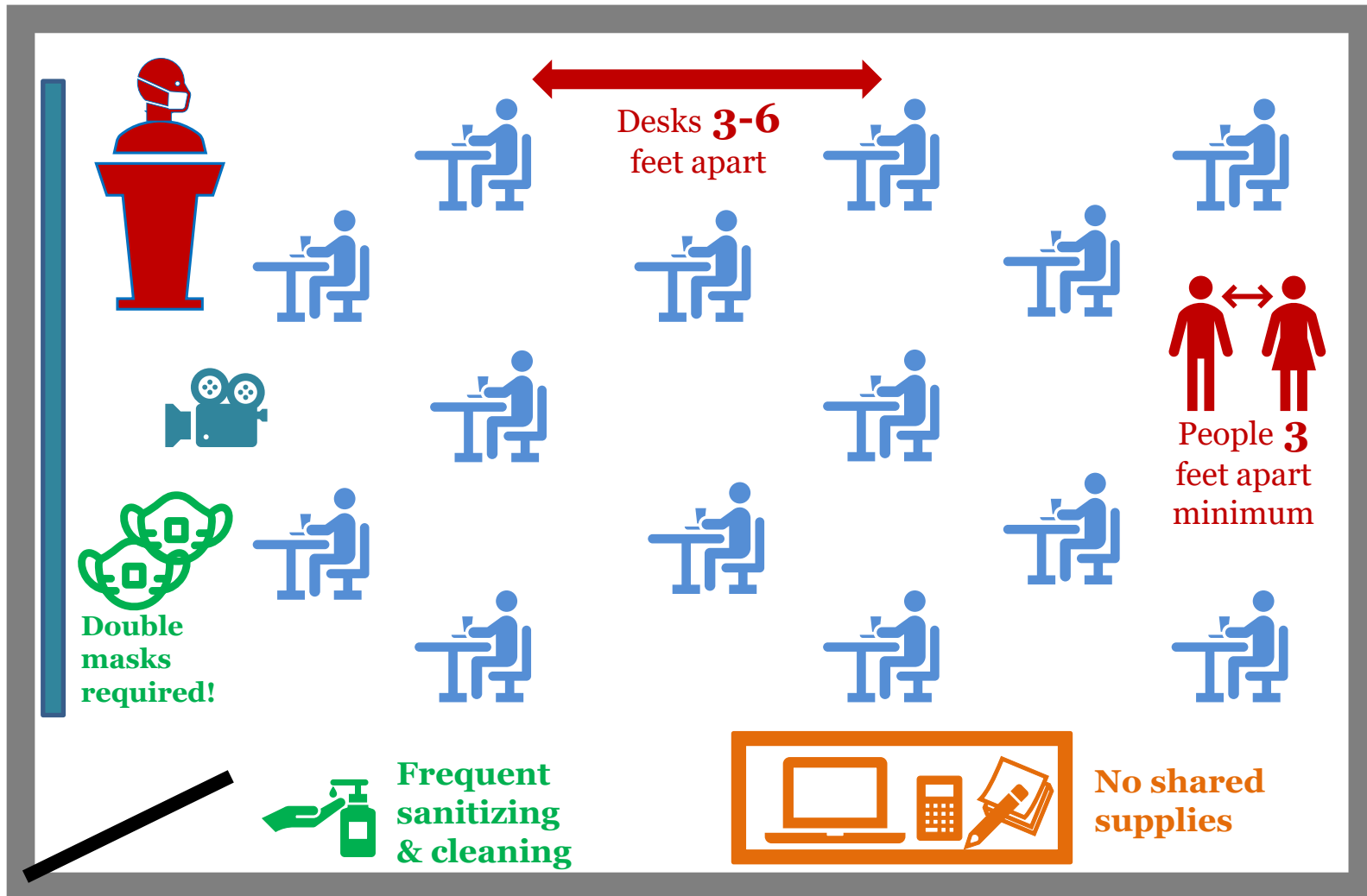
- Students will have different teachers, different classmates each period.
- Teachers will stay put; students will travel.
- Classroom surfaces will be wiped down between classes.

Classrooms set to MINIMUM 3-foot distance

- CDC recently changed guidance to 3-foot distance for schools.
- Where possible, we will spread out students beyond this minimum.



Example classroom set-up





Recess/Break & Lunch

Recess/break, lunch times will be staggered, as usual.

Grades 5-7 will stay in their pods for recess/break outside.

- Each pod will have a portion of the field for exercising.
- Faculty and/or additional support staff (e.g., Academic Support alumni tutors) will monitor recess.

Grade 8 and 9 will break outside, socially distant.

- The break will more closely resemble our regular break, except for masking and social distancing and in designated areas.

LUNCH will be outside for all grades, weather permitting.

- School lunch will be available with contactless meal pick-up in the kitchen in small groups, socially distanced. Students may also bring lunch.
- **Al fresco dining!** All lunch will be eaten outside in designated areas. In inclement weather, students will lunch in their designated indoor classroom.



Other breaks

BATHROOM

- We will schedule bathroom breaks for each pod, likely with other breaks (recess, lunch) to minimize contact and manage building traffic.
- We will limit numbers in the bathroom at a time (e.g., every other stall) and then clean frequently.
- Students will also have access to the bathroom when needed outside these scheduled breaks.
- More details will be shared at Training Day.

MASK BREAKS

- We will provide time and space for student and faculty mask breaks. More details will be provided on Training Day.
- Training Day – we will provide more detail.



Physical Activity

We are excited to move, exercise and play this spring!

Like academics, there are limitations imposed by DC authorities and guidance was very recently updated. We are working through the details now and will share more on the Training Day!

Tentative Plans

- Virtual wellness classes will continue through the spring.
- 5/6th grade will have Physical Education classes, as normal.
- 7th-12th grades will have some combination of both conditioning, sports training, and competition. We are looking into what is possible

Mayor's Order on Athletics

- *Low-risk sports* allowed to compete: **baseball, softball, track & field, tennis**
- *Moderate-risk* allowed to condition/skill develop: **lacrosse, ultimate frisbee**
- All sports participants **MUST** have *up-to-date immunizations and a current physical* on file with Latin. (Make your appointment now!)



Safety Protocols Continue

Check symptoms daily	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pre-entry health check: temperature & symptoms for all students, faculty, and essential visitors.• Students and faculty – use HealthCheck
Use Personal Protection	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• DOUBLE Masks are REQUIRED at all times.• Clean hands! Wash, sanitize frequently.
Limit contact, keep distance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Designated entrance at Latin• Seated or standing, maintain 3' distance.• Limited entry.
Clean deeply and often	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enhanced cleaning protocols• Frequent bathroom cleaning• Increased air flow and filtration
Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New monitoring protocols for outdoor classrooms• Drills and safety information part of Student Training Day
Testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Weekly testing of on-campus students & faculty• Goal: limit school spread by testing individuals



Safety Protocols

Weekly Testing at Latin

Regular testing for faculty and students who are on-campus to identify COVID-infected individuals who are asymptomatic.

- Testing will be with nasal Or oral swab
- Will be free to students and teachers on campus
- Testing will be **REQUIRED** for students to return to on-campus classes
- Baseline testing on Training Days (April 6 Faculty, April 7 Students)

Symptomatic Testing – when a child gets sick at school

- Latin will isolate him/her, administer a rapid test, and call the parent to pick up.
- If COVID positive, the student and any siblings at Latin stay off campus for 14 days OR until symptoms are gone, whichever is LONGER.



Student Movement

- Students will NOT have the same freedom of movement as before.
- Traffic lanes will be marked in the hallways, lunch and break freedoms limited.
- School departure MUST be at the end of class or supervised activity (no later than 4:30 pm). **No afterschool program OR lingering.**



Immunizations!

ALL Hybrid students **MUST** have updated immunizations on file with the Latin School Nurse to be allowed to return to campus!

Watch for email this week if your child is missing any immunizations.



Q4 Week 1 – getting ready

	Virtual Learning	On Campus Hybrid Prep
Monday 4/5	Synchronous	Admin Prep
Tuesday 4/6	Asynchronous	Faculty Training
Wednesday 4/7	Asynchronous	Student Training
Thursday 4/8	Synchronous	
Friday 4/9	Synchronous	
Saturday 4/10	On-Campus Family Day	

Training & Prep

- Arrival and dismissal procedures
- Drop-off and pick-up circle
- Classroom set up and protocols
- Lunch and break procedures
- Illness response
- Testing protocols
- **Baseline COVID testing**
- Masks, distancing, sanitizing
- Safety rules and contract signing

Family Day

Opportunity for parents and students to take care of logistics before on-campus classes start, including:

- Materials pick up
- Campus tour to see classroom set-up
- Used uniform sale



QUESTIONS