



**Hellenic Classical Charter School (HCCS)
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**HCCS-Park Slope Reopening Plan Addendum – Transition to 3ft Social Distancing
Updated April 16, 2021**

**As per New York State Department of Health Interim Guidance for In-Person Instruction*

HCCS-PS will transition to five day in person learning for Cohorts A and B, beginning the week of May 3 and May 10 (see start dates by grades below). We will offer **5-day a week of in-person** instruction to the entire school. Therefore, we are able to combine Cohorts A & B only and offer any available seats to Cohort C students. We will prioritize any Cohort C students who are on the waitlist for the next available additional seat in each class.

Town-Hall (PTA) & Faculty Meetings

Faculty Meeting – Monday, April 5, 2021 & Monday, May 3, 2021
PTA/Family Meeting - Wednesday, April 14, 2021

Pre-K Guidance

Regarding Pre-K, 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.

Transition Timeline

Below is the timeline and start date for our new "Cohort AB" - the combination of current Cohort A & B students. Cohort C will remain the same and will continue to learn remotely. The return to 5 day in school instruction will be staggered by grades as follows:

Week of May 3 - Start dates for the new "Cohort AB" for grades K - 2 are as follows:

*** Please be advised that on May 3 - only Cohort A will come into school for in-person instruction. Cohort B & C will learn remotely for grades K, 1 & 2.**

Grade	Start Date for Cohort AB
Kindergarten K-111 & K-112	Tuesday, May 4, 2021
First Grade 101 & 102	Wednesday, May 5, 2021



Second Grade 201 & 202	Tuesday, May 4, 2021
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Week of May 10 - Start dates for the new "Cohort AB" for grades 3 - 5 are as follows:

Grade	Start Date for Cohort AB
Third Grade 301 & 302	Monday, May 10, 2021
Fourth Grade 401 & 402	Monday, May 10, 2021
Fifth Grade 501 & 502	Monday, May 10, 2021

Week of May 10 - Start dates for the new "Cohort AB" for grades 6- 8 are as follows:

*** Please be advised that on May 10 - only Cohort A will come into school for in-person instruction. Cohort B & C will learn remotely for grades 6, 7 & 8.**

Grade	Start Date for Cohort AB
Sixth Grade 601 & 602	Tuesday, May 11, 2021
Seventh Grade 701 & 702	Tuesday, May 11, 2021
Eighth Grade 801 & 802	Tuesday, May 11, 2021

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 or alternate location.
- Teachers will establish a rotating schedule of students eating in the gym.

Arrival will be staggered between the classes and grades in an effort to alleviate congestion. Arrival times are as follows:



- **7:45 AM** - Families & siblings with last names A - M
- **8:00 AM** - Families & siblings with last names N - Z

Dismissal will be staggered between the classes and grades in an effort to alleviate congestion. Dismissal times are as follows:

- **3:10 PM - Kindergarten (Lobby)**
- **3:15 PM - 1st grade (parking lot)**
- **3:25 PM - 2nd grade (parking lot)**
- **3:30 PM - 3rd grade (parking lot)**
- **3:35 PM - 4th grade (parking lot)**
- **3:30 PM - 5th grade (19th street/down ramp)**
- **3:30 PM - 6th grade (19th street/down ramp)**
- **3:35 PM - 7th & 8th grade (19th street/down ramp)**

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.