



# DeKalb School of the Arts Hybrid/Concurrent Learning Plan

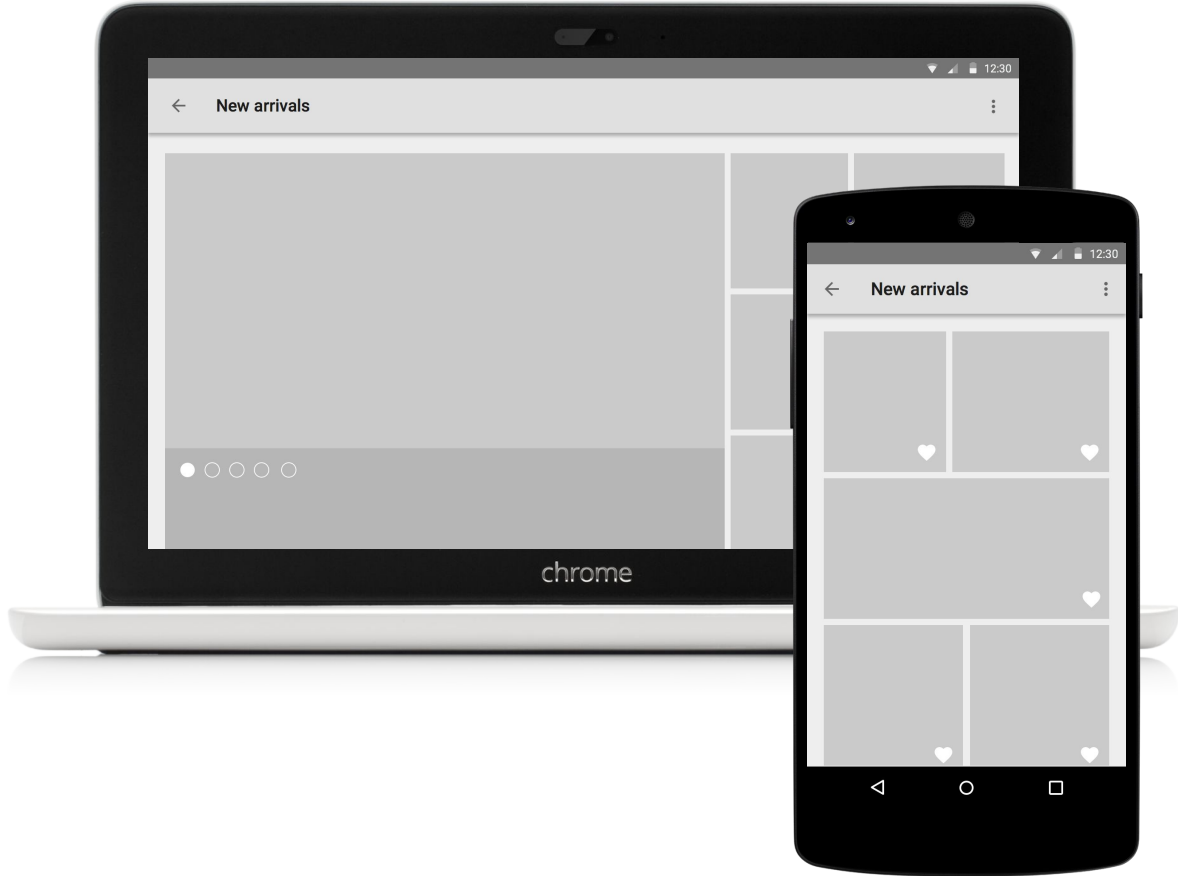
*The Mission of The DeKalb School of the Arts is to foster a supportive and inclusive environment, developing a community of competitive artist-scholars, creative leaders, and professionals through immersion in the arts, academics, and service. We embrace the arts as a means of transformation, self-actualization, and mindful engagement with the world.*

*Our Vision: Empowering artist-scholars to lead change and transform lives through the arts and innovation*

# Return to School Plan

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We are now entering phases 2 and 3 of virtual learning

9th graders who have elected to return will return in cohorts beginning March 9th. All other grades will return in cohorts beginning March 15th



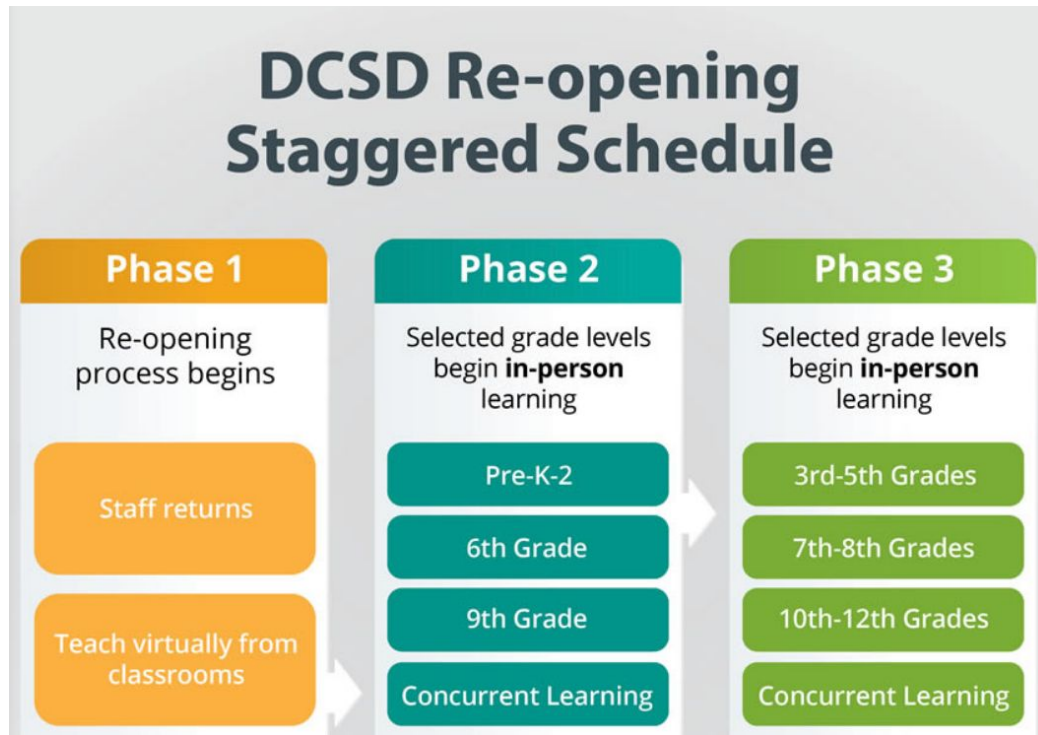
# DCSD Staggered Return Plan

## 9th graders

- Divided into 2 cohorts
- Cohort A will come to the building March 9, 15, 16, 22, and 23
- Cohort B: March 11, 18, 19, 25, and 26

## Grades 8, 10, 11, and 12

- Cohort A will come to the building March 15, 16, 22, and 23
- Cohort B: 18, 19, 25, and 26



ALL STUDENTS who have elected to return f2f will return M, T, TH, F of each week beginning Mar. 29th (\*subject to change)

# Concurrent Learning Procedures and Guidelines

# Concurrent Instruction

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In-person students must bring their fully charged Chromebook to school each day

In-person students must bring their own headphones to use (headphones cannot be checked out from the Media Center)

Students, both in-person and virtual, will be instructed at the same time. Teachers will interface with students at the same time, virtually.

# School Schedule

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We will follow the same schedule for all students (virtual and face-to-face)

**1st block            8:30 - 9:50**

**2nd block            10:00 - 11:20**

**A Lunch/B ELT            11:20-11:50**

**B Lunch/A ELT            11:55-12:25**

**3rd block            12:30 - 1:50**

**4th block            2:00 - 3:20**

# Please do not bring your student to school if:

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- They have a fever at or above 100.4 and/or chills
- Cough that you cannot attribute to another condition
- Shortness of breath/difficulty breathing
- Muscle or body aches
- Unexplained Headache
- Nausea, vomiting, fatigue, diarrhea
- Any other flu-like symptoms or suspicion of COVID-19
- Recent exposure to a person or persons who have or are suspicious of having COVID-19

# Students who become ill at school

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If your student becomes sick at school, they will be housed in our isolation room.

Students will be monitored by designated staff.

Parents will be contacted for pick-up.



# New Students

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In keeping with school and district guidelines, we will not be able to facilitate a full orientation at this time. We will plan for our traditional events when social distancing regulations are relaxed.

Staff members will be in the hallways to help find classes. The building is not very large (only 2 hallways), so getting around should be pretty easy after the first couple of days.

# Mask Guidelines

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Masks must be worn at ALL TIMES by staff and students in the building

Masks must cover the mouth and nose

If students refuse to wear a mask or wear it properly, the following may occur:

- 1st offense: Student will be given a mask and will be asked to comply with school guidelines. Parent Contacted.
- 2nd offense: Student will be given a mask, parents will be called to retrieve student and student will return to virtual instruction

# Cleaning

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- Custodial staff will clean high-touch surfaces and restrooms hourly
- Rooms will be cleaned thoroughly each day
- Teachers received cleaning supplies and will facilitate sanitation at the end of each class. Please prepare your student to assist!
- Wednesdays will be used for more detailed cleaning

# Arrival and Dismissal

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**Arrival:** Students can be dropped off no earlier than 7:55 am; will be housed in the cafeteria (with the number we have returning, safe social distancing is possible here)

School starts promptly at 8:30

**Pick up:** School dismisses at 3:20. Students must be picked up by 3:30 pm

There are no face-to-face rehearsals after school at this time.

# Breakfast and Lunch...and ELT

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- Students will be able to eat in the cafeteria for breakfast and lunch
- NO CASH will be accepted
- Hot and cold lunches will be served
- NO MICROWAVES
- NO OUTSIDE VENDORS! No UberEats, Mom/DadDash, etc.
- Students will be able to sign up for meetings/tutorial sessions with teachers during Extended Learning Time (ELT). Students who are not with a teacher at this time will report to the Gym.

# Media Center

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- Students are welcome to come check out/return books
- Contactless sign-in available (QR Code) to use quiet study area during lunch
- There will be a limit on the number of students in the Media Center
  
- Media Specialist, Mrs. Roohi ([nicole\\_roohi@dekalbschoolsga.org](mailto:nicole_roohi@dekalbschoolsga.org)) is in charge of Chromebook checkouts

# Hallway Transitions

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- Students and staff will walk on the right side of the hallways, to the right of the purple markers placed on the floors
- Directional arrows will also guide students up and down stairs. The stairwell that leads to the Theatre is DOWN only; the stair at the end of the hall by the white box will be UP only. The Seussical hallway is ONE WAY only.
- Exterior doors between 200 and 300 halls will be held open during transitions to reduce touching of doors and door handles.
- Staff will monitor transitions and assist if necessary
- Custodial staff will wipe down all handles and clean immediately before and after transitions.
- ***Lockers will not be issued at this time***
- No congregation or gathering of any kind will be allowed

# Restrooms and Water Fountains

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Only two students will be allowed in the restroom at a time. Restrooms will be monitored during transitions.

Water fountains will not be used, bottled water will be provided. Students are encouraged to bring their own.



# Check in/out Procedures

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Late students will check-in using the QR code on the front office door

Parents must call the school (678-676-2502) to check their student out and must wait outside for their student. The person picking up must be on the list and have a photo ID

There will be no check outs after 3:00 pm

# Visitors and Parent Meetings

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Visitors will not be allowed in the building

Parent Meetings will continue virtually

# Questions?

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