

REOPENING SUMMARY

Full time, in-person instruction for all grades, Little School through Grade 12.

This fact sheet is a summary of our full reopening plan based on guidelines provided by New York State, the New York State Department of Health, the New York State Education Department, the Monroe County Department of Health, and other leading organizations that play an important role in reopening schools.

IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION

It is our intention to begin the 2020-2021 academic year with in-person instruction, which we believe is the most advantageous for our school community. AC is able to do this more easily due to its large campus, spacious facilities, and smaller student population.

If health conditions warrant, we will reinstitute a distance learning model from last spring, or utilize a hybrid model in which students from Little School through Grade 5 would be fully on-campus, and students in grades 6-12 would move to an online format.

ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL

- **All students will be on campus Monday-Friday from 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**
- No student should arrive before 7:30 a.m., and all students are required to depart by 3:30 p.m.
- Each division will arrive and depart through separate entrances in order to distance.
- **No visitors, including parents, will be permitted to be inside the school building.** (New procedures are in place for student pick up during the school day for outside appointments.)

FACE COVERINGS & SCREENINGS

- **Everyone age 3+ must wear a face covering while on campus.** The only exceptions are eating, drinking, outdoor activity, P.E. (when distanced), and independent work (alone) in personal office.
- Mask wearing is balanced with other ways of maintaining safety in a developmentally appropriate way at the discretion of the teacher. Students—particularly in the Lower School—will have frequent mask breaks.
- **All students and AC employees will be required to complete an electronic daily health screening before arriving at School in the morning.**
- Every person entering the building will pass through a state-of-the-art temperature screening system that also checks for face coverings.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

- **Physical and social distancing will be utilized daily throughout the school.** Each division will be separated in its own area of the school throughout the day, and signage will direct traffic flow in hallways and stairways. Desks will be separated in classrooms, and lockers will not be used in the Middle and Upper Schools.
- **The Dining Commons will be closed.** Lunch will be served in their individual classrooms.
- **Every room and all surfaces in the school will be regularly cleaned and disinfected.**
- **Frequent handwashing will be mandatory** and there will be **hand sanitizer in every classroom and all entrances and exits** of the building.

ILLNESS

- Please refer to the full reopening plan for the strict protocols around illness and return to school policies. While there is **no mandatory routine screening for COVID-19 required**, the state and local health department policies are explicit around testing and the verifications needed to return to school after an illness.
- **Any person exhibiting signs of illness during the school day will immediately be isolated and precautionary procedures are instated.**

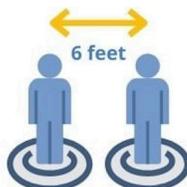
ACCOMMODATIONS: Accommodations, through virtual learning platforms, will be made available for students at higher risk, or with family members at high risk, for severe illness to limit their exposure risk. **These accommodations must be requested in writing in advance of the first day of school** and approved by the appropriate Division Head and the Interim Head of School.



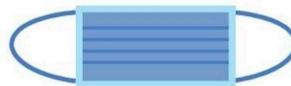
Follow screenings & health check protocols



Daily cleaning & disinfecting



Maintain appropriate physical distancing



Face coverings required for everyone ages 3+



Follow hygiene guidelines