

October 8, 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are happy to welcome your children back to the building

Tuesday October 12, 2021

Over the past four days we have made sure to include reminders around expectations within the building as part of a “Health Tip” series that is in alignment with our re-open plan that was made available in June. If you would like to view them, please visit our website or Social Media pages where they will be available as part of our reopening parent announcement.

These health tips focused on mask wearing, cafeteria seating, one student per pass, and personal space (social distancing). While we manage the reality of possible COVID outbreaks, we will implement some of the policies we had during our return to school last year. At this time we will not allow visitors into the building without an appointment. We ask that if you need to come to the building for assistance, you call first and ask for an appointment.

As we return to school, it is likely that you will receive reports of isolated COVID-19 cases. You will be contacted by the school nurse if contact tracing indicates that your child is a direct contact and needs to be tested or remain home for the time being. If your child needs to be home due to isolation requirements, you will be contacted about learning opportunities and schedules by the school so they can continue their education. Mandatory online days will not count as absences.

Finally, students should come to school prepared with a mask. While we make masks available for students, we cannot guarantee that masks will always be on-hand. We know from recent events that production issues, delivery delays, and shortages are possible. In the event of a student not having a mask and a lack of mask availability at the school, we will need to request a pick-up for the student.

The safety of your child and our school community is at the heart of our procedures. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us at 203-870-8188 or through email at Bridgeport@greatoakscharter.org

Be well, be safe,

John Scalice, Executive Director
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