



July 1, 2020

Hello CSLA Parents and Prospective Parents,

This is an update on our readiness for school in September. As you may know the ODE and OHA released its READY SCHOOLS, SAFE LEARNERS guidelines on June 10. Yesterday we received the first update to those guidelines and expect another on July 21.

The good news is that there is nothing in these guidelines that we believe impacts our opening in person on campus and on time September 9th. Adjustments will be made with many details, especially those involving sanitizing and larger groups, but nothing we feel we can't handle with reasonable protocols. It will take some time to put our mandatory Operational Blueprint together and we'll keep you up-to-date as firm decisions are made.

On a related note, the current guidance protocols on distancing will restrict our class sizes. We are asked to calculate the square footage of classrooms and adhere to space standards. Even with our smaller class sizes, these caps will be more restrictive. As of the current set of guidelines, our cap for K-8 will be 14 students per grade level. At the high school level, it will be 14 students per classroom (for the 4 upper hall rooms), but due to several single-grade-level classes, that will essentially also cap each grade to 14.

Our high school has space available in each class, although we are starting to see a pick-up in interest and July and August are typically busy enrollment times.

We do, however, anticipate wait lists soon for several classes in the elementary and middle school levels. We are currently intending to split previously blended 4/5 and 6/7 classes. The 1/2 blend will remain for now, but we have now initiated a waiting list for new applicants. The size of that waiting list will determine our ability to eventually split that 1/2 blend. Grades 3, 4, 6 and 8 are the current classes nearing the cap at which time we will create wait lists. However, things change quickly. If guidance changes, it might change our cap sizes, but to be clear, WE DO NOT expect the caps to decrease.

Remember that if you have contact with any prospective families to put them in touch with Kim Eubanks soon to ensure a spot.

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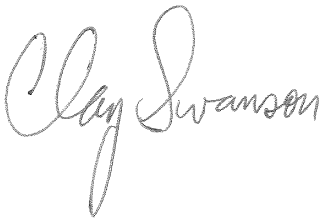
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Please note that a space in a class is not guaranteed for returning or new students until enrollment information is completed and a tuition payment plan is in place and up-to-date. If you have any questions on your status, please contact Katy Ambrose.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to either of us but understand this is a work in progress.

Serving Him,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Clay Swanson".

Clay Swanson  
Principal

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Steve Wallo".

Steve Wallo  
Administrator