

## **Supplemental Reopening Guidance**

### **Remote Learning**

Access to technology is essential for the successful roll-out of this plan. The Hallen School has been committed to ongoing planning and implementation of school technologies to ensure equitable access for staff and students. Technology platforms that are age-appropriate and designed to connect students and teachers at each grade level will allow for learning objectives to be communicated to students with each lesson. Technology Platforms will allow content and skills to be introduced in a variety of ways, allowing for differentiation, feedback and attainment of IEP goals. Recording tools will allow teachers to provide lessons, support and tutorials as needed. For in-person education, the IT Director will ensure connectivity and access to any web-based learning programs. We understand that not all students have the same level of access to technology at home for remote instruction. Any student or staff member with limited or no internet connectivity (WiFi) please contact technology support. At the beginning of the school closure and prior to the reopening of school in September, parents were surveyed to determine the level of accessibility in each student's home. Devices were sent to students who had no kind of electronic device at home to retrieve assignments or engage in learning. The continuity of learning plan will remain in effect should state or local conditions warrant moving to/from in-person, blended and/or all remote instruction. The continuity of learning includes teacher check ins, individualized instructional support, record or live video class meetings, and other student supports such as college and career readiness and counseling, assisted daily living skills, self-advocacy and self-determination.

The link below provides more information on iPad distribution.

<https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learning/learn-at-home/technical-tools-and-support/ipad-distribution>

Below is the link for families to request devices for students.

<https://coronavirus.schools.nyc/RemoteLearningDevices>

### **Testing**

The decision of whether a test needs to be conducted should be determined by a healthcare provider or the local department of health. The Hallen School will not administer COVID-19 tests on site. In the event that there is notification of a confirmed case or mandated school closure, we will immediately contact our Hallen staff and families through our alert notification system (email, phone and/or text message) as well as our school website.

## Contact Tracing

The Hallen School will promptly notify state and local health departments if an employee or student tests positive for COVID-19. Contact tracing will be implemented upon a confirmed positive case. Staff will be asked to maintain and submit a contact log of every person, including employees and students, who may have close contact with other individuals at the school. The log should contain contact information, such that all contacts may be identified, traced and notified in the event an individual is diagnosed with COVID-19.

## Public Meetings

Staff Meeting: **Tuesday, 8/18/2020 at 1:00 PM**

Parent Meetings:

**#1. Wednesday, 8/19/2020 at 10:00 AM English** (Zoom Meeting Click Here : [School Community Meeting](#))

Meeting ID: 395 435 1339 Passcode: SOAR

**#2. Thursday, 8/20/2020 at 1:00 PM Spanish** (Zoom Meeting Click Here: [Reunión De La Comunidad Escolar](#))

Meeting ID: 395 435 1339 Passcode: SOAR

**#3. Thursday, 8/20/2020 at 5:00 PM English** (Zoom Meeting Click Here: [School Community Meeting](#))

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