



2020-2021 Northwest GSRP Return to Learn Parent Guide

Our Return to Learn Plan is an ever-evolving strategy. With that in mind, we ask that you stay connected to keep up to date with the latest information. Below you will find specific details of the two options offered to Northwest students as well as other important information.

2 OPTIONS	OPTION 1 Face-to-Face Learning with Virtual Component	OPTION 2 Remote Virtual Learning
SUMMARY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Learning at school through Seesaw & supported by NW Classroom teacher ● Students attend school following our safety protocols and procedures for F2F instruction ● NW teacher monitors progress and reports progress to the parents ● Students who choose this option will be asked to attend face to face until the designated “change of schedule” option dates. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students will learn and complete work online from home through the Seesaw platform. ● Students will be assigned an iPad as needed, contingent upon budget approval from JCISD, and will learn from a NW classroom teacher as assigned per student schedule. ● Students will be expected to “check-in” for attendance each day. Staff will be available online to answer questions and assist students in their lessons. ● NW teacher monitors progress and reports progress to the parents ● Students who choose this option will be asked to remain away from campus until the designated “change of schedule” option dates. ● Students will be able to attend all NW functions as NW student.

SCHEDULE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● First day of instruction for students in both programs will be October 5, 2020 approximately. Contingent upon State budget approval. ● Students in the face-to-face program will attend school on campus Monday–Thursday. 8:30 am– 3:30 pm.
TECHNOLOGY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All MVP GSRP students will be issued an iPad, contingent upon budget approval from JCISD. ● e-learning will take place on the SeeSaw application.
Arrival/Dismissal	<p><u>MASKS REQUIRED by staff and parent if you need to get out of the vehicle</u> Please allow for waiting time for drop off and pick up.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Parents will get in a car line for the entrance to their child's designated area: *Preschool age–Corner entrance nearest preschool rooms/hallway.



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- **Please remain in your vehicle.** A staff member will be at the Preschool door until 9 AM to come to your vehicle, greet you, have a simple health check of your child, take your child's temperature with a touchless thermometer, record their attendance and temperature. If your child shows any fever (100.4 or greater) or signs of illness, they will not be able to enter the building. If they are cleared, a staff member will get any instructions for the day and take your child to their classroom. If a parent has to exit the vehicle for any reason to give or get a child from a staff member, a mask is required.

- **If you arrive after 9 AM,** you will need to call the front Office 517-817-4741. A staff member will come to your vehicle and get your child.
- **Pick up** will work the same way as drop off with a car line forming nearest the preschool entrance.
- **Please remain in your vehicle** and we will bring your child to your vehicle and sign them out for the day.



CLASSROOM

- **Procedure to limit student movement throughout the day.**
 - Gym and recess times will be staggered throughout the day with only 1 classroom going at a time. Outside play toys and gym equipment are sanitized after each use.
 - One student will be allowed to go to the bathroom at a time. If it is a group classroom break, there will be only 2 students going in at a time while the rest of the class is lined up waiting in the hallway.
- **Review instructional plans for reduction of student contact i.e. sharing of materials and equipment.**
 - Individual supply/material kits (crayons, scissors, glue sticks, play-doh, etc) in individual containers labeled with students' names. These will be purchased for each student contingent to approval by JCISD to be included in NWPCG GSRP budget.
 - Toys will be washed and sanitized between play and toys will be limited as to how much is offered to try and control the spread of germs. Toys that cannot be cleaned and sanitized will not be used.
 - Cots and mats will be labeled for each child and sanitized in between each use.
 - Nap items sent home daily for washing and returned the next day.
- **Procedures for hand washing during the day.**
 - Proper hand washing taught at the beginning of school by classroom teachers. Re-taught after breaks and when needed to reinforce.
 - Kid friendly signage in bathrooms for hand washing.
 - Students will be expected to wash hands using soap and water during bathroom breaks
 - Students will be allowed access to wash hands in classroom settings during appropriate and designated times.



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LUNCHES	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Food service will be serving individual lunches.• Lunches will be in the cafeteria and only 1 classroom at a time utilizing the cafeteria at their designated tables. Tables will have 3-part cleaning/sanitizing after each use and janitorial staff do additional sanitizing.• Snacks will be served in the classrooms.
HALLWAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Utilize Red and black lines to encourage social distance when traveling as a classroom.• Staggered hallway transition times to help limit the amount of students in the hallway at one time.
CODE of CONDUCT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Code of Conduct: The expectation is that all NWPC students will continue to demonstrate Mountie Proud Behavior during this time of continuous learning. Safe, Respectful and Responsible behavior should occur when using any online learning platform.
MASKS/NEW SAFETY PROTOCOLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anyone entering the building is required to complete a symptom check.• Staff members wear masks all day, with the exceptions including for meals and while they are outside and social distancing.• Parents will need to send their child into the Childcare Center with their mask on. We will provide 1 mask lanyard per child.• Masks are required in class and small groups if there is not the ability to social distance and in common spaces such as the hallways and bathrooms for children ages 4-12.• Outside, with social distancing, masks are not required to be worn.• Mask is required while on any school transportation for staff and children ages 2-12.• Children 3 and under are recommended to wear masks, but not required.
ENHANCED CLEANING PROCEDURES	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our janitorial service has an expanded cleaning and sanitizing schedule in place daily and weekly.• Sanitizing toilets and sinks after use• Increased use of hand sanitizer. Staff and children will have increased handwashing as well.