

FAITH ASSEMBLY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

2020 – 21 SY Reopening Plan – Important Information

****This information is subject to change as more guidance becomes available for schools.****

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<p><u>Cleaning and Sanitizing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• We will use a disinfecting machine along with a wide area ULV atomizing machine for floor to ceiling sanitizing daily.• Staff and students must apply hand sanitizer before entering the building.• Shared manipulatives etc, will be disinfected between uses.• Classroom tables and hard surfaces will be sanitized throughout the day, between classes and groups of students.• Students will not share school supplies (pencils, crayons, scissors, etc)• Hand sanitizer will be provided for each classroom, building entryways, and hallways.• Scheduled handwashing time will be provided within the school day. <p><u>Devices</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students will have the option to check out a tablet for remote learning if needed.• For technical assistance with tablets, contact Ms. Garrison. <p><u>Visitors/Gatherings</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• At this time, no visitors or parents will be allowed in the building.• Scheduled parent meetings will be held virtually until further notice.	<p><u>PPE</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• As per the StrongSchoolsNC Public Health Toolkit, students and staff are required to wear cloth face covering while on campus.• Students and staff are allowed to provide their own face coverings.• It will be the responsibility of each family to bring clean face coverings to school each day.• Students will be taught how to properly wear masks.• Visit NCDHHS COVID-19 response site for more information about the NC face covering guidance, including information about exceptions.• Mask wearing will not be a disciplinary issue. <p><u>Lunch</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students will eat lunch in a designated area which allows for social distancing• Drinking fountains will be clearly labeled as off limits. Students/staff are strongly encouraged to bring bottled water or a water bottle.• Students will not be able to heat up lunches in the microwave. A staff member will warm up lunches individually with gloves on to eliminate cross contamination. Gloves will be changed between students.• The school recommends that students bring lunch in a disposable paper bag that can be thrown out instead of a lunch box that would move back and forth between home and school.• Parents WILL NOT be permitted to drop off lunches in the office throughout the day.	<p><u>Positive COVID Cases</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• As per the StrongSchoolsNC Public Health Toolkit, FACA will establish an isolated space for symptomatic individuals. FACA will implement cleaning and disinfecting procedures following CDC guidelines.• For further information regarding quarantine guidelines, please see p. 9-10 of the Public Health Toolkit <p><u>Standardized Testing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• All students attending FACA via remote learning or in-person will be required to participate in all state testing. <p><u>Parent Orientation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• We will have an in-person kindergarten parent orientation. Information will be sent out as plans are made.• A virtual parent orientation will be scheduled for grades 1-12 through ZOOM. Information will be sent out via parent text alerts. <p><u>Field Trips</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• There will be no field trips scheduled until after winter break, if at that time it becomes appropriate.• Previously scheduled field trips for this year are in the process of being either rescheduled or cancelled
<p><u>Social Distancing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Social distancing is required in all school spaces.• Students will be required to sit 6 feet apart in the classroom spaces.• Staff and student desks will also be separated by plastic shields• Social distancing markers will be prominently displayed on floors, classroom furniture, walls and in pick up/drop off areas.	<p><u>Arrival/Dismissal</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Morning drop-offs will include temperature screening and symptom checks before staff & students enter the bldg.• Parents are required to walk their child to the door for temperature screening.• Daily logs of student temperatures will be maintained.	<p><u>Grades/Attendance</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students will receive grades and feedback on submitted work both in-person and remote.• Promotion and Retention requirements stand for both face-to-face and remote learning instruction.• Attendance will be taken daily.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We will have markings on floors and walls to ensure students have a visual reminder. Staff will also remind students of the social distancing regulations throughout the day. No more than 10-15 students will be in a classroom at anytime to ensure social distancing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anyone having a temperature of 100.4 degrees or higher will not be permitted to attend school that day. Afternoon pickup will require parents to call for child to be brought outside to vehicle. Staff, parents, or students are not allowed to congregate during arrival/dismissal. This is to adhere to social distancing requirements. A designated waiting area will be available for students who begin to exhibit symptoms of illness during the school day. Any student/staff who develops fever, chills, shortness of breath, new cough or new loss of taste or smell will be immediately isolated and sent home as soon as possible. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As of right now, North Carolina has not changed its attendance policies and guidelines.
<p><u>Supplies and Materials</u> Bookbags and Supplies: Supply lists are posted on your Think Wave dashboard.</p> <p>Elementary School Students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Are not allowed to bring bulky bookbags or bookbags with wheels. Items must be able to fit in their cubbies. Student materials will be left in the classroom and students will also need to have materials at home to complete work remotely. <p>Middle & High School Students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Will be assigned a locker to store their belongings and supplies each day. 	<p><u>In-Person vs. Virtual Learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our in-person school day will look as close to a typical day as possible. There will be direct instruction provided by FACA teachers. The actual format of the remote instruction day will be determined by the grade-span and what is developmentally appropriate. The time devoted each day to instructional delivery will depend on the grade level and course selection for remote instruction. Students <u>WILL NOT</u> have the same teachers for remote learning as their in-school counterparts. 	
<p><u>Elementary Information</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will be switching classes; however, traffic will be directed in a one way pattern. Students will have daily PE classes. We will follow guidance given to us by the NCDHHS. Social distancing will be a priority. Students will be allowed bathroom breaks as needed, but will be required to follow social distancing and mask wearing guidelines. No more than 2 students will be allowed in the bathroom at the same time. Students will not be sharing school supplies (pencils, crayons, glue sticks, etc.) 	<p><u>Middle School Information</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will be switching classes; however, traffic will be directed in a one way pattern. Students will have daily PE classes. We will follow guidance given to us by the NCDHHS. Social distancing will be a priority. Students will be allowed bathroom breaks as needed, but will be required to follow social distancing and mask wearing guidelines. No more than 2 students will be allowed in the bathroom at the same time. Students are required to bring their own materials to use 	<p><u>High School Information</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will be switching classes; however, traffic will be directed in a one way pattern. Students will have daily PE classes. We will follow guidance given to us by the NCDHHS. Social distancing will be a priority. Students will be allowed bathroom breaks as needed, but will be required to follow social distancing and mask wearing guidelines. No more than 2 students will be allowed in the bathroom at the same time. Students are required to bring their own materials to use. Tablets and other such supplies provided by FACA will be sanitized before and after each student uses them. In-person Geometry and Spanish classes only.