



WESTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

August 21, 2020

The staff and I truly appreciate how you have supported the school as we abide by CDC and New Jersey Health Department Guidelines and prepare for this school year. Our teachers have gone to great lengths to prepare for face-to-face and virtual instruction. In addition, they have set up their classrooms to keep students safe and healthy when they return. Teachers are updating their Google Classroom pages to provide a better service to our students. Teachers will spend the first week of school getting students prepared to use Google Classroom and other online programs so students will be better equipped at school and home.

For students choosing the Hybrid Model of In-Person Instruction:

- Masks must be worn inside Weston at all times with the exception of lunch and outside time. Masks must be worn until you are off school property.
- Parents/Guardians will not be allowed to come inside the building. No exceptions!
- Students not feeling well in the morning **MUST** stay home!
- Cohort information. Blue group (A-K) Gold group (L-Z)
- Teaching assignments will be available through the Genesis Parent Portal

Pre-K Students will enter through the side doors on Onka Street. A staff member will be on hand to check temperatures. Staff will be inside the building to assist with getting little ones to class.

Please Note- Preschool will not be alternating weeks. They will come to school Monday-Thursday according to the delayed opening schedule each week. General Education PK students will not have the option of full time virtual learning.

Kindergarten Beginning September 8th, students will enter on the parking lot side on Whalen Street. A staff member will be on hand to check temperatures. Staff will be inside the building to assist with getting students to their class.

Grades 1-2 Beginning September 21st, Students will enter through the main entrance on Newark Ave. A staff member will be on hand to check temperatures. Students will be directed to proceed directly to their classrooms. Students will not be waiting in the auditorium or hallway.

***All Parents/Guardians- Students cannot be left unattended in the morning. Parents must stay on the premises until their child has had their temperature taken.**

Lunches will be served in a Grab-N-Go format. Weston School will follow social distance guidelines for students during lunch time.

**Grades K – 2
Bell Schedule for Full-Virtual Students**

Monday – Thursday	
1	9:00 – 9:40
2	9:40 – 10:20
3	10:20 – 11:00
4	11:00 – 11:40
5	11:40 – 12:20
6	12:20 – 1:00
7	1:00 – 1:40
8	1:40 – 2:20
9	2:20 – 3:00

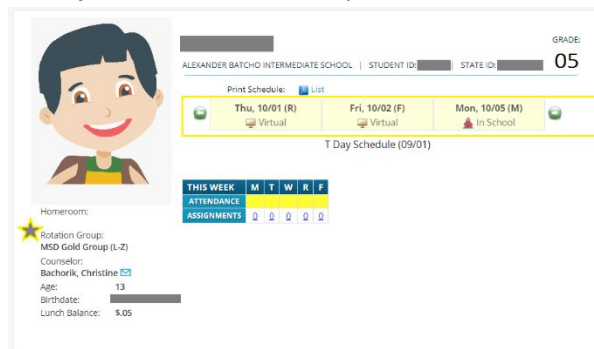
Friday	
Office Hours <i>(Individual/Small Group Meetings with Teacher)</i>	9:00 – 11:00
Independent Work / Small Group <i>(& Lunch)</i>	11:00 – 3:00

Weston School
Weekly Schedule for Blue/Gold Instruction
(September – October)

Week of September 7-11 Kindergarten					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A) BLUE Group	No School	In Person	In Person	Virtual	Virtual
(B) GOLD Group		Virtual	Virtual	In Person	In Person
Week of September 14-18 Kindergarten					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A)BLUE Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
(B) GOLD Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual
Week of September 21-25 Kindergarten+First Grade					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A) BLUE Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual
(B)GOLD Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
Week of September 28 – October 2 Kindergarten + First Grade					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A)BLUE Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
(B)GOLD Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual
Week of October 5-9 Kindergarten + First Grade+Second Grade					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A)BLUE Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual
(B)GOLD Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
Week of October 12-16 Kindergarten+First+Second Grade					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A)BLUE Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
(B)GOLD Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual
Week of October 19-23 Kindergarten+First+Second Grade					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday

(A)BLUE Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual
(B)GOLD Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
Week of October 26-30 Kindergarten+First+Second Grade					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
(A)BLUE Group	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual
(B)GOLD Group	In Person	In Person	In Person	In Person	Virtual

In the Parent Portal, you will find the Rotation Group and whether the day is Virtual or In-Person



For Students participating in Full Remote Learning **Beginning Tuesday, September 8th:**

Following the Labor Day holiday, we will begin our first full day of school with *FULL REMOTE LEARNING* instruction on Tuesday, September 8. *FULL REMOTE LEARNING* means all students will work from home. The school day will be structured and students will follow a set class schedule. The schedule will include a Morning Meeting with their teacher, video lessons and daily, small group live instruction with their teachers throughout the school day. Daily attendance will be

taken, and our teachers will use Google Classroom to share and collect school assignments. Teaching assignments will be available to view through the Genesis Parent Portal.