HoS Report - October 22, 2020

Urban Montessori CHARTER SCHOOL

Upcoming Events

Important Dates (Calendar)

- No School 11/9 Veterans Day
- Conference Week: 11/16-11/20
 - All electives, read aloud, students conferences etc. after 12:30pm cancelled for Parent Teacher Conferences!
- No School 11/23-11/27: Fall Break
- Community Engagement:
 - Family Nights
 - i. Family Ed night Supporting Student Learning at Home November 19, 6-7pm

2020 Learning Everywhere

- Stories from the classroom
 - Hummingbird!

2020 Learning Everywhere

Attendance

Attendance and Chronically Absent



Subgroup

Attendance by Level



Level

Professional Development

Focus on Data Analysis

- Using student and classroom data to inform instructional groups
- Formative assessment
- Supporting Chronically absent students
- Ongoing Data Collection
 - o <u>Example</u>

- ABAR training with Rachelle Rodgers-Ard
 - Our sencond session of "Surfacing and Adressing Racist Policy and Procedure" is next week!
- Ongoing Monthly PD Calendar

Road to reopening

Areas of Consideration for Phased Reopening

Phase I

100% Distance Learning (DL) Brick and Mortar (B&M) leveraged for orientation/equipment and food pickup

Phase II

100% Distance Learning (DL) for CORE program Brick and Mortar (B&M) leveraged to provide safe learning space for targeted students not making progress in DL

Phase III

Hybrid Model for TK-3; DL for 4-8

Phase IV

Hybrid Model for TK-8

UMCS Considerations for Transitioning between Phases

- COVID-19 data requirements
- Staff input and ability/willingness to work in person
- Family Input ability/willingness to send student in Person
- Facilities Readiness
- Operational Readiness

DRAFT: UMCS SY20/21 Reopening Phases Proposal

Covid Test Data that allows for specific Phase

- COVID-19 data requirements
 - Examining rates per Zip Code we serve
 - Draft Criteria: less than 25% of students targeted for in-person reside in zip codes that are PURPLE (case rate/100K + test positivity rate)



Staff Input

- Staff input and ability/willingness to work in person
 - Accommodations made for staff with health and/or child care concerns; telework to be approved for all staff members who report these challenges.
 - Staffing plan with accommodations must work with student schedules



Family Input

- Outreach to target families to determine
 - Interest in in-person instruction targeted support or Instruction
 - Virtual option made available for families uncomfortable with in-person instruction



Facilities Readiness

- Target spaces must:
 - NPBI HVAC modifications or stand-alone air purifiers with NIPB technology
 - Signage to remind students of social distancing and face covering requirements
 - Cleaning schedule for frequently touched surfaces - twice daily
 - Bathroom surfaces cleaned twice daily



Operational Readiness

- Supplies
 - Cloth/disposable masks for staff and students who arrive without mask
 - Face shields for students who cannot wear a mask
 - Hand sanitizer for all student spaces without a sink
 - Adequate soap and bathrooms supplies
 - Adequate cleaning supplies



Operational Readiness

- Procedures
 - Entry/Dismissal
 - Lunch/Snack
 - Movement/transition
 - Bathrooms
 - Symptomatic children/staff
 - Contact tracing
 - Testing staff 1/month



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Staff and Community Input

Community Input/Feedback

How to offer Feedback:

- Info session held 10/20/20
- Attend Board and Committee meetings!
- Formal Survey for ALL community
 - In this week or next week's Friday message we will send a survey to all community members!
 - Please fill it out!

Questions?