



SCHOOL OPTIONS FOR TALLADEGA COUNTY SCHOOLS

2020-2021



OPTION #1 TRADITIONAL WITH PHASES

In-Person, Blended, or Temporary Remote

OPTION #2 BEACON VIRTUAL ACADEMY

Student-paced, Online Curriculum

Instructional Delivery Models

- **Traditional** - All Students, All Teachers, All Day; Face-to-Face Instructional Delivery
- **Blended** - Students attend on Mon/Tue or Thurs/Fri; Wed will be for Student Intervention and Extra Sanitization
- **Temporary Remote** – Students and teachers work from home using virtual/digital platforms; contact local school regarding the need for Internet accessibility

- **Curriculum:** SchoolsPLP (K-8) TBD (9-12) based on AL Standards
- **Supplemental Curriculum** (iReady Reading/Math for K-8, Reading Horizons for K-3)
- Full academic year; Students may opt out only at end of each nine week term
- Rigorous, credit bearing courses

Teaching & Learning

- **Traditional** - Teaching and learning will occur utilizing traditional methods; online learning methods will be practiced
- **Blended** - Students attend 2-3 full days per week (depending upon documented student growth/deficiency); download/upload assignments while at school; limited number of students attended per day
- **Temporary Remote** – Students complete classwork from remote location; participate in virtual class meetings; submit work digitally
- Google Classroom will house student assignments

- Formative and Summative Computer-based Assessments via SchoolsPLP will be given
- Additional required federal/state/district assessments to be administered to students following federal/state/district guidelines
- Contact local school regarding the need for Internet accessibility
- Google Classroom Student Management System will provide access to all curriculum

Interventions & Assessments

- **All Phases** - Early inventory/testing to determine student skill/knowledge deficits
- Development and implementation of intervention plans for students with deficits
- Assessments will be given in-person or digitally based upon the phase

- Early inventory of student skill/knowledge deficits
- Intervention plan and instructional pathway developed and implemented
- Formative and summative assessments administered

*Instructional phase will be determined in conjunction with Alabama State Department of Education, Alabama Department of Public Health, Talladega County Health Department, and consultation with medical professionals. Plan is subject to change.



HEALTH AND SAFETY PROCEDURES

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Cleanliness & Hygiene

- Daily cleaning and disinfecting of classrooms, restrooms, common areas
- Hand washing/hygiene routines
- Encourage face masks/face shields

Social Distancing

- Practice social distancing protocols including
 - Line spacing, staggered and/or one-way class changes
 - Classroom seating arrangements
 - Limited/no locker room access
 - Limited/no contact sports in PE, etc. & limited locker room usage

Transportation Services

- Transport all students assigned to bus
- Assign students to seats; seat students with members of same household
- Stagger bus loading and unloading
- Twice daily sanitizing of school buses following morning and afternoon routes

Child Nutrition Program Services

- Meals consumed in classrooms or in cafeteria (not to exceed 50% capacity)

Parent/Family Services

- Conferences/Meetings: Face to face or Virtual Parent/Guardian
- Check-in/out: One parent/guardian allowed inside
- Use App for Check-in/out

Parent/ Guardian Guidance

- Monitor child's temperature every morning. Students with temperature of 100.4 or higher should stay at home and consider COVID testing if there is no other explanation.
- Monitor for the following COVID symptoms every morning and keep student home if present: cough, congestion, shortness of breath, or gastrointestinal symptoms.
- Teach and reinforce proper handwashing, coughing into elbow/tissue; not sharing personal items/supplies; self-reporting any symptoms to teacher/nurse.
- Notify the school immediately if the student is exposed to COVID, the student is tested for COVID, or a household member tests positive to COVID.