

Return to School 2020 Survey for Families - Results Overview

31R059 - The Harbor View School

Response Rate

	Overall	Rising Pre-K to Grade 2	Rising Grade 3-5	Rising Grade 6-8	Rising Grade 9-12+	Ungraded	Missing grade
Number of Family Responses	167	85	78	0	0	0	4
2020 Enrollment	300	181	119	0	0	N/A	N/A
Estimated % of Responses	56%	47%	66%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Comfort Returning to School

How comfortable are you with sending your child to a school building every day this fall, if recommended health and safety measures, such as social distancing, are in place?	Overall	Citywide Average
Very comfortable	27%	29%
Mostly comfortable	22%	26%
A little comfortable	30%	24%
Not at all comfortable	20%	22%

How comfortable would your child be with wearing a mask to school?	Overall	Rising Pre-K to Grade 2	Rising Grade 3-5	Rising Grade 6-8	Rising Grade 9-12+	Ungraded	Missing grade	Citywide Average
Very comfortable	22%	21%	21%	N/A	N/A	N/A	50%	24%
Mostly comfortable	23%	26%	22%	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%	28%
A little comfortable	31%	35%	26%	N/A	N/A	N/A	50%	26%
Not at all comfortable	23%	18%	31%	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%	21%
My child is medically unable to wear a mask	1%	0%	1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%	1%

Childcare Needs

If we continue with learning at home in the fall, do you anticipate needing childcare during the week when your child is not attending school in-person?	Overall	Rising Pre-K to Grade 2	Rising Grade 3-5	Rising Grade 6-8	Rising Grade 9-12+	Ungraded	Missing grade	Citywide Average
Yes	54%	55%	55%	N/A	N/A	N/A	25%	35%
No	25%	25%	23%	N/A	N/A	N/A	75%	48%
I'm not sure	20%	20%	22%	N/A	N/A	N/A	0%	17%

Health Measures

Please indicate how important the following precautions are in sending your child back to school.	Percent who answered "Very important (this must be in place before I would send my child to school in-person)"	Percent who answered "Somewhat important"	Percent who answered "Not important (this would not affect my decision of whether to send my child to school in-person)"	Citywide percent who answered "Very important (this must be in place before I would send my child to school in-person)"
Students and staff regularly wash hands.	96%	3%	1%	95%
The school is thoroughly cleaned at least once a day.	93%	6%	1%	91%
Hand sanitizer is provided in each classroom and frequently used.	91%	6%	3%	92%
Materials shared among students are cleaned in between use.	82%	17%	1%	82%
Students' and staff's temperatures are checked before entering the school.	78%	18%	4%	77%
Bus driver and attendant wear masks.	77%	11%	12%	73%
Students and staff are required to wear masks during the school day.	69%	23%	8%	73%
Visitors and volunteers are limited on campus.	62%	28%	10%	75%
The number of students in each class is reduced by 50% through alternating schedules.	62%	28%	10%	64%
Students only interact with those in their class(es).	55%	25%	19%	58%
School buses run at half capacity.	53%	20%	27%	53%

Phased Return to School

The survey asked families to rank the following options for what school could look like in the fall.	Percent who ranked this option as their first choice	Percent who ranked this option as their second choice	Percent who ranked this option as their third choice	Citywide percent who ranked this option as their first choice
Sending your child to in-person school on certain days like Monday, Wednesday, and Friday or Tuesday and Thursday. On the days that your child is not in school, she/he would be learning at home.	56%	27%	13%	53%
Having your child learn at home full-time everyday	22%	8%	55%	25%
Sending your child to in-person school one week and then learning at home the next week.	20%	47%	13%	19%

If schools are not open every day for in-person learning for all students, we need to consider which experiences to prioritize for students while they are in school. What are the most important experiences for your child to have while attending school in-person? Choose up to 3.	Percent who chose this option	Citywide percent who chose this option
Instruction in core content areas like reading, writing, math, science, and social studies	82%	82%
Activities that build social-emotional skills like communication, collaboration, empathy, etc.	67%	53%
Classes like art, music, physical education (P.E.), and electives	59%	49%
Supports for students struggling in reading or math	36%	45%
Support services like counseling and/or therapy	18%	14%
Provision of in-person related services like counseling and/or speech, occupational, and physical therapy	7%	9%
Targeted behavioral supports	1%	2%
Services to transition from school to non-school activities like college or work	0%	0%

Remote Learning

If we continue with learning at home in the fall, we want to improve the remote learning experience that students and families have. Which of the following supports do you feel would be most helpful for your child learning at home? Choose up to 3.	Percent who chose this option	Citywide percent who chose this option
A variety of ways to learn from home (paper packets, recorded videos, live teaching, one-on-one tutoring, small group work, etc.)	81%	69%
Live instruction at least once per day	68%	59%
More social interaction with classmates online	37%	37%
An easier way for you or your child to monitor their progress in school	35%	33%
More access to teachers when your child has questions	26%	38%
Hands-on materials like age-appropriate books, manipulatives, toys and games	23%	12%
Virtual extracurricular activities such as clubs	13%	19%
Additional supports in my child's home language (examples: instructional resources and school communication with my family in our home language)	0%	2%

If we continue with learning at home in the fall, does your child have access to:	Percent who replied Yes	Percent who replied No	Percent who replied I'm Not Sure	Citywide percent who replied Yes
To a computer or device to complete schoolwork?	90%	7%	4%	90%
To internet/wifi?	94%	2%	4%	94%

Transportation

Assuming the COVID-19 pandemic continues in September 2020, and your child is attending school in person, how would your child get to school most often?	Percent who chose this option	Citywide percent who chose this option
School bus	18%	10%
Public transportation (bus/subway)	5%	21%
Walking, biking, or scooting	17%	43%
Car	59%	25%
Other	0%	1%