Youth and Families
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Timeline

Spring 2020
- School Closures; Digital Learning Begins

May 29 - Aug 31
- Staff Survey

June 24
- Working Groups Begin

June 30 - July 24
- Family Survey

July 6 - 9
- Town Halls

July 14 + 28
- Board of Education Meetings

August 17
- First Day of School Year/Distance Learning

Fall 2020
- Gradual Return/Hybrid Planning
## Distance Learning Metrics & Stakeholder Engagement

### DISTANCE LEARNING METRICS

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### 7 Town Halls
- ~1,6030 thought participants across all stakeholder groups: Students, Families & Staff

### Leaders’ Town Hall
- ~150 principals and assistant principals

### Staff Survey
- 1,816 Teachers
- 73 Principals
- 64 Assistant Principals
- 844 Other district staff

### Family Surveys
- 14,780 respondents

### UESF Survey
- 1,557 UESF respondents

### UASF Survey
- 113 respondents

### PTA Town Hall
- Over 100 parents/guardians

### African American Parent Advisory Council Survey
- 24 respondents

### Curriculum & Instruction Focus Groups and Surveys
- Over 150 teachers and teacher leaders

### Online activity data

### African American Parent Advisory Report
- AAPAC, DELAC, PAC, CAC for Special Education
Priority Student Groups

We have identified a number of priority groups for in-person learning. The Teaching and Learning Work Group highlighted four subsets of the population that would benefit from in-person learning first:

- Our youngest learners PK-2
- Students with moderate to severe disabilities
- Vulnerable Populations (homeless, foster youth)
- Students with less than 60% of the time engaged in online learning

Grouping Options/Possibilities for Students

We are identifying different ways to group students, modeling options for scheduling small student cohorts on alternating days, half days or week/month long blocks.

Rethinking the Use of Time and Space

We are rethinking time and space to facilitate in-person learning, a component of our District’s 10-Big Shifts as outlined in Vision 2025. Examples being explored include, but are not limited to, outdoor learning facilities, access for targeted student populations, and rotating schedules for students.
## First 30 Days At a Glance

### Wellness & Authentic Partnership

**Coordinated Care Team:**
Members include the school-based staff whose work focuses on school climate and aims to support the implementation of school-wide and classroom-based practices to support student, staff, and family wellness and partnership.

**Consistent Two-Way Communication**
Intentional Outreach to families and establishment of structures for two-way communication and relationship between home and school.

**District Wide Wellness Checks**
In August, November, February, and April. The Wellness Check primary focus to listen to and affirm the needs of our families, to offer links to immediate resources and to identify families for further follow-up.

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### Professional Learning

**Mindset**
Centrally designed asynchronous modules on anti-racist teaching, racial healing, and deeper learning.

**Launch Sessions**
Centrally designed asynchronous sessions where teachers are introduced to the launch unit design and facilitation, accompany office hours, and synchronous sessions.

**Virtual Lab Classrooms**
Centrally facilitated recurring sessions (organized by grade and content) where teachers share best practices.

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### Instruction & Connection

**2 Week Launch Unit (Unit Zero)**
Centering community building, student identity, academic routines, and how to launch a virtual community.

**4 Week Unit One (2 weeks in ES)**
Discipline specific unit geared toward distance learning.

**Major Work of the Grade & Accompanying Professional Development**
**Instructional Materials Availability and Access**

### Digital Technology and Instructional Materials Available

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<td>- Site-based supplies: pencils, markers, crayons, etc.</td>
<td>- Leveled take home books for K-2 students who need books</td>
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<td>- TK Only: Handwriting Without Tears</td>
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SFUSD will loan Chromebooks and hotspots for internet connectivity to students who need it. Request technology at sfusd.edu/791familytechnology.
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<th>Resource Library for Schools</th>
<th>SFUSD has a menu of support resources to help schools with successfully deploying and leveraging technology. Visit our <a href="#">Resource Library for Schools</a>, which includes: Chromebook Basics, FAQs to provide support from school site to families, safety and wellbeing (dig. Cit. how to unplug), tools and Apps on your chromebook, device support, Internet support, Virtual Meeting support (Zoom + Google Meet).</th>
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<td>Getting Started Guides</td>
<td>There are a number of guides available to help you in <a href="#">Getting Started with Digital Platforms and Tools</a>. These guides include (but are not limited to): <a href="#">How to Facilitate Digital Distance Learning</a>, <a href="#">Accessibility in Digital Design</a>, <a href="#">Guidance on Virtual Meetings</a>, and more!</td>
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| Digital Learning Facilitators (DLeafs) | DLeaFs work to support technology-enabled learning and collaborate with site administrators and the Digital Learning team to design support for teachers and families. This role is stipended through the Department of Technology. [Designate your site Digital Learning Facilitators today](#)!
| Digital Learning Tools        | Find a comprehensive guide on the foundational skill building support that DoT will provide for introduction to core platforms, digital agency curriculum, strategies for supporting students and families remotely, and digital learning skills in the [Tech Skills Foundations Overview](#). |
| Youtube Playlists             | The [Digital Learning Youtube Channel](#) has playlists on our top recommended applications (Zoom, Hangouts Meet, Classroom, and Seesaw), as well Digital Citizenship, Instructional Strategies and Ideas, Family Technology Tutorials, and more! |
Supports for Special Student Populations

**Students with Individualized Education Plans**
Special education students require specialized academic instruction and related services in order to access and thrive educationally. We know that we have to be intentional in our support for students with IEPs to support their needs in distance learning.

**English Learners**
English learners benefit from routines and consistency across grade levels and teachers. English Learners require Designated and daily Integrated ELD to support their language development needs.

**Foster, Homeless, Sheltered & Recently Detained**
These students and families are already managing other big transitions during our collective transition and we will work to ensure support is in place to onboard them smoothly, build connections to the school community, and check regularly to address barriers as they arise.

**Students who we were challenged to engage**
Students who logged on and/or participated in distance learning less than sixty percent of the time during the Spring semester and need a different approach to supporting successful learning for the Fall.
Grab & Go Meals

Grab & Go meals will continue at **18 school sites**

- Since Spring 2020, SFUSD has distributed 3 million meals to students and families.

- USDA policy extension of providing free meals to all students, regardless of eligibility.

Contact Student Nutrition Services:
SchoolLunch@sfusd.edu
415-749-3604
sfusd.edu/schoolfood
Next steps

- MOU discussion with Labor partners for next phase of Hybrid return
- Superintendent and Leadership Team developing process for determining prioritized return
- Assess and address classroom and office configurations
- Continue to engage stakeholders and support structures for continued feedback at site and central levels
- Present to Board of Education on September 22nd
SF issued Stay Safer at Home Health Order
SFUSD close schools
Implemented Emergency Child & Youth Care Programs (ECYC)
City-funded grantees pivoted to support citywide food, and essential supply, and PPE distribution, wellness checks, emergency care for vulnerable populations, virtual programming, etc.

DCYF & RPD lead City's summer camps & programs re-opening

RPD continues Emergency Child & Youth Care Program
DCYF & RPD begin Community Hubs Initiative (CHI)
Highlighted Efforts

• Distributed 400+ laptops and 700+ books to families at Potrero Hill, Hunters View, Alice Griffith, & Sunnydale

• Established Education Liaisons between public housing sites & schools

• Scholarship partnership with 100% College Prep/Young Community Developers

• Family Resource Centers distributed diapers, formula, and household supplies, and held 2,460 food pantry distributions (100-300 families each)

• Stood up 14 emergency child and youth care sites for 148 0-5 children of frontline workers

• As of September, 100% of city-funded ECE sites open for business
Fall 2020 Emergency Child & Youth Care (ECYC)

2020-21 School Year ECYC Sites

1. Glen Park
2. Richmond
3. Sunset
4. Potrero Hill
5. Hamilton
6. Eureka Valley (for children with disabilities currently enrolled in RPD therapeutic rec programs)

Start of August 31st

~200 slots for healthcare professionals and active Disaster Service Workers
Community Hubs Initiative (CHI)

- Neighborhood-based
- In-person supports for distance learning
- Build social-emotional wellbeing
- Staffed with youth development professionals

Phase I starts September 14, Hubs will operate Mon-Fri
Hubs are designed to keep students & staff safe from COVID-19

- All staff will have access to surveillance testing
- Everyone will be screened for COVID-19 symptoms before they enter the Hub
- Masks worn at all times besides mealtimes
- 6 feet of distance between all participants & staff
- Consistent, small cohorts of 14 kids & 2 staff with no mixing between groups
- Regular cleaning, handwashing, & sanitizing
We’re fighting increasing disparities for our most marginalized students:

- Residents of HOPE SF, public housing, & SROs
- Homeless students
- Foster youth
- Low-income households
- English Language Learners
We’re working with City, community, & private sector partners to open Hubs around San Francisco, particularly in the neighborhoods with the highest need.