



# GREENWICH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

RETURN TO SCHOOL PLANNING

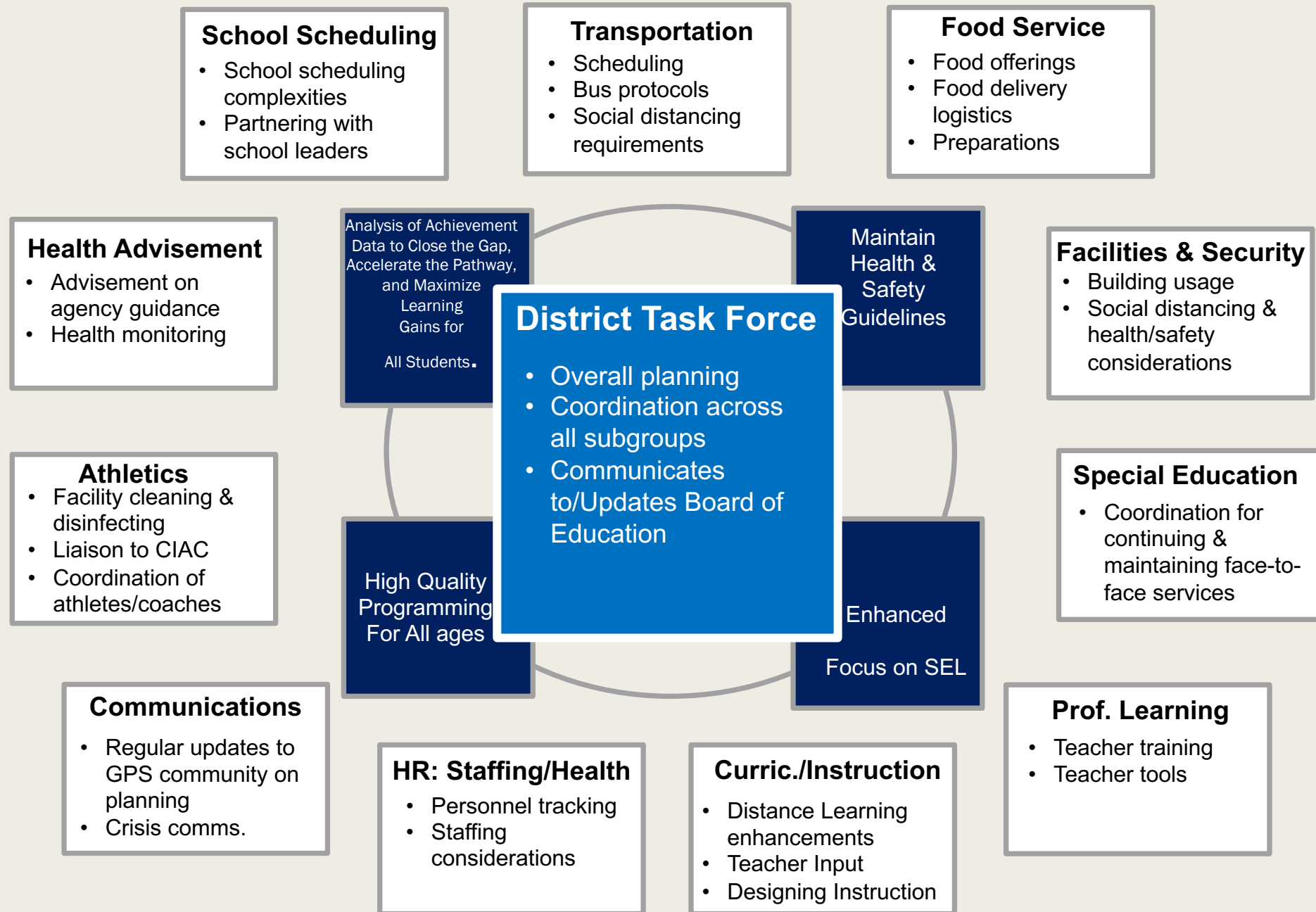
Town Hall Elementary School – Remote Learning Session

Tuesday, September 1, 2020

# Greenwich Public School K-5 Remote School



# Greenwich Public Schools: 2020 Return to School Planning Team



# GPS Remote Leadership

Kindergarten	Principal Bencivengo (4 sections), Old Greenwich School
First Grade	Principal Flood (3 sections), North Street School Principal Monaco (2 sections) Glenville School
Second Grade	Principal A. Schmidt (3 sections), North Mianus Principal McGuire (3 sections), Julian Curtiss
Third Grade	Principal G. Schmidt (3 Sections), Cos Cob Principal Bartholomew (2 sections), New Lebanon
Fourth Grade	Principal Grandville (3 sections), Parkway Principal Weiss (3 sections), Riverside
Fifth Grade	Principal Smith (2 sections), Hamilton Avenue Principal Ricci (2 sections), International School of Dundee



# Who answers my questions during remote learning about concerns, comments, or general questions?

Remote school utilizes the same structure as face to face

Start with the Teacher



Then the Remote Assigned Principal for the Grade Level

Are teachers certified?

**Absolutely!**

Every teacher in remote school or face to face must be certified

# Staffing

Remote School is a mixture of existing GPS staff who want to  
teach remote and new teachers to GPS

Teachers in GPS who qualified for an exemption to be remote, and our teachers who  
volunteered (preferred) to be remote in K-5

And some new staff to GPS

# Class Size

GPS class size will be followed as strictly as possible

- Kindergarten and First Grade 21
- Second Grade and Third Grade 24
- Fourth Grade and Fifth Grade 26

# PTA Involvement

- We welcome the PTA being involved in Remote School and having a class parent
- The teachers will communicate with the families frequently
- The Remote School Principal will communicate as needed for special grade level activities or special events students may want to join

# Devices

Students new to GPS will receive information to drive by and pick up a device at their neighborhood school

Kindergarten will be given a specific time to pick up their devices from their neighborhood school

Technical issues will go through the district support (email will be provided) just as they did from March- June

# Assessments

- Students will take assessments from home
- Students who are in a testing process, such as Special Education, may come to the remote location if a parent prefers on site testing. The on site location is the district office (Havemeyer)
- Standardized tests from the Connecticut State Department of Education have not been determined for 2020-2021. If the assessments are offered, they may require in person testing.

# Special Education and Related Services

All IEP's will be followed and any challenges will be worked through with the family

Evaluations may be conducted in person at the district site

Parents may request some face to face related services if it works better for the students  
(just like it operated in the summer)



# Schedule

## K-2 Class Schedule

<u>K-2</u>	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30-9:00	Morning Meeting SEL Lesson				
9:00-9:30	Live in Google Meets Math mini lesson and guided practice				
9:30-10:00	Math activity on Google classroom; teacher available for support				
10:00-10:30	Live in Google Meets science lesson				
10:30-10:45	Break/Snack				
10:45-11:00	ELA mini lesson and guided practice				
11:00-11:30					
11:30-12:00	ELA activity on Google Classroom; teacher available for support				
12:00-12:30	Break for lunch/recess				
12:30-1:00					
1:00-1:30	Art	Music	PE	Music	PE
1:30-2:00		PE		FLES	FLES
2:00-2:30	Students meet with interventionists and classroom teacher				
2:30-3:00	Interactive Read Aloud; Closing SEL Activity				
3:00	All students log out for the day				

# Schedule

## Grades 3-5 Class Schedule

<u>3-5</u>	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30-9:00	Morning Meeting SEL Lesson				
9:00-9:30	Live in Google Meets Math mini lesson and guided practice				
9:30-10:00	Math activity on Google classroom; teacher available for support				
10:00-10:30	Live in Google Meets science lesson				
10:30-10:45	Break/Snack				
10:45-11:00	ELA mini lesson and guided practice				
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11:30-12:00	ELA activity on Google Classroom; teacher available for support				
12:00-12:30	Break for lunch/recess				
12:30-1:00					
1:00-1:30	Interactive Read Aloud; Closing SEL activity				
1:30-2:00	Students meet with interventionists and classroom teachers				
2:00-2:30	Art	Music	PE	Music	PE
2:30-3:00		PE		FLES	FLES
3:00	All Students log out for the day				

# Digital Tools




## Sulfur Newsletter

By Melisa Bayram

**Chemical and Physical Properties**

Sulfur has many different chemical and physical properties. In its natural state, sulfur is an odorless, tasteless, and light yellow solid. It is a reactive element that combines with all metals except gold and platinum. Its boiling point is 717.75 K, it is insoluble in water, and it is a poor conductor of heat and electricity.



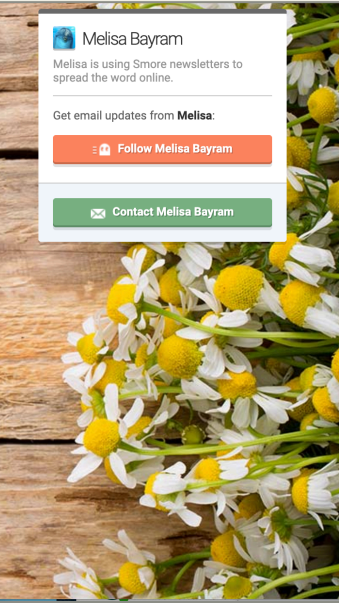
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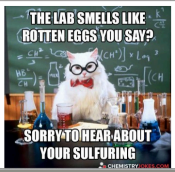
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# Live Q&A

Please submit your question into the Q&A feature. We will answer as many as we can in the remaining time.

# Thank you!

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