



The Chartwell Family Pledge Updated January 2021

Returning to live school is not without risk. As a community, we must work together to foster the safety of our students, parents, faculty and staff. **In light of the current statistics and increase in cases in California, we are asking our families to review and recommit to following specific community guidelines while we slowly and safely return to campus.** Please review the below “pledge” and, *for the safety of our faculty, students, parents, and community*, uphold the following commitments on a daily basis:

- Conduct a health and symptom screening** before your child leaves home each day. Keep your child home when they are sick or exhibiting symptoms of general illness. If the temperature reads 100.4 or above, keep your child at home for the day. A temperature check will be done upon arrival at school, and students with temperatures in this range will be sent home.
- Wear a mask** or cloth face covering to minimize risks to others when out in public, and clean and sanitize them often.
- Come to school directly from home**, and return home after school, minimizing stops to essential errands when possible.
- Limit your child’s outside of school engagement** to only immediate family or students in the same cohort.
- Wash hands frequently.**
- Avoid unnecessary travel** this includes visits to or from family and friends in other parts of California, out of state, or out of the country. We will not accommodate students who miss school due to unnecessary travel.
- If travel is necessary** you must notify us and self-isolate for 10 days after traveling. Your child cannot come to school during this time.
- Avoid all gatherings and events** - especially those where people are not adhering to state and local safety guidance.
- Self-report to Chartwell** immediately if your child or a member of your household has been exposed to COVID-19.
- Wear masks** (adults and children) when carpooling, with windows open if possible. Masks are required to be double layered and cover the nose and mouth,
- Abstain from the practice of providing fever reducing medicines** for the purpose of sending your child to school.

Not following the guidelines of the Chartwell Family Pledge may put others at considerable risk. We ask all members of our community to embrace with positivity and an open mind the changes required this school year, understanding that because of COVID-19, our learning spaces, activities, and other events may look and feel different than in other school years.

If you do not feel you can follow these guidelines, we encourage you to continue with the online learning model. Thank you for being part of our community and working with us to bring our students back together, where they learn and grow best.