

Return to School FAQ

Questions in black – Answers in red

- What do we know about lunches and trying to keep students 6' apart? Will they be eating outside? Will they be eating in shifts? **We are currently developing our strategies. At this time we plan on providing students with a single classroom chair and an up-side-down 5 gallon bucket as a "table". These will be appropriately spaced at 6' or more. We will be making use of all of our interior space and some of our covered exterior space.**
- Can fully remote students join Intramural Athletics (SV)? **Yes**
- When will kids find out if their teachers are in person or remote? **I believe that they will find out just before they return to school, or possibly on the first day of in-person instruction.**
- Will middle school kids need attestation forms the same way elementary kids do? Is there any plan to move that to an app or online form? **The district is working on an electronic form. I don't have details yet. We need to make this process VERY efficient.**
- Do you require volunteers to be vaccinated as they'll be near kids and in the building? **No, but volunteers do need to wear a face mask, social distance 3', and wash hands frequently.**
- for 6th graders school tour, is it for students only? Can parents join? **For now it is students only.**
- If a student opts for remote now, can they return to in-person at a later time? (or vice versa) **If a child opts for remote, then requests a change to in-person we will need to see if there is room in the school. So the request may be denied. If a child opts for in-person they can opt for remote more easily because we will not have to ensure there is a physical spot for them in their classroom after classes have been going.**
- Will there be breaks in the day? The required energy level at home is way lower than at school, with all the social demands? **We will do a Cougar time, lunch break, and passing periods. Otherwise there will not be other formal breaks.**
- Do you need volunteers for temperature check? **Maybe. More to come.**
- do we get access to the sign-up genius to contribute? **I don't know. This is a question for PTSA and I will send it to them. :)**
- Does kamiakin have lockers? it's a bit conversation topic at our house. **Yes, though it is my understanding that students do not use them.**
- do they need to bring their laptops to school? **Yes Fully charged please.**