



## FENTON CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are pleased to share that the Fenton Charter Public Schools have been open for in-person instruction for the past two weeks. Our schedule allows students to be in-person Monday through Friday from 8am to 12pm. Click on the [video](#) link to see instruction at Fenton Avenue Charter School this week. Currently, about half of our students are receiving in-person instruction and half of our students are on a distance learning model. While a great deal of effort has been focused on our “Roomers”, we want to acknowledge the hard work of our “Zoomers” working from home as well.

**After School Offerings:** Fenton is currently piloting after school programs for students from 12pm to 4pm on a daily basis. We are working with Think Together and LA’s Best to serve as many students as possible that are interested in remaining on campus until 4pm. We will continue to provide you with additional information for families that are interested in after school services.

**Fenton Summer Learning Activities:** We are exploring an opportunity to provide our students with extended learning opportunities over the summer. Our plan is to allow interested students to participate in a summer program at our schools daily from 8am – 12pm. We are exploring the option to have students on a two (2) week block of time at school. Depending on space and interest, students may be able to attend multiple 2 week sessions. We will provide you with additional information as our plans develop.

**State Testing Update:** Given how deeply COVID-19 has impacted our community and based on the number of students choosing to remain on distance learning, the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) is not a viable option for the Fenton Charter Public Schools (FCPS). FCPS will use i-Ready assessments to measure student growth in place of the CAASPP state assessments to measure student growth.

**Material Revision for Fenton Primary Center (FPC) and Fenton Avenue Charter School (FACS):** FPC and FACS have submitted a Material Revision to LAUSD. The intent of the Material Revision for FPC and FACS is to 1) Align the grade level configuration of FPC and FACS with all of the other Fenton schools (TK-6); 2) Allow FPC to serve grades that take standardized tests, 3) Allow FACS to operate a Learning Lab program for students that are typically assigned to a non-public school setting in grades TK-6. Here is a link to more information about the Material Revision in [English](#) and [Spanish](#). We encourage you to participate in the following survey ([English](#)) ([Spanish](#)) to provide us with your input.

English Survey: <https://forms.gle/ZUt6SLNU7zPAJaWT9>

Spanish Survey: <https://forms.gle/vwVD6kATmE4bRtno8>

Sincerely,

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