

# LEHIGHTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

I would like to take this opportunity to provide additional information regarding the district’s plan to reopen schools this fall. We are considering the various needs of our students and families and continue to develop an educational plan to address several scenarios, including virtual (e-learning) as an option for our students.

In our current reopening health and safety plan we are preparing to offer in-person education for grades Pre-K through 12 on a daily basis. At all levels, we are also preparing to offer a virtual learning model to our students. This delivery model will be improved in comparison to our original model as we have had time to prepare and plan for this type of virtual education. With this model our students will be able to physically see their classroom teacher and take part in the lessons as they would if they were actually sitting in the classroom.

Please take the time to view the link below. An informational session and sample lesson are provided to explain what will be offered to our students this upcoming year as part of the virtual education plan for the Lehigh Area School District.

<https://cloud.swivl.com/v/564027bb2fa881c1d0d2fc3f216599a8>

As you will find from the demo, this educational delivery model is different from the online learning model followed during the mandated school closure. Our goal is for our students to receive the same educational experience whether in-person (classroom) or online (virtual).

We are confident that the virtual lessons will exceed your expectations and your children will participate in interactive and meaningful lessons.

Sincerely,

Jonathan J. Cleaver  
Superintendent

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