

# Community Action School

Back to School 2020-2021

9/10/2020 Virtual Town Hall



# WELCOME

I am happy to be with you today to share some information about our plans for the 2020-2021 School Year.

Please know that health, safety and learning are our main priorities!

If you have questions, please put them in the chat box.

# STAFF INTRODUCTIONS

**6th Grade Team**

**7th Grade Team**

**8th Grade Team**

**ACES**

**Office**

# LEARNING MODELS

100% Remote Learning or Blended Learning

So far, 67% of families have opted for full-time remote learning

No CAS students will attend school in person 5 days a week, but there will be learning each day.

# In-School Blended Learning

Based on input from families and staff we have decided that Model 1A will give our students the optimal educational experience. Under Model 1A, we have two in person cohorts and one full-time remote cohort. Groups A and B will rotate attendance on Mondays.

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Group D	Remote Learning Group				
Week 1	A	A	B	A	B
Week 2	B	A	B	A	B

# CAS SCHOOL CALENDAR

All students log in remotely September 16, 17, 18 from 11:00AM - 12:00PM. Continue to check your CAS email for links. Included will be links and invitations to Google Classroom.

Fully programmed instruction begins on Monday, September 21, 2020.

- Cohort A will come in-person to CAS
- Cohort B will begin remotely
- Cohort D always meets remotely

Calendar will be posted online for ongoing reference on the school website:

[www.communityactionsschool.org](http://www.communityactionsschool.org)

# **IN-SCHOOL LEARNING**

- **Students will be in small groups of approximately 8-9 students.**
- **The school day will be shorter. 8:30AM-2:00PM**
- **Students will not switch classes.**
- **Lunch will be in the classroom.**
- **Masks must be worn at all times, except when eating. Elevator has a 2 person capacity and are only given to students with exception from the main office. Please bring medical concerns to our attention immediately.**
- **Students may only attend on their specified days and they must stay home if feeling sick.**
- **All students will be screened before entering the building**

# **KEY CAS STRUCTURES WILL REMAIN**

- Caring teachers and staff**
- Advisory with frequent communication to families**
- Counseling and Social/Emotional supports available at all times**
- Instruction will be meaningful and targeted**



# SUPPLIES

- All students need a chromebook (with charger) and blended learning students will bring it with them to and from school. Students will be expected to have their cameras on for all remote lessons.

- At the moment, we are asking students in the blended learning model to start the school year with the following supplies. Please keep in mind that we will be adding to this list in the future.

1. 1 composition notebook
2. 1 folder
3. 2 pens and 2 pencils
4. calculator (8th graders will be provided with graphing calculators.)
5. 1 set of non-bluetooth headphones

# MS. KARLA FITTIPALDI (PARENT COORDINATOR)

- update in Spanish
- communication with the school
- uniforms
- Email Karla if you haven't been receiving emails from CAS, so we can get your correct email address.

<b>EMAIL ADDRESS</b>	<a href="mailto:kfittipaldi@schools.nyc.gov">kfittipaldi@schools.nyc.gov</a>
<b>SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER</b>	(212) 678-5888

# QUESTIONS

**We know that this year will be challenging, but we will succeed together!**

**Please feel free to reach out to us at any time!**

