



Hello, Panther Families!

We are so very excited to see our students again this year, no matter what it brings!! We have been working very hard to put great plans in place to ensure the safety and well-being of our students and our staff members!

We know many of you are curious about what school will look like when we come back on September 14, so we have an alphabetized outline below for your reference. We will try to keep our plan as close to this as possible while we are here in the building, but will also continue to work with the level of restrictions that are shared with us each week, again to provide the safest environment possible!

- Online Teaching & Learning - September 1 - 13 (No bus routes)
 - Online Learning Platforms:
 - K-4 - ZOOM
 - K-2 - SeeSaw
 - 3-4 - Google Classroom
 - Staff & students will focus on building new relationships with each other
 - We are so very excited to meet our new students, and will focus on establishing our relationships together to help with the transition back into the building :)
 - Unable to attend? We are aware that some families will be unavailable during scheduled log-in times– please reach out to your child’s teacher to let him/her know, and we will make things work!
 - Breakfast & Lunch will be provided for those who want - pickup at the MS between 11 & 12 - please contact Emily Klunk with any questions at 608-786-3078 or 608-451-1190 - menu at saalem.nutrislice.com
 - K-2 iPad update: We have been informed by Apple that our iPads will be here between September 11 - 20, so this is better news than what they told us on Tuesday!
 - All information you need is on our website: wsalem.k12.wi.us - Schools - Elementary - COVID-19 Academic Updates

- Face-to-Face Instruction - Begins September 14 (Information Alphabetized)
- ****Subject to change, based on LaCrosse County Health Department, WI Dept of Health Services, and WI DPI guidance and guidelines****
- **This is meant to be a general reference that is fluid**
 - Breakfast
 - Grab-n-go
 - Take to classrooms
 - Bus Info
 - Masks required
 - Ride in family cohorts - assigned seats
 - Buses will be sanitized after every route

- Classrooms
 - Set up for social distancing to be as safe as possible
- Cleaning
 - Students will clean their area at the end of each day
- Dismissal
 - 4K - 3:00 Bus Departure
 - K - 4 - Staggered
 - See map below
- Entering the School Building
 - Students will enter through an assigned door
- Face Coverings
 - Required
 - Each student given 2
 - 4K will only wear during activity, singing, and where social distancing is difficult
 - We will follow ADA guidelines
 - Mask breaks will be provided regularly by teachers & staff throughout the day
- Hand Washing / Sanitizing
 - Hygiene stations are located throughout the building
 - Education provided in classrooms
- Lunch
 - In classrooms
 - Teachers will take hot/cold info in the morning so students won't need to touch the number pad
 - Walk through the lunch line with teacher - Panther packs and/or school lunch
- MAPL (Music, Art, PE, Library, Technology)
 - Utilizing as much outdoor space as possible for Music, Art, & Phy Ed (otherwise in their normal areas)
 - Library & Tech will be in the classrooms
- Outdoor / Green Spaces
 - We are going to utilize as much as possible, when possible!
- Pick-Up / Drop-Off
 - Keep the flow moving as much as possible!!
 - Drop-Off:
 - Parents remain in vehicle
 - Front loop is for buses only
 - 4K, K, & 1 - drop-off in the South parking lot
 - 2, 3, 4 - drop-off in the North parking lot
 - Pick-Up
 - **Designate an outside meeting place for your family
 - Front loop is for buses only
 - 4K, K, 1, 2, 3, 4 - see map below for where students will be exiting the building
- Recess Times
 - Before School - not at this time - Report to classrooms

- AM recess - outside, in cohorts (classrooms)
 - Lunch recess - working on a plan
 - PM recess - outside, in cohorts (classrooms)
- Snacks
 - Individually pre-packaged
 - Each student brings own snacks
- Student Health
 - Parents monitor from home
 - We have protocols in place if someone is not feeling well! We will only call to send students home if we feel they should not be here - our goal is to have everyone here as much as possible!
- Supplies
 - Each student brings his/her own supplies
- Visitors
 - Allowed in only for IEP's, health-related meetings, discipline issues, or other scheduled meetings - *at this time* - again, subject to change
 - Face coverings required
 - Temperature will be taken at the door, as well as a signature that they are free of symptoms
- Water Fountains
 - Shut off, except for the bottle fillers
 - PTO purchased water bottles for every student, if needed - THANK YOU, PTO!!

