



Dear Parents & Students,

Thank you so much for attending our Open House last Thursday. We had a great turn out, and it was so good to see all of you!

We are looking forward to our Boynton family being back together again. No matter if you are a face to face student or a digital student, you are still a part of our school. We love you and are committed to giving you the best educational experience throughout this school year.

As I mentioned in my newsletter a few weeks ago, our #1 priority is our students and their safety. We are doing everything we can to ensure that we give your child/children an education rooted in excellence. We also are taking every measure to the greatest extent to keep our school clean and to ensure we provide a healthy learning environment for our students.

We have reduced our class sizes to 14-16 students per class. This will allow for us to provide social distancing within the classrooms. Teachers will monitor their class frequently to make sure that students are following the Covid Safety Protocols.

Classrooms will be cleaned and sanitized throughout the day and during transitions. We have a Sani-Tech that will travel to every room including restrooms throughout the day and assist with keeping all hotspot areas sanitized and cleaned. Classrooms will be cleaned and sanitized at the end of each day to prepare for the arrival of our students the following day. Handwashing, sanitizing, and good hygiene habits will be reinforced. We have several hand sanitizing stations located throughout our building. Students will be required to wash/sanitize their hands prior to going to lunch, recess, or entering other areas of the building.

We have placed special markers in the hallways, in the front lobby, cafeteria, car rider lines, and resource classes to ensure that students know where to stand when transitioning to other areas of the building.

Students will have a regular school schedule just like we have had in the past. They will transition to PE, Music, Media Center, lunch, and recess each day. We will practice social distancing in all areas of the school when possible. Students will be **REQUIRED TO WEAR MASKS** when making transitions in the building. **Please make sure that you send your child/children to school with a mask.** We are

providing each student with a lanyard to attach their mask to if they do not have a gator style mask. This will help students not to lose their mask or drop it on the floor.

Teachers will review our safety rules daily and encourage our students to follow good hygiene habits. Temperatures will be taken upon arrival for all students and staff members. If a student or staff member has a fever, they will be required to go home. **Parents will need to pick up their child/children immediately. It is imperative that we have all contact information and emergency contacts updated in Infinite Campus. Please keep your child/children at home if they are sick.**

If a child or staff member tests positive for Covid we will be transparent with our staff members and parents and communicate the necessary information as quickly as possible. **Please make sure that you read the “Covid Info – Letter to Parents” posted on our school website for more information regarding this topic.**

Our goal is to have a fun and safe year with your child/children. We are dedicated to doing everything we can to make this new normal as smooth as possible for our students and parents. Thank you for all of your support as we navigate through this year. I appreciate you!

Sincerely,

*Jennifer E. Scott*

Boynton Principal ☺