



SFCS Weekly Bulletin

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DISTANCE LEARNING PLANNING SURVEY

The SFCS plan to reopen the school site (<https://bit.ly/SFCS-ReopeningPlan2020>) notes mid-October as the possible time to begin Phase 2 - Hybrid Learning, which combines in-person learning and distance learning. (Continuing with distance learning only would also be an option for families.) At the September 29th Board Meeting, the SFCS Board will review safety conditions and direct staff whether to move forward with plans for in-person learning to begin in October. Community members will be invited to attend the Board Meeting via Zoom at 4PM. **To guide planning, please complete the Phase 2 Planning Survey by Friday, September 25th** to note your preference should in-person learning be offered this fall. We need to hear from each family, so please contact the office if you cannot complete the survey online. The survey link is here:

<http://bit.ly/Phase2PlanningSurvey-SFCS>

ENRICHMENT CLASSES

Optional enrichment classes and recess times with staff members are available via Zoom for SFCS students. This week's schedule can be found here:

<http://bit.ly/SFCS-EnrichmentClasses>

Please note the grade levels for each class or recess. To keep Zoom sessions safe and secure, students will only be admitted to the class if their whole name is included. Enjoy!

KEY LINKS

SFCS Reopening Plan:

<https://bit.ly/SFCS-ReopeningPlan2020>

Back to School Night Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mgo4XTi5pLM&feature=youtu.be>

School Calendar:

<http://sierrafoothillcharterschool.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/20-21-Revised-8.3.20.pdf>

Enrichment Classes and Recess Times:

<http://bit.ly/SFCS-EnrichmentClasses>

CARE CALLS

Staff members will begin making "Care Calls" - phone calls to students to check in and chat a bit. **If your student would appreciate a call from a particular staff member, please note that by completing this form:**

<http://bit.ly/CareCallRequestForm>

Thank you! We look forward to connecting with our students in this way.

IMPORTANT DEVICE REMINDERS

Students should only access SFCS accounts and permissible sites on school electronic devices. Please be aware that students are able to message others on these devices using Google Hangouts. Students have been told they cannot message others during live instruction. If parents/guardians do not want students messaging at any time, this will need to be communicated and monitored at home. **Common Sense Media** has many helpful resources for parents/guardians. Information about privacy settings and internet safety can be found here:

<https://www.commonsensemedia.org/privacy-and-internet-safety>.

TEACHER COMMUNICATION

Please keep in mind that teachers cannot respond to messages during live instruction. A response to emails and Class Dojo messages will be sent as soon as possible and within 24 hours on weekdays. For time-sensitive matters, please attend teacher online office hours or contact the office for assistance.

SPACE AVAILABLE AT SFCS

SFCS currently has a few spots available in grades TK, 1, 5, 7 and 8. Please share this with anyone who may be interested in joining our school family.

SFCS MASKS FOR SALE

All soft cotton and adjustable masks made for SFCS are for sale in the office for \$8 each. Child and adult sizes available. Support SFCS and get them while they last!

