

Dear Pirates,

Work still is progressing at a feverish pace. It is impressive to see and watch every advancement to returning us to our normal spaces!

**IMPORTANT MESSAGE: FROM NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 31:** Beginning at 8:40, we will gather all students in the gym during morning Drop Off. Students come in either the north gym door, or the west doors into the FLEX room for breakfast and then proceed to the gym at 8:55. We will begin the day with morning announcements with everyone seated in the gym. Students will then go with their teachers to their classrooms promptly at 9:00. Morning Drop-Off will remain the same in the front. **THIS INCLUDES PRESCHOOL.** No one will be in the Preschool room to accept your children. Tammy and Deb will be out front helping with Drop Off. When the playground opens, there will be **NO ONE on Outside Duty**. You are to drop off, walk, or bike your students to the north gym door, as that is where our day will begin. **AGAIN, ALL STUDENTS PREK-5 MEET IN THE GYM FIRST THING.**

- Playground and grassy areas of our playground: Servpro has worked diligently to get our playground and grass ready for students as quickly as possible. We believe by early next week, we will be able to utilize those areas. We will utilize our areas for all recesses: morning, lunch, and afternoon; however we will not use it during morning Drop Off.
- East parking lot: Will be open when the playground and grassy areas are open for students.
- The back blacktop area: will remain cordoned off where the classroom storage containers are located until renovations are complete.
- Football field and track: also will be completed soon.
- Students adapt well. They are making the best of a situation that is not ideal. It is workable, however, and students are creative in their play, their work, and their ideas of making CLPE a better place during this time.
- Our CLPE Staff is WONDERFUL! They have adapted well to our new configuration. They make suggestions, let me know what is bothersome, and find solutions. Truly, they have cooperated, been risk-takers, problem solvers, etc. All the IB attributes we are asking of students, our teachers are modeling every day.
- Our Fire Drill: yesterday went off without a hitch. Students and faculty made adjustments and performed superbly. I am proud of them all!
- Compliments to our wonderful parents and families: You have been so great in adapting to all the changes we make and sometimes on a daily basis. It is gratifying to me that I have your support and trust!

I will email again with any pertinent information you need to know.

Sincerely,

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***"I can learn. I will learn. If it is to be, it's up to me. I can DO it!"***

