

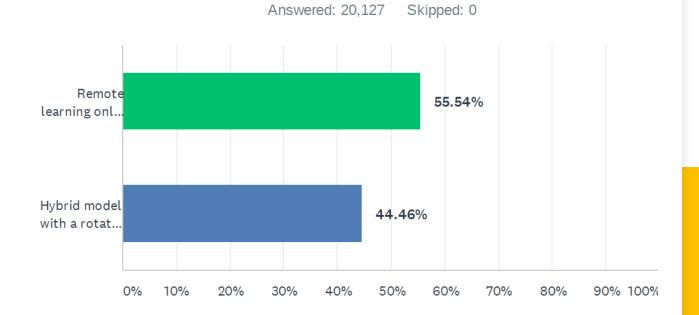
Tucson Unified School District Revised Instructional Model for Hybrid Instruction: 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2020-2021

> Presentation to the Governing Board October 6, 2020
> TUSD Leadership Team

# Presentation Goals

- An overview of the results and major trends noted for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter parent and teacher surveys.
- Overview of the collaborative process utilized to arrive at the recommended model.
- Scheduling and logistical details of the proposed model.
- The recommended model's overall compliance with the Governor's Executive Orders.
- A timeline for communication to parents as well as training and support for teachers.

# Survey Results



#### **ANSWER CHOICES**

Remote learning only / Solo aprendizaje remoto

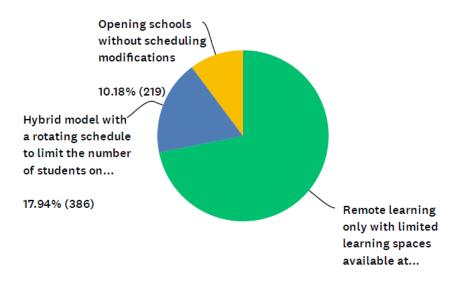
Hybrid model with a rotating schedule to limit the number of students on school sites / Modelo híbrido con un horar rotativo para limitar el número de estudiantes en los sitios escolares

TOTAL

An overview of the results and major trends noted for the  $2^{nd}$  quarter parent surveys.

Q4 What is your preference for instruction for the 2nd quarter of this fall semester. All three scenarios include wearing masks on campus and physical distancing enforcement where possible:

Answered: 2,152 Skipped: 0

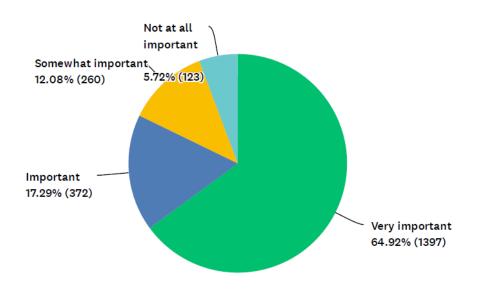


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSE	s
Remote learning only with limited learning spaces available at schools	71.89%	1,547
Hybrid model with a rotating schedule to limit the number of students on school sites	17.94%	386
Opening schools without scheduling modifications	10.18%	219
TOTAL		2,152

An overview of the results and major trends noted for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter teacher surveys.

## Q8 How important is it to you to keep your current roster of students from the 1st Quarter and for them not to be transferred to another teacher?

Answered: 2,152 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very important	64.92%	1,397
Important	17.29%	372
Somewhat important	12.08%	260
Not at all important	5.72%	123
TOTAL		2,152

# Hybrid Model

# Objectives Met

Parents have the individual choice of In-Person or Online Students will have frequent contact with their Teachers.

Asynchronous hours rather than days.

Students can remain with their Teachers

If an In-Person student is sick, quarantined, or isolated, they can attend their classes online in the afternoon.

Teachers do not have to teach two modes of instruction simultaneously.

# Overview of the collaborative process

#### Guiding principles:

- Honor the teacher-student relationships from the first quarter
- Maintain the amount of teacher-student contact in a hybrid model
- Create a scheduling component that allows teachers to keep their students when feasible
- Create an environment where teachers are not teaching in two modalities simultaneously.
- Develop sample prototype schedules differentiated by grade level bands (Elementary, Middle and High School) which sites can choose from.

# Hybrid Model: Two Modes of Learning

- Students will be split into two groups
  - In-person
  - Online
- All Students will attend school 5-days a week In-Person and Online.
- The "Parent/Teacher Conference" schedule will be used for transportation.
- There are no "Asynchronous" days but there will be Asynchronous time/work.
- Wednesdays will be Whole Class Online Instruction.

Hybrid Model: Elementary





# Hybrid Model: Elementary

- The conference day half day schedule will be followed for transportation purposes.
- Students that select the in-person model will come to school four days a week, for half days for live in-person teaching.
  - In the afternoon it is expected that they will continue online instruction from home.
- Students that select the online option will receive live instruction four days a week in the afternoons.
  - In the mornings it is expected that they will continue online instruction from home.
- Elementary students will maintain contact with teachers five times a week.
- Continuity of instruction in person and online.
- No change in teacher.

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Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Half Day	In Person students	In Person students	In person and Remote Groups will	In Person students	In Person students
AM 8:15-11:25	Remote students learning online	Remote students learning online	meet remotely as a Whole Class	Remote students learning online	Remote students learning online
		Lunc	h: Grab-n-Go		
Half Day	In Person students learning online	In Person students learning online	12:00-2:30 Teacher Planning or Office Hours	In Person students learning online	In Person students learning online
PM 12:00-2:25	Remote students Learning online with teacher	Remote students Learning online with teacher	2:30-3:30 Professional Development	Remote students Learning online with teacher	Remote students Learning online with teacher

Table 3: Sample Hybrid Elementary Schedule \*AM Group includes breakfast and recess

In Person	
Remote	

# Elementary and Pre-K Hybrid Schedule

Time		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Remote Work Half Day	OMA	OMA	In person	OMA	OMA	
		Library	Library	and Remote Groups will	Library	Library
AM 8:15-		Counseling	Counseling	meet remotely as a	Counseling	Counselin
11:25		Interventions	Interventions	Whole Class	Interventions	Interventi
		Asynchronous	Asynchronous		Asynchronous	Asynchror
			Lunch: Gra	ab-n-Go		
11-16	Remote	ОМА	ОМА	12:00-2:30 Teacher	ОМА	OMA
Half Work Day PM	Work	Library	Library	Planning or Office Hours	Library	Library
12:00- 2:25		Counseling	Counseling	2:30-3:30 Professional	Counseling	Counselin
		Interventions	Interventions	Development	Interventions	Interventi
		Asynchronous	Asynchronous		Asynchronous	Asynchron

Asynchronous Sample Schedule Elementary

# Middle & High School Hybrid

# Hybrid Model: Middle and High School

- The conference day half day schedule will be followed for transportation purposes.
- Students that select the in-person model will come to school for half days for live in-person teaching.
- For the afternoon, they will continue instruction asynchronously from home.
- Students that select the online option will receive live instruction in the afternoons.
- Students will maintain contact with their teachers five times a week
- 10 Minute passing period for in-person instruction.
- Continuity of instruction in person and online.
- No changes in teachers.

In-Person (hybrid):

• Students are on campus every morning for teacher led instruction. (58 minutes per class)

• 10 minute passing periods (M, T, Th, F)

• Asynchronous work is every afternoon

Remote (Full-time remote):

Asynchronous is every morning

• Teacher led instruction to remote students every afternoon. (58 minutes per class)

• 5 minute "break" periods in between classes

Whole group Instruction every Wednesday (remote for all students) = 35 minute

# High School Start Time Sample

	6 Period Day-High School: In-Person & Remote					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
8:10-9:08	Period 1	Period 4	Period 1	Period 1	Period 4	
(58 min)			8:10-8:45			
			( 35 min)			
9:18-10:16	Period 2	Period 5	Period 2	Period 2	Period 5	
(58 min)			8:50-9:25			
			( 35 min)			
10:26-11:24	Period 3	Period 6	Period 3	Period 3	Period 6	
(58 min)			9:30-10:05			
			( 35 min)			
Lunch			Lunch			
11:24-12:05			10:05-10:40			
(41 min)			(35 min)			
*Early			Period 4			
Release			10:45-11:20			
12:06			( 35 min)			
12:09-1:07	Period 4	Period 1	Period 5	Period 4	Period 1	
(58 min)			11:25-12:00			
			( 35 min)			
1:12-2:10	Period 5	Period 2	Period 6	Period 5	Period 2	
(58 min)			12:05-12:40			
			( 35 min)			
2:15-3:13	Period 6	Period 3	12:40-2:20	Period 6	Period 3	
(58 min)			Planning			
Dismissal			Professional			
from			Development			
Remote			2:20-3:20			

<sup>\*</sup>Early release "Half day" schedule (In-person students would be attending school via early release bell schedule)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Teacher planning period offered everyday

7 Period Day-middle school: Online & Remote					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:50-9:38 (48 min)	Period 1	Period 5	Period 1 8:50-9:25 ( 35 min)	Period 1	Period 5
9:48-10:36 (48 min)	Period 2	Period 6	Period 2 9:30-10:05 ( 35 min)	Period 2	Period 6
10:46-11:34 (48 min)	Period 3	Period 7	Period 3 10:10-10:45 ( 35 min)	Period 3	Period 7
11:44-12:08 (24 min)	Period 4	Period 4	Period 4 10:50-11:25 ( 35 min)	Period 4	Period 4
Lunch 12:08-12:43 (35 min)			Lunch 11:25-12:00 (35 minutes)		
*Early Release 12:50			Period 5 12:10-12:45 ( 35 min)		
12:47-1:35 (48 min)	Period 5	Period 1	Period 6 12:50-1:25 ( 35 min)	Period 5	Period 1
1:40-2:28 (48 min)	Period 6	Period 2	Period 7 1:30-2:05 ( 35 min)	Period 6	Period 2
2:33-3:21 (48 min)	Period 7	Period 3	Planning 2:05- 2:50	Period 7	Period 3
3:26-3:50 (24 min)	Period 4	Period 4	PD 2:50-3:50	Period 4	Period 4
Dismissal from Remote					

<sup>\*</sup>Early release "Half day" schedule (In-person students would be attending school via early release bell schedule)

Whole group Instruction every Wednesday (remote for all students) = 35 minutes

#### In-Person (hybrid): A

- Students are on campus every morning for teacher led instruction. (48 minutes per class)
- \*4<sup>th</sup> period occurs every day-24 minutes a day
- 10 minute passing periods
- Asynchronous work is every afternoon

#### Remote (Full-time remote): B

- Asynchronous is every morning
- Teacher led instruction to remote students every afternoon. (51 minutes per class)
- 5 minute "break" periods in between classes

<sup>\*\*</sup>Teacher planning period offered everyday (Personal and Team plan)

# Asynchronous Activities Middle and High School



Working on projects and assignments for classes



Social Emotional Learning lessons with counselors



Specialized services (interventions)



Working on digital platforms as assigned

### Cohorts

If the "In-Person" percentage of Students on Campus are at a safe threshold cohorts are not necessary.

This threshold is site-dependent and will be adjusted according to individual school sites. (Most thresholds should be between 45-60% of students on campus).

# Cohorts (cont.)

If the demand for In-Person is above a safe threshold, individual sites have the option of moving their In-Person schedule to Cohort A and B.

<u>Cohort A</u> will attend in-person on Monday and Thursday, attending class Online in the afternoons on Tuesday and Friday.

<u>Cohort B</u> will attend in-person on Tuesdays and Fridays, attending class Online in the afternoons on Mondays and Thursdays.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Half Day AM 8:15-11:25	In Person students Cohort A	In Person students Cohort B	In person and Remote Groups will meet remotely as a Whole Class	and Remote Groups will meet remotely as a	In Person students Cohort A	In Person students Cohort B
	Remote students learning online	Remote students learning online			Remote students learning online	Remote students learning online
		Lunc	h: Grab-n-Go			
Half Day	In Person students learning online	In Person students learning online	12:00-2:30 Teacher Planning	In Person students learning online	In Person students learning online	
PM 12:00-2:25	Remote students Learning online with teacher	Remote students Learning online with teacher	2:30-3:30 Professional Development	Remote students Learning online with teacher	Remote students Learning online with teacher	

Cohort A and B Example if Thresholds are Exceeded Elementary

#### Middle & High School

	6 Period Day-High School: Hybrid (Cohort A & B)					
	<mark>Monday</mark>	Thursday	Wednesday	<mark>Thursday</mark>	Friday	
	<mark>(Cohort A)</mark>	Cohort B	ALL Students!	(Cohort A)	Cohort B	
8:10-9:08	Period 1	Period 1	Period 1	Period 4	Period 4	
(58 min)			8:10-8:45			
			( 35 min)			
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Remote			2:20-3:20			
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Cohort A and B Example if Thresholds are Exceeded MS/HS

# Training and support for teachers



Continued Professional Development opportunities via asynchronous workshops, webinars and modules



Training offered to Curriculum Support Personnel during CIPDA academies that to provide differentiated PD opportunities at their sites.



Continued offering and expansion of Office Hours from the Curriculum and Instruction Department



Sample lesson plans for hybrid model

## Learning Spaces

Learning spaces will remain open for our At-Risk student populations and on an "as needed" basis for Wednesdays.

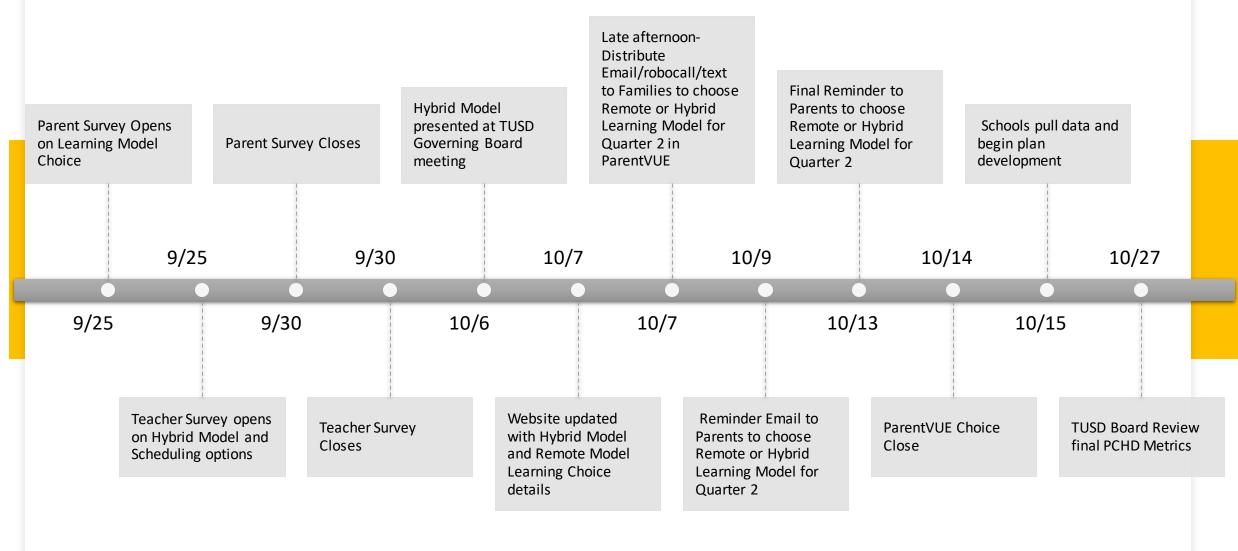
They will be supervised by a proctor and provide students with a place to go during the day for asynchronous work only.

Students will attend their regular classrooms for inperson instruction for four half days a week on their designated days.

# The recommended model's overall compliance with the Governor's Executive Orders

- Governor Ducey and Arizona Department of Education:
  - "Local school leaders will make the determination on when to physically open for regular classes, and consider these recommendations, guidance from county health officials, community needs and available resources to determine when to open."

#### A Timeline for Communication to Parents



# Upon Plan Approval

- Website updated with Hybrid summary and detail plans
- Parents will receive multiple email/robocall/text instructing them how to choose their preferred model
- Parents will make choice in ParentVUE providing schools with immediate information on student assignment

# Questions?