July 27, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Supplemental guidelines clarifying expectations regarding full time remote learning options for families were issued for the "The Road Back" on Friday, July 24, 2020.

You can click on the link below, or go to our website www.mksd.org to review them.
https://www.nj.gov/education/reopening/updates/index.shtml

Based on this new guidance **all students are eligible for full time remote learning:** eligibility cannot be conditioned on a family/guardian demonstrating a risk of illness or other selective criteria.

Katzenbach will offer the following:

- 5 full days in person instruction at Katzenbach
- 5 full or 4-hour minimum remote virtual instruction.

- We will not offer a hybrid program
- There will not be an Extended Day Program.
- There will not be a Residential Program for the first marking period. We will evaluate at the end of the first marking period.

- September 9th and 10th will be a staggered opening for in-person instruction.

In-Person Instruction at Katzenbach

September 9th - ECP, 1,3,7,8 Middle School MD 2
9,10,11 HS MD

September 10th - ECP, K 2,4,5,6, Elementary MD 1/Middle School MD 3
12, 12+, HS MD

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*On September 9th and 10th - In person instruction students who are not scheduled to come to Katzenbach will have virtual instruction.

September 11- All in-person students/grades at Katzenbach

- For students whose parents have chosen virtual/remote, classes will begin virtually on September 9, 2020.

- September 9th to September 18th will be early dismissal days ending at 1:00 PM. Students will eat lunch in school.

- Full day in person will begin on September 21, 2020.

  Remote Learning
- Attendance policies must be followed.
- A minimum of 4 hours of instruction is required. (exception pre-school)

- **Katzenbach Procedures**
- Parents/guardians must submit a request for beginning the school year with fulltime remote learning.

  This request must be submitted in writing by **Friday, July 31, 2020** and e-mailed to **joan.krasnisky@mksd.org**

- Parents/guardians who wish for their child to begin school with in person instruction **do not** need to submit a request.

- If you choose remote learning, and would like at a later date to move your child to in-person at Katzenbach, you will need to submit a request to your child's **principal** in writing a **minimum of two weeks** before your child's return date for in-person instruction at Katzenbach.

- If your receiving in-person instruction at Katzenbach, and you want your child to receive remote instruction at home, you will need to submit a request to your child's **principal** in writing a minimum of **four weeks before the end of the marking period.**

Katzenbach Parent Meeting with Katzenbach Administrators

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Topic: MKSD Re-Start Opening 20-21 School Year
Time: July 29, 2020 at 7:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88021318239?pwd=VnhjbVNSOEJxWXJMdjQrcDBXTXAzdz09

Meeting ID: 880 2131 8239
Passcode: 823849

**Sample of request for virtual/remote instruction to be submitted by July 29th.

Dear Superintendent Krasnisky,

 I am requesting my child, Mary Smith, to have virtual/remote instruction beginning on September 9, 2020.   I realize that if I want to change to in-person instruction at Katzenbach that I must give my child's principal two weeks notice before he or she can return to Katzenbach's campus.

 Mrs. Smith   7/27/20

Thank you,

Joan Krasnisky

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