

## Dear Vista Families,

As we get ready to open our school for face to face learning, there are some important informative points we would like for you to know. There will be precautions, safety measures and some changes that will occur for the first week September 8<sup>th</sup> through the 11<sup>th</sup> to ensure the safety of all students and staff.

First and foremost, we are so excited to welcome our students back! In order to keep everyone safe, the gates and entrances to the school will open for students at 7:30 am. Students may not arrive at school before 7:30 am or be dropped off on their own for their safety. They must be escorted by a parent on to the campus at 7:30am. Our school nurse will be taking temperatures and oxygen levels of students in their cars and as they enter campus. Any student with a fever will not be permitted to exit their vehicle and will be sent home. Students will then enter the building and go directly to their classrooms where all teachers will be on duty. They will remain in class until dismissal.

## Safety Guidelines:

- Students may bring their own breakfast and lunch and eat inside of the classroom. It must follow all guidelines and be peanut free. If a student does not bring breakfast or lunch, the student can receive a meal from the cafeteria based on income eligibility (free, reduced, regular price). If you have not already filled out the application for free or reduced lunch, please request that form and return at your earliest convenience. Breakfast and lunch menus can be viewed from our Burnhamwood.org website.
- In the classroom, students will be social distanced and will not be allowed to leave the classroom except for restroom breaks and brain breaks outside. If at any time a student should feel sick or show any symptoms, parents will be called, and they will be sent home. Our students' and faculty's health are our priority.
- Students will adhere to 6 feet distancing.
- All students will wear a mask. Face shields are more than welcome and are optional, but they do not replace the need for masks.
- There will be handwashing breaks and hand sanitizer available. The water fountains will not be available so make sure students bring their own water bottles.
- Please remind your child that there will be no sharing of water bottles or school supplies.
- Students need to be picked up on time during their dismissal times since there is no after school daycare at this time.

It is for each child's safety that they be dropped off and picked up on time every day!

Thank you,

Ana Candelaria

Principal