

## TMI Episcopal Return to Campus Protocols

The sections below contain information for the school's safe return to campus.

### ON-CAMPUS PROTOCOLS AND ADJUSTMENTS

- Prominent signage will be placed throughout campus to provide capacity guidelines and ensure safety in indoor spaces.
- Covered outdoor spaces will be utilized as dining areas and physically distant student gathering spaces.
- The beginning and end of school days drop-off and pick-up times will operate under controlled-ingress and egress.
- Access to campus will be limited to faculty, staff, and students only, except during drop-off and pick-up times.
- Parents and visitors will have remote access to faculty and staff and may visit with special permission in unusual circumstances.
- All TMI meetings and events for parents will take place virtually.
- Locker usage for students will be suspended until physical distancing requirements are scaled back.

### HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS

- Health and safety education training for all faculty and staff have already been completed. Students and parents will be required to complete health and safety training before returning to campus.
- Masks will be required by all adults and students while on campus.
- Five surgical masks will be supplied to each student monthly (grade 6 through grade 12) at the start of in-person learning. To request masks for your student, complete this [form](#). Additional masks for purchase will be available through the online [TMI Mask Store](#).
- Daily health screens, using the online screening found on the TMI App and on the TMI website, including temperature checks, will be required for all students, faculty, and staff. Any failed screenings will prompt a phone call from Stacy Smith, Healthcare Coordinator.
- Classroom spaces have been reorganized to allow physical distancing between students and teachers.

- Class schedules will be staggered and pedestrian circulation will be prescribed to support physical distancing and to avoid crowding.
- Frequent handwashing will be required and enforced.
- The delivery method and timing of lunch service will be adjusted to ensure safety.
- If a positive case is identified on campus, contact tracing will determine who will need to quarantine and those parents will be contacted via phone and email.

## ENHANCED CLEANING AND SANITIZING

- Temporary handwashing and hand-sanitizing stations will be installed in multiple locations throughout the campus.
- Classrooms and areas of high traffic will be cleaned and sanitized twice a day.
- Students and faculty will be trained on how to clean electronic touch surfaces.
- Extra supplies of sanitizer wipes, sanitizing spray, and soap will be provided in each classroom and throughout campus.

## TMI ATHLETICS

- Middle school athletics will be delivered remotely until students return to campus. Upon return, middle school athletic teams will practice, but not compete.
- Upper school contact sports, including football and cheerleading, will not compete and are suspended until students return to campus. Options for practices will be evaluated upon return.
- Upper school volleyball and cross country teams will begin practices on Sept. 8 and will be allowed to compete. Strict practice plans incorporating cleanliness and sanitation will be followed.
- All athletes and teams will follow TMI's protocols and procedures for health and safety.

## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES - ARTS, CLUBS, RESIDENTIAL LIFE

- Club and other extracurriculars will be a hybrid of small group in-person and virtual activities. Meetings, when in-person, will follow TMI's protocols and procedures for health and safety.
- All Residential Life activities will follow local and state health guidelines in conjunction with the Residential Life COVID Action Plan.
- Residential Life will focus on creating more on campus activities during the weekends to keep students engaged and having fun as a community while off campus activities are limited.

## WELLNESS AND STUDENT SUPPORT

- The Wellness and Student Support team will remain available for support to our community in person or virtually, as needed. Please reach out on our website under the COVID-19 tab.
- Advisory program, 5 days a week, is designed to provide additional support for students with a faculty member in a small group setting.
- New protocols will ensure clear and consistent communication paths to support faculty on the emotional, academic, medical, and spiritual health of our students.
- Small group on campus activities will be held to support student needs and community building.
- Parent Education will be conducted that helps communicate initiatives, decisions, policies, practices for ALL aspects of our campus and can help everyone in our community.
- Work on matters related to diversity, equity, and inclusion will continue with additional support available to all community members.