

# Highlands School District Task Force for Reopening Schools Meeting

July 7, 2020

## Talking Points

1. Masks and face shields for all students and staff; district and parent-provided
2. Purchase of laptops/tablets for each student
3. Purchase of elementary component for Highlands Virtual Academy (HVA) to have a full-week remote K-12 option
4. HVA as the full-week remote learning option / 9-week commitment
5. Parent Survey review
  - a. Highlights: Approximately 75% in favor of split (hybrid) week  
Majority prefer teacher-led learning for remote days  
Approximately 41% able to provide transportation
6. Special School Board Meeting in July to approve Health & Safety Plan; gives parents time to arrange child care
7. Task Force Vote on Reopening Plan
  - a. Hybrid schedule with synchronous learning
    - i. Group A – M/T in school and W/Th remote
    - ii. Group B – M/T remote and W/Th in school
    - iii. Everyone – Remote on Friday
    - iv. Deep cleaning Tuesday evening, Friday & Saturday
    - v. Schedule siblings in the same group (if parents prefer)
8. Discussion of Special Education student needs
9. Decide date for parent decision (hybrid or HVA)
10. Cameras in classrooms for synchronous learning and remote student participation
11. Grading (not pass/fail)