

Khalsa Montessori School Plan for Onsite Services

Our commitment has been and will continue to be the well-being of the children and staff. State and county health departments have advised that the safest place for children is at home. Khalsa Montessori School will be offering instruction through distance learning for all students through at least October 12, 2020. Decisions to reopen the campus to all students during the 2020-2021 school year will depend on ADHS and PCHD recommendations and benchmarks.

However, as a public charter school we offer free on-site learning and support services for the needs of certain students, including those who need a place for supervised remote learning during the regularly scheduled school day. Special Education and English Language Learning instructors may contact families regarding occasions for onsite learning. Study hall at the River Road campus is a monitored learning environment for k-8 students from both the Camden and River sites. When space permits, kindergarten students may be placed in Khalsa Montessori primary classrooms for their monitored learning experience.

To enroll a child in study hall, participants will complete our study hall enrollment form and study hall agreement form. Enrollment forms will be due by the first of each month in order to begin attending on the 15th of that month.

Enrolled students will be learning on-site, but their teacher will be teaching remotely. Students will be supervised during the day by an adult monitor on campus and must adhere to the school safety protocols including: a daily health screening, physical distancing from other students, hand hygiene, and mask wearing. Study Hall hours will be consistent with regular school hours. Extended care will not be provided. Children must arrive by 9:00 am to complete the health screening for the day.

- Study Hall will be hosted at the River campus
- Study Hall will be open consistent with the regular school calendar and regular school hours.
- Study Hall check-in and screening will be at the front gate of the River campus between 8:15-9:00. Students who arrive after 9:00 will not be admitted.
- Pick up M, T, Th, F will also be at the front gate at 3:00. Wednesday pick up is at 2:00. On other early release days scheduled in the school calendar, pick up is at 12:00.
- Students will bring a mask, lunch, and water bottle each day. Water fountains are closed on campus.
- Students will be in cohorts of approximately 10 or fewer students, divided by grade levels. The groups will operate as separate cohorts and will not interact during the day.
- The school will provide chromebooks and headphones. Students should bring their other school supplies as assigned by their classroom teacher. Students are welcome to bring their own devices if preferred. Some students may benefit from noise cancelling headphones.
- Monitors will assist the students as needed and help keep them on task, but all questions regarding class assignments and curriculum should go to the child's classroom teacher.
- Students will take a regular 1 hour lunch/recess break and other outdoor breaks as needed.

- Students will practice healthy hygiene and social distancing, including frequent hand washing, keeping 6 feet apart and mask wearing, throughout the day during work time, lunch, and recess.