



**PARENT/GUARDIAN HEALTH AND
SAFETY AGREEMENT
FOR IN-PERSON HYBRID
INSTRUCTION
2020-2021**



I have read, understand, and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. COVID-19 Plan

- a. Parent/Guardian acknowledges receipt and review of the School's COVID-19 Prevention Plan, which is available online:

<https://bellamentecharter.org/school-reopening/>

- b. Parent/Guardian agrees to review the following information with the child(ren); including (select the format that works best):

Face Coverings	Poster	Video, Video	Information
Social Distancing	Poster	Video	Information
Healthy Hygiene	Poster	Video	Information
Hand Washing Routines	Poster	Video	Information
Stay Home When Sick	Poster	Video	Information
COVID-19 Symptoms	Poster	Video	Information

- c. Parent/Guardian agrees to review other information shared by the school with the child(ren), which may include:
 - Hybrid Learning Return to School Video
 - Hand Washing/Hand Sanitizing Expectations
- d. In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, the School will also review these rules and protocols with students throughout the school year.

2. Daily Home Health Screening of Child(ren)

Parent/Guardian agrees to screen their child(ren) for COVID-19 before taking child(ren) to school each day. Specifically, Parent/Guardian agrees to do all of the following:

- a. Parent/Guardian shall screen child(ren) for any of the following symptoms associated with COVID-19: cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, or diarrhea. Parent/Guardian agrees that if the child(ren) presents with any of these symptoms, Parent/Guardian will not send the child(ren) to school and will notify the school of the absence and any symptoms experienced.
- b. Parent/Guardian shall take the temperature of the child(ren) using an operable thermometer. Parent/Guardian agrees that if the child(ren) has a temperature of 100.0°F or above, Parent/Guardian will not send the child(ren) to school and notify the school of the absence. Parent/Guardian further understands and agrees that the child(ren) will not be sent to school if the child(ren) has/have



been administered medication for the purpose of reducing a fever within the last 24 hours.

- c. In the event the child(ren) has been exposed to anyone who has tested positive for COVID-19 in the last two weeks, Parent/Guardian will not send the child(ren) to school. Parent/Guardian shall notify the School that the student has been kept home for this reason. Parent/Guardian understands that the child(ren) will not be able to return to school until permitted by the School in compliance with direction from the San Diego Health & Human Services Agency and the San Diego Public Health Order.

3. Health Screenings at School

Under the current health guidance, health screenings are not required at drop off to school. If guidance is updated, Parent/Guardian understands and agrees all students may undergo visual wellness checks and may have their temperature checked at school.

To prevent the spread of COVID-19:

- a. Student (or Parent/Guardian) may be asked questions regarding whether the student has experienced any of the symptoms associated with COVID-19 in the last 24 hours.
- b. Student (or Parent/Guardian) may be asked questions regarding whether the student has been recently exposed to someone who tested positive for COVID-19.
- c. Student's temperature may be checked using a touchless UV thermometer.

4. Face Coverings

- a. Parent/Guardian understands and agrees that unless exempt, students in Transitional Kindergarten – Grade 8 must wear face coverings,
- b. Parent/Guardian understands and agrees that the child(ren) may be excluded from in-person instruction if they refuse to wear a face covering consistent with the rules set forth in the School's COVID-19 Prevention Plan.

5. Exhibiting Symptoms at School.

- a. Parent/Guardian understands and agrees that if the child(ren) exhibits any symptom(s) associated with COVID-19, as noted in Section 2 above, during the school day, Parent/Guardian will pick the child(ren) up from school as soon as reasonably possible.
- b. When Parent/Guardian arrives at the school, Parent/Guardian will call the School's Front Office and remain in the vehicle to await further instruction from the office staff.
- c. Parent/Guardian understands and agrees that if students are sent home for any symptom(s) associated with COVID-19, they need to follow the [SDCOE COVID-19 Symptom Guidance Decision Tree](#) before returning to school. Students may return to school if: a) fever free for 24 hours (without meds), b) symptoms are improving, and c) 10 days since onset of symptoms. Students who have a negative PCR Covid-19 viral test may return to school after 72 hours, symptom free.



6. Disclosure to Help Prevent Community Spread of COVID-19

Parent/Guardian understands and agrees that if the child(ren) tests positive for COVID-19 or if the School otherwise reasonably suspects the child(ren) is infected with COVID-19, the School is required to notify the San Diego Health & Human Services Agency. Additionally:

- a. In order to conduct contact tracing, the School may be required to contact the child(ren)'s close contacts who may have been exposed to the virus. To protect student privacy, only those close contacts that may have been exposed to someone with the infection will be informed. The identity of the individual infected with COVID-19 will not be shared.
- b. To help protect against community spread, the School may be performing its own contact tracing. Parent/Guardian agrees for the School to ask the child(ren) and Parent/Guardian questions about anyone within the school community who the child(ren) may have had close contact with during the timeframe they may have been infectious.

7. Nondiscrimination

- a. The School prohibits discrimination against any student who has been diagnosed with COVID-19, whose family member has been diagnosed with COVID-19, or who is perceived to be a COVID-19 risk. If you feel your child(ren) is being discriminated against as a result of COVID-19, please notify the School immediately.

8. Responsibility to Isolate or Quarantine

- a. Parent/Guardian understands that the School may direct the child(ren) to isolate because of a confirmed or suspected COVID-19 infection, or quarantine because the child(ren) has been in close contact with someone suspected of, or confirmed to have a COVID-19 infection. If directed to isolate or quarantine, Parent/Guardian understands and agrees to the following:

Students who are required to isolate or quarantine, but feel well enough to participate in distance learning are expected to continue to attend school through work assigned by the classroom teacher.

Students who are required to isolate or quarantine may not return to in-person instruction until permitted to do so by the School in compliance with direction from the San Diego Health & Human Services Agency and the current San Diego Public Health Order.

- b. If an entire cohort or class is quarantined, teachers will provide distance learning.

9. Visitors

Parent/Guardian understands that due to the current public health emergency, nonessential visitors, including volunteers, will not be permitted to be on campus. Parents must wear masks when dropping students off and must stay outside of school gates.



10. Recommended At-Home Cleaning Procedures

In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, the School encourages Parent/Guardian to frequently wash child(ren)'s commonly touched items such as face coverings, backpacks, lunch boxes, water bottles, and clothes.

11. Stable Groups and Spacing

Students will be in stable groups, generally with up to 12-16 students (where class sizes are 28 students respectively). Student desks will be spaced 6 feet apart as much as possible. Students that attend special services may be also in additional small groups. Every attempt will be made to keep groups stable so that there is a consistent contact group.

Notice: Although safety measures recommended by public agencies can reduce the likelihood of COVID-19 virus exposure, they cannot fully eliminate all risk. There is a risk of exposure to the COVID-19 virus whenever you enter or access any public facilities, such as stores, restaurants, parks and schools. As with any other public school, students and families will assume these risks by electing to return to campus. Because of these risks, we will continue to offer a distance learning program for students who do not wish to return to campus when it reopens.

Please confirm you have received, read, understand, and agree to all the above terms set forth in the School's Parent/Guardian Health and Safety Agreement for Hybrid In-Person Instruction for the 2020-2021 School Year.