



FORECASTING 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR - COVID-19 Update #9

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Greetings South Central Conference Parents,

I pray all is well with you and your families. South Central Conference administrators and teachers are tentatively scheduled for a week of in-service and professional development activities during the first week of August.

- **Traditional Learning Platform:** Approximately 43% of our student body is receiving classroom instruction through the on-site learning platform. This data is based on parents who opted to have their child participate in the Traditional Learning Platform for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year. At this time, students and all school staff are continuing the wearing of masks, practicing social distancing and other guidelines set forth by the original COVID-19 SCC Schools Reopening Plan.
- **Forecast for 2021-2022 School Year:** South Central Conference Schools are forecasting the full implementation of the on-site Traditional Learning Platform for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year. This green light is due to extensive collaboration and advisement from CDC health officials across four states and COVID-19 task force members. Although we are cautiously optimistic about returning to some form of normality for the 2021-2022 school year, if there are any changes with this forecast, families will be notified.
- **Mandated COVID-19 Guidelines:** Whereas, we are excited about the anticipated return to the building, we will continue to govern ourselves with a risk-based approach to maximize the safety of our students, staff and community. Should there be any mandated guidelines for your child's return to school for the 2021-2022 school year, local administrators will provide these guidelines in writing. You may also visit iamsouthcentral.org for further updates concerning South Central Conference COVID-19 guidelines.

It is the commitment of the South Central Conference education department to do everything possible to offer your child a **Quality Christian Education** in a safe environment that is conducive to learning. Please do not hesitate to reach out to your school for any additional assistance for your child during these challenging times.

In His service,

Johnny Holliday
SCC Education Superintendent

