Welcome back to the 2020-21 school year. I want to thank you for your support, patience and work last spring. It was a start to an interesting time in history, that is still being created.

The first two pages of this document is the school district's re-opening guidelines. Please become familiar with these requirements. We all need to understand for us to have kids back in our buildings and kids in front of teachers, we have to play by these rules.

The last page you will find information concerning the 2020-21 registration. We will be screening parent(s) and students as they come in for registration. The screening guidelines found within the re-opening summary will be followed. Masks will be required when we can't keep 6ft distancing. Please bring your own face covering...mask, neck sleeve or bandana.

Lincoln County School District #2 School Re-Opening Summary

Masks

- o Students, teachers and school staff shall wear face coverings both indoors and outdoors where 6 feet of separation cannot be maintained. (Statewide Order effective August 1)
- o Some exemptions are allowed- medical condition, mental health condition or disability that prevents wearing a face covering. Documentation will be required.
- o Alternate face coverings may be considered during the school day for instructional purposes.

• Transportation

- o Six foot spacing of students during transportation to and from the facility shall be maintained as much as practicable; face coverings shall be worn during transportation when six feet of separation cannot be maintained. (Statewide Order effective August 1)
- o Buses will be sanitized before each run.

Positive test in classroom (student or staff)

o LCSD#2 will work in collaboration with the Lincoln County Public Health Office. Considerations, on a case-by-case basis, will be made for the following: communication, sanitization, temporary re-location of classroom and targeted closing based on public health orders.

• Lunch

o Refer to specific school plan. Some schools will eat in cafeterias, others will eat in classrooms. Meals will be prepackaged. Staff will deliver the meals.

• Cleaning/Sanitization

o Additional measures for cleaning and sanitization will be taken, ie: additional custodial staff hired and disinfection of surfaces throughout the day. All cleaning products meet the requirements of the CDC and OSHA.

• Remote Learning vs. Virtual Learning

- o **Remote** Classes delivered by a teacher located in a physical classroom with students present while also providing simultaneous remote instruction. Remote education instruction is delivered through interactive, synchronous technology which allows the student receiving the remote education to ask questions, make comments, and interact in real-time with the teacher, classroom students, and other remote students. Students must be enrolled in LCSD#2. Attendance will be taken morning and afternoon. Can only be used on a temporary basis.
- o **Virtual** Virtual education instruction is primarily delivered through technology and can be asynchronous or synchronous. This service is not available at this time for students in grades K-6. We are working on getting approval to offer this for students in grades 7-8. Students in grades 9-12 have this option available. Students must be enrolled in LCSD#2.

• Students on an IEP

- o Considerations by the IEP Team (including the parent) for students with IEP's that have communication needs, medical needs, and other at-risk factors to access the general curriculum in Tier 1.
- o Options for remote IEP meetings will still be available and encouraged.

• Parent Responsibilities -- Home Screening - EVERYDAY

• Screening Criteria (Suggested Guidelines for 2020-21)

Temperature	If 100.4 or higher not permitted to be present at facility (Stay Home)
Temperature	If 99-100.4 + additional symptom not permitted in facility (Stay Home)
Symptom Questions	 Any shortness of breath? Any cough? Any lack of smell/taste? Any unusual tiredness? Known exposure? (age appropriate)
If showing symptoms	Staff, student, participant not allowed to participate or be present at facility

- o Random onsite school screening may occur.
- o Send your child to school with a clean mask every day.
- O Send your child with a water bottle. Drinking fountains will be shut off but filling stations will be available.
- o Please do not send/bring class/classroom treats.

Please stay home when ill.

- When symptoms are known... stay home! D. Barnes
- O When in doubt, sit it out!
- O When temperature 100.4, close the door!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION – 2020-2021

CHS would like to invite you to our registration process for the 2020-2021 school year. We will be screening your temperature and asking a few health questions upon arrival. Please be willing to help us with this procedure, as well bring your own face covering for times we can't keep the 6ft distancing.

Registration is where you will pay fees, check lockers, adjust schedules if needed, and take care of any additional paperwork. If you have 7th or 9th graders, please try one of these times to attend because of 7th grade orientation, and 9th grade iPad orientation. We are aware you may have multiple students, please pick a time that works best for you to register all of your students in one trip. If you do not have multiple students, please keep to schedule below.

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7th Grade12:00 PM - Monday, August 17th 2020 - (Start at office-Lunch/Bills)7th Grade12:45 PM -- Monday, August 17th 2020 -- (Orientation/Digital Citizenship in Library)8th Grade1:00 PM -- Monday, August 17th 2020 -- (Start in Office)8h Grade1:45 PM -- Monday, August 17th 2020 -- (Digital Citizenship)9th Grade2:00 PM -- Monday, August 17th 2020 -- (Start in Office)9th Grade2:45 PM -- Monday, August 17th 2020 -- (iPad Orientation/Digital Citizenship-Lab)10th & 11th Grade11:00 AM-1:00 PM -- Tuesday, August 18th -- Open Registration11:45 AM & 1:45 PM iPad/Digital Citizenship Training12th Grade12:30 PM-1:30 PM -- Wednesday, August 19th -- Open Registration1:00 PM iPad/Digital Citizenship Training
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FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL - Monday, August 24th, 1st BELL @ 7:55 AM with classes starting @ 8AM.

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT - Wednesday, August 26th. This will be a video available after 4pm on Wednesday, August 26th from our website.

<u>iPADS</u> - The one-to-one iPad program will be available again this year for 9th-12th graders. We will have the updated information provided during the registration times. This year's cost is \$40 for annual use. Additional \$50 for replacement or repair cost will be required at time of incident.

ACTIVITY FEES - Student activity fees for 9th - 12th graders fee is \$25 per activity, **due first week of activity**. High School Choir, Band & Art also will have a \$10 fee. 6th, 7th & 8th graders will pay a \$20 one-year activities fee.

LUNCH PRICES - This year's lunch prices are: Breakfast \$1.75 (k-6), \$2.00 (7-12); Lunch \$2.75 (k-6), \$2.85 (7-8) & \$3.00 (9-12). Free and reduced lunch assistance is available for qualifying families. If you believe that you would benefit from this assistance, applications are available online at www.lcsd2.org and at CHS office. **Applications will not be mailed**.

DRESS CODE - Please remember to select jeans that are free from **holes**, dresses and skirts are **knee length**. Please make sure you select a **knee length** dress or skirt to wear with any style of leggings. Please review the **HAIR** policy. If you have any questions concerning the dress code, please refer to the Student Planner that has been updated online at www.cokeville.com to locate the dress code (policy JICA), or feel free to contact the CHS office.

CHALLENGE – I am a firm believer in the power of a Growth Mindset, meaning that students who give full effort and demonstrates perseverance are capable of educational(any) success. With that being said here are two challenges to us all:

- 1) Encourage your student(s) to take educational risks and tackle new challenges at school (classroom & extracurricular).
- 2) Emphasize perseverance(grit) and effort in all he/she does. Encourage giving best effort and not giving up on a new task.

Thank you for all your support in CHS and our kids. We are in a historic time. Please remain patient and adaptive to this time. My hope and goal is to keep our kids coming to school and in front of teachers.

Let's have a super year! Go Coke!

Brian Toomer