

CHESAPEAKE SCIENCE POINT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL

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Hello CSP Families,

It is hard to believe that one year ago, all in-person instruction came to a screeching halt. It was so refreshing to welcome students back to in-person learning and see them walk the halls of the institution that prepares them for their future endeavors!

Many of you have contacted the school to inquire about why your student was not included in the hybrid learning cohorts or have expressed a desire to have your student participate in hybrid learning. We used the data provided from the AACPS Return to School Survey that closed on January 24, 2021. If you did not complete that survey, your student automatically defaulted to the "remain virtual" category. We will begin accepting students who are on the waitlist starting April 8. Acceptance is based on space and availability. As space becomes available, a school representative will contact the parents of the students on the waitlist and discuss the next steps.

Over the past few weeks, my team and I have reviewed trends with student grades and submission of assignments. We have serious concerns with the trends that we observed. Our students' daily schedule will be adjusted to dedicate more time to instruction and student support. Beginning April 6, all class periods will last seventy minutes. The twenty-minute Small Group time will be absorbed into the instructional period. Please take time to have a conversation about the changes with your students to prepare for the adjustment.

Lastly, due to circumstances out of my control, credits to bus contracts were not applied by the promised March 17 date. The process is taking longer than I anticipated. I can assure you that we are working tirelessly to apply all credits. My apologies for the inconvenience this has caused you.

Sincerely,

Dwight L. Jefferson Principal