

MUSD Learning Model Commitment Selection Form for Staff

As we prepare for a return to on-campus learning, MUSD requires Staff to commit to one of the following Instructional Models.

Staff must select one of the following Models for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year:

- Model 1: Distance Learning+, if you select this Model, there are no additional actions required.
- Model 2: On-Campus Learning, if you select this Model, please assist the Board in determining which one of the following reopening options will be implemented by identifying the one that best meets your needs.
 - Introduce the Hybrid Model and transition to a Traditional on-campus setting when the county transitions to “Moderate Risk/Tier 3”.
 - OR**
 - Continue with Distance Learning and transition to a Traditional on-campus setting when the county transitions to “Moderate Risk/Tier 3”.

Please be sure to complete the Commitment Selection Form before 12:00/noon, Monday, October 5th.

Please read the Model descriptions below prior to making your selection. If you should have any questions reach out to your Site Association Representative.

Model 1: Distance Learning+



How it works

Learning will happen in a virtual at-home setting five days a week, consisting of synchronous (live instruction) and asynchronous (independent learning) time blocks.

Schedule

Distance Learning+ will follow the current instructional Model.

Attendance will be taken daily. During the school day, teachers will provide direct instruction. Students will also complete assignments and projects independently. Students will have access to online materials and supports.

Opting-in

Staff selecting this option must remain with the Distance Learning+ Model through the 2020-2021 school year.

Model 2: On-Campus Learning (If selecting Model 2, please choose one of the following.)

Introduce the Hybrid Model and transition to a Traditional on-campus setting.



How it works

The Hybrid Learning Model will transition to a Traditional on-campus setting (when the county transitions to “Moderate Risk/Tier 3”) five days a week, adhering to safety guidelines (per [COVID-19 Guidance for Schools, published by the Riverside University Health System/Public Health, released on September 22, 2020](#)).

Learning will happen on-campus, in a classroom setting, two half days a week for Group A (Monday and Tuesday) and two half days a week for Group B (Thursday and Friday).

Learning will also include distance learning five days a week consisting of synchronous (live instruction) and asynchronous (independent learning) time blocks for both Group A and Group B ([see schedules attached](#)).

Schedule

The Hybrid option will follow a modified on-campus half-day schedule (shortened half-day schedule for TK/K) with a distance-learning component. When transitioned to Traditional, the Model will follow the traditional five full-day a week on-campus program for elementary and the established block schedule for middle school.

Safety first

Safety is a top priority for all levels. Because limiting the number of people in the school at one time is a critical factor in controlling the spread of COVID-19, an AA/BB hybrid attendance schedule will allow for social distancing.

Please note: the hybrid model will limit, and in some cases eliminate, student interactions (i.e., assemblies, recess, etc.) due to social distancing. Per the California Department of Public Health, adults and students in grades 3rd through 8th are required to wear a mask; students in TK through 2nd grade, face coverings are recommended.

Opting-in

Staff selecting Hybrid to Traditional must remain in this Model through the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year unless otherwise notified.

OR

Continue with Distance Learning and transition to a Traditional on-campus setting.



How it works

The Distance Learning Model will transition to a Traditional on-campus setting (when the county transitions to “Moderate Risk/Tier 3”) five days a week, adhering to safety guidelines (per [COVID-19 Guidance for Schools, published by the Riverside University Health System/Public Health, released on September 22, 2020](#)).

Learning will happen in a virtual at-home setting five days a week, consisting of synchronous (live instruction) and asynchronous (independent learning) time blocks.

Schedule

Distance Learning will follow the current instructional Model.

Attendance will be taken daily. During the school day, teachers will provide direct instruction. Students will also complete assignments and projects independently. Students will have access to online materials and supports.

When transitioned to Traditional, the Model will follow the traditional five full-day a week on-campus program for elementary and the established block schedule for middle school.

Opting-in

Staff selecting Distance Learning to Traditional Learning must remain in this Model through the 2020-2021 school year unless otherwise notified.