



Lexington County School District One

Implementing Phase Two – the “Four Plus One” model

“Our goal is not just to open but to stay open. We must take deliberate steps and do safety checks along the way as we bring back more and more students.” – Dr. Greg Little, Superintendent

What is the Four Plus One instructional model?

- Four days of face-to-face learning a week (Monday–Thursday)
- One day of e-learning (Friday)

When does the Four Plus One model begin?

- Monday, October 5, 2020

Which students begin the Four Plus One model on Oct. 5?

- All Cohort A and B prekindergarten through second-grade students
- All Cohort A and B PreK–Grade 12 students with Individualized Education Plans currently served in self-contained classrooms (G3–12 students with 504 plans or IEPs for resource and speech only not included)
- Some Cohort A and B English Language Learners

Why were all Cohort A and B prekindergarten through second-grade students chosen?

- The desks of all Pre-K–G2 students have or will have Plexiglass dividers by Oct. 5.
- Younger students need more face-to-face support from teachers.
- They already wear masks on the bus and on campus proving they can wear them in class.
- Elementary students do not change classes.
- They stay with their classroom family throughout the day.
- They rarely travel the halls as meals, etc. are delivered to their rooms.

When will other students come back to school in the Four Plus One model?

- Cohort A and B third through fifth-grade students begin transitioning on Monday, October 19.
- Some middle and high school students begin to come back then, too, as the district focuses on priority groups.
- Schools will continue to phase in Cohort A and Cohort B students in grades 6–12 throughout the first semester as it is safe to do so.

Are Online Learning Academy students impacted?

- The plan does not impact the district’s Online Learning Academy students.



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