



WELCOME

Expectations

- ❑ Presentation will be recorded. Feel free to turn off your camera if you do not wish to be on video.
- ❑ Throughout the presentation we will pause to answer questions from the chat. Please be patient if we are not able to answer your question immediately.
- ❑ Be considerate in using the chat so that attendees are able to focus on the presentation.
- ❑ Additional logistical information for August will be shared during the summer. We are still finalizing specific details.

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At your service!



Our Commitment

We plan to welcome all scholars for the 2021-2022 school year with full-time, in-person learning.



Local and National Guidance

Mayor Muriel Bowser's announcement of April 8 stated that, this fall, all public schools will open for in-person learning, five days a week, with all educators back in the classroom.

Mayor Bowser's announcement of May 10 lifted capacity limits at schools and other public spaces. Subsequently, the mask mandate was lifted for vaccinated people only.

DC Health issued guidance for schools on May 19 stating that social distancing recommendations, masking, and other mitigation strategies remain in effect.

The Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) has suggested that, in the fall, virtual learning will be an option **only** for students with a medical necessity documented by an IEP or 504 plan for next school year. Guidance on this issue is forthcoming.

Mayor's Guidance for Schools – May 19

"Promoting physical distancing and cohorts: three feet of physical distancing is recommended between students in elementary school while in classrooms."

"Given the benefits of in-person learning, schools should make adjustments to their implementation of these recommendations when strict adherence would prevent all students from returning to the school building."

Stokes' Interpretation- we are committed to maintaining social distancing in classrooms whenever possible while welcoming all students. We plan to maximize our outdoor space as much as possible in order to maintain appropriate social distancing.

[Link](#)



Pause for Questions

SY 2021 – 2022 Plans

East End: Students in-person full time M-F

Brookland: Students in-person full time M-F; some students in modular units on campus.

The School Day – Both Campuses

The school day will run 8:00-3:30, with a staggered arrival and dismissal.

We are not currently planning to offer before care.

The afterschool program WILL be offered. We are planning compelling and enriching activities for students that we can offer within the restrictions of the grade level cohorts.

Specials may remain virtual, with students attending PE daily and attending either art OR music daily (rotating by week).

We are exploring a contract with a FoodCorps volunteer to teach garden at both campuses.

After School Sign Up

- <https://stokesaakf.wixsite.com/aakf>
- Monday- Friday from 3-5:45pm with supper
- Sliding scale \$60-\$90 a week
- 2 or more children there is a 20% discount

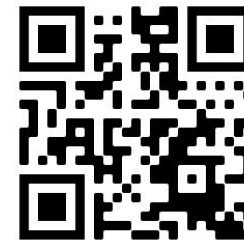
Brookland

<http://bit.ly/StokesAfterBK>



East End

<http://bit.ly/StokesAfterEE>



SY 2021-2022 Academic Calendar

[SY 21-22 Calendar](#)

First Day of School (K-5th): August 30

First Day of School (PK): August 31

February Break: February 21-25

Last Day of School Students: June 23

Last Day of School Teachers: June 24

All you need to know: Communications

- Stokes School Website
- ParentSquare Platform
- Classroom groups
- Social Media



- New Families Quick Guide



Pause for Questions

COVID MITIGATION PRACTICES

HVAC upgrades, cleaning protocols, and COVID testing and response procedures.

Encourage and support staff vaccination

Masking and hygiene procedures

Maximize our outdoor spaces

COVID 19-Testing

On May 17th Stokes School started 100% of all staff testing will be done on a weekly basis

Stokes School has now partnered with ShieldT3. ShieldT3 Covid-19 is a clear saliva PCR test with a 95-97% accuracy rate

The operation's team will be responsible for the in house logistics and observing process

Testing will occur for students every Monday (EE as scholars arrive, BK one hour after scholars have eaten lunch)

Testing will occur for staff every Monday (EE upon arrival, BK upon arrival)

A courier picks up from each campus the day off, and takes to the lab (Gallaudet University)

Results are known between 6-12 hours

Should someone's test come back positive, you will be notified immediately.

Welcome

While at the collection site, please practice social distancing and wear a mask except when providing saliva. The Shield T3 test is non-invasive and shouldn't take more than 3 minutes. Follow the guidelines below and any instructions you receive from site staff.



Prep



Do not eat, drink, smoke, or brush your teeth within an hour of your test.



Everyone **MUST** sanitize their hands.



Retrieve a vial and funnel.

Provide Saliva



Remove the cap and hold on to it.



Attach the funnel securely to the vial.



Deposit 1 to 1.5ml of saliva into the funnel.



Remove the funnel and discard it in a waste container.



Screw the cap on the vial and tighten so the vial is completely sealed.

Verification



Sanitize the vial and your hands with a sanitizing wipe.



Put your vial in the bag, and seal.



QC inspection completed by testing staff.



Testing staff will scan vial and input student ID.



Testing staff will place the scanned sample into the collection bag.

Questions & Answers from the Community

From Parents to Parents

- ❑ **Stokes Mentoring Program**
 - ❑ East End: Nicole Aiken – Meron Benn
 - ❑ Brookland: Zina Abdelaziz – Ana Maria Donado

- ❑ **PTA (Parent Teacher Association)**
 - ❑ East End: Anne McCormick
 - ❑ Brookland: Kristine Erickson

- ❑ **Equity Team:** Stacey Yonkers

- ❑ **Room Parents**
 - ❑ 2 parents per classroom

Breakout Room



Gracias & Merci

Thank you all for your time,
support, commitment to your
children's education and
development