



PLANNING WITH INTENTION - 2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR

We are the right model at this moment because of our size, our dedicated faculty and our ability to pivot quickly. We're here to ensure our students and families have the best learning experience possible no matter the location. As a school of transformation, innovation, and impact, we are ready to deploy alternative plans as the school year progresses.

In the Fall of 2020, we are returning with a weekly schedule that includes distance learning, as mandated by the state. Large group gatherings such as assemblies, celebrations and other types of community events will be redesigned under physical distancing criteria. We will ensure we maintain a continued sense of community and connection.

Compass is nimble; we are prepared for a variety of scenarios - from in-person instruction to distance learning. During this extraordinary time, our highest priority is the health and safety of our students and staff. We remain committed to delivering a strong academic program while attending to the social emotional needs of the community. While students are on campus, we are prepared to follow all of the current public health guidelines to manage spread in our community.



ON-CAMPUS PRIORITIZING SAFETY

- Smaller groups leading to greater differentiation and personalization of learning
- Faculty understanding of individual students' needs
- Re-imagining how space is used in the school to accommodate learning and social distancing
- Increased focus on Advisory for student communication
- Outdoor lunch and socialization areas to enable social distancing without isolating students

ONLINE LEARNING WITH INTENTION

- Proper pacing for students that learn differently
- No more than three periods per online instruction day
- Increased individualized instruction and support
- Scheduled one-on-one time with teachers
- Review of materials rather than introduction of new materials
- Ability to move quickly to 100% online instruction should it become necessary



Compass is committed and ready to return to the school in August, predicated on a shifting, fluid health situation. Ultimately, our top priority is the safety and health of the Compass community.
