

2021-22 Response Level Learning Plan

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Based on current projections, LJA does not anticipate the need for distance learning in the 2021-22 SY. Regardless, LJA is well prepared to respond to changing conditions.*

Summary by Division

Division	Response Level 1 Low Risk	Response Level 1+ Increased Risk	Response Level 2 Heightened Risk	Response Level 3 High Risk
Junior School (PK-JK)	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning	Distance learning for all students. On-campus options may be available
Lower School (K-5)	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning	Distance learning for all students. On-campus options may be available
Middle School (6-8)	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning. Distance learning offered	Distance learning for all students
High School (9-12)	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning	Face-to-face learning. Distance learning offered	Distance learning for all students

Rationale

From May 2020 through present (February 2021), LJA's Response Framework has been successful in minimizing COVID presence and transmission on campus at Levels 1 through Level 2. When one considers the number of student and staff interactions that have occurred among 1,000+ people over the past 300 days, evidence reveals that the incidence of COVID on campus and of transmission is extremely low: 3 cases and 0 transmissions. We don't have data around incidence and transmission of COVID at Level 3, but our sense is that families and staff are sufficiently concerned about safety at Level 3 that face-to-face learning does more harm than good. At Level 2, distance learning is introduced as an option in Middle School and High School where the program supports synchronous instruction for students learning face-to-face or remotely. In contrast, the grouping (bubbles) structure in Lower School permits face-to-face learning with significant modifications throughout Level 2.