

# Jackson Preparatory & Early College



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## 2020-2021 Return to Learn

Dear Falcon Families,

The JPEC Team and I have been working on our Preparedness Plan Phases, and I know that each of you may be anxious as you wait for details on our plan to return to school on Monday, August 31. As always, safety remains our top priority. Additionally, we have always focused on being a district that is flexible and adaptable, and these attributes will certainly be necessary as we all begin school again this fall. This letter and the included links and attachments will give you the big picture of the framework behind our planning, which will be provided to all in the next couple of weeks.

All of us have likely experienced significant change in our daily lives due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and JPEC, like other schools across the State and Nation, will also need to adjust procedures to provide a safe and healthy learning environment for all students and staff. We are working directly with Jackson College and coordinating with Jackson County Intermediate School District and the Jackson County Health Department to ensure we are applying best practices and protocols. Additionally, we have implemented the guidance and recommendations made by the CDC, State of Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, Governor's Office, and the Michigan Department of Education within our phased reopening plans.

### LEARNING OPTIONS

You will see three learning options within our phased plans:

- 1.) Fully virtual five (5) days a week
- 2.) Part time through a hybrid schedule - in-person two (2) days a week and virtual three (3) days a week
- 3.) In-person four (4) days a week and virtual one (1) day a week.

***We need to hear from each of you!*** What are your preferences and needs?

Click the links below, **OR** review the included attachments, to read more about the different phases and options and to access our Falcon Feedback survey.

[Falcon Feedback Survey](#)

[Reopening Phases Summary Matrix](#)

[Board and authorizer approved Reopening Plan Phases](#)

[Workforce Preparedness Plan](#)

Sincerely,

  
Shane A. Malmquist