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Satori School Update ~ October 9, 2020

Dear Satori students and families,

Thank you to everyone who filled out the survey we sent last week. I know it was a fast turnaround, but I find that getting anything out in a timely manner right now is quite difficult. We spent most of our week finalizing safety plans, connecting with teachers, and working through all the small details. I can guarantee we missed a few things so I apologize in advance for all the emails you might receive in the next few weeks.

Here are some answers to questions I received:

- After Fall Break (October 19th) we will begin our hybrid (in-person)/remote teaching for Kindergarten through 2nd grade. Preschool will be fully in-person.
- Each class will enter a different part of the campus at staggered times.
- We will not offer any morning Extended Care
- We will be offering afternoon Extended Care. You will be receiving a form if you are interested in extended care. There will be no drop-off options and Extended Care will end at 5:00 pm so our staff can sanitize before they leave. Extended Care will only be available on the days your child comes to school for in-person instruction.
- At this time, we have no idea what will happen in January. Our plan is to continue with our new plan and hope we will all be back at some point.
- Each class will get a schedule as to the start and end time of class. This will vary for everyone.
- Cohorts are in the process of being made. Teachers will be looking at what that looks like. We are hoping to get that out to you soon.
- We are trying to work with families that have requested certain days.
- Classes will not comingle this year. Each class will eat in their classroom or outside and take their own recess. Masks will be encouraged at all times, but students will have designated safe places they can remove their masks for a short (no more than 5 minutes) break.
- There is a possibility that some classes will be able to come back on a M,T,TH,F schedule if the teacher is comfortable with that. In order for that to happen, in-person count would need to be less than 10.
- We are still looking at the details on what will happen with our students that are already on campus. Please keep an eye out for more details.

Thank you to everyone for your kind words and support. I appreciate everyone as we continue to navigate through all of this.

Have a wonderful Fall Break and I am excited to see some of you on Oct 19th,

Jo