



# YK1 SCHOOL RE-ENTRY PLANS

## ÉCOLE SIR JOHN FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL

At École Sir John Franklin High School, every effort is being made to ensure a return to school that is as smooth as possible; nevertheless, the 2020-2021 school year will not be a return to “normal”. Although our school reopening plan prioritizes a robust return to in-person classes for our students, the details of our day-to-day operations must align with the guidelines set out by the Office of the Chief Public Health Officer.

In broad strokes, this is what it looks like for SJF students. We are working toward having our Grade 8 and 9 students return to full-time daily classes. For these students, the day will begin at 8:30 a.m. and will finish at 3:30 p.m., with a heavily-choreographed at-school lunch hour. Students in Grades 10-12 will also return to daily in-person classes, but through a compressed schedule. What this means is that students will attend in-person each day for half the day where they will receive direct instruction from their regular classroom teachers. The other part of the day will involve completing school work away from the campus, whether that be in the morning or the afternoon. Morning kids will attend classes from 8:30-11:30 a.m., and afternoon kids will attend classes from 12:30-3:30 p.m.

### **Programming** (Academics, Specialties, and CTS option classes):

- Students will receive the full curriculum for all academic courses, and our specialty and CTS programs will be operating with modifications to adhere to the health guidelines provided by the CPHO.

### **Entering and exiting the school:**

- Students in Grades 8 and 9 will use the front main entrance. Grade 10, 11 and 12 students will enter SJF via the NACC doors. The same students will use those same doors to exit the building at the end of their day. Doors open at 7:45 a.m. – students move directly to their classes upon arrival.

### **Daily details** (some common daily procedures and expectations):

- Locker use has been suspended. Backpacks and book bags are required
- Students will be guided through common areas by directional markings
- Masks must be worn in the hallways at all times as students move from one place to another

## Daily details continued

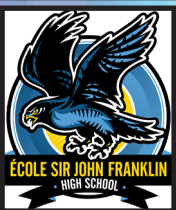
- Students and staff will wipe down all work areas at the end of each period
- Morning students must exit SJF by 11:45 a.m. Afternoon students can enter SJF at 12:00 p.m. and move directly to class. Those students must exit the school by 3:45 p.m.
- The lunch hour will be used to clean the school and to allow for student transition. Grade 8 and 9 students will eat lunch in assigned classrooms
- All students will have a full schedule. Any student prep periods will be reassigned to learning strategies in a designated room with supervision
- Our water bottle filling stations will be functional, and we encourage students to bring a water bottle to school each day
- SJF will have to implement visitor restrictions. We are asking parents to contact the school prior to dropping in
- Students in Grades 8 and 9, along with any new students in Grades 10-12, will have the opportunity for a school tour the week prior to the first day of school. More details will be sent out next week for those who are interested

## Important dates

- Office Opens: August 17, 2020
- Updated Student Schedules: Available on PowerSchool the week of August 17, 2020
- New Student School Tours: August 24 to August 28, 2020
- SJF Student Services Opens: August 24, 2020
- SJF Teaching Staff Start: August 25, 2020
- First Day of School for Students: August 31, 2020



**First Day of School:** August 31 • **Office Reopens:** August 17  
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