

Re-entry plan for Ecole Sir John Franklin High School

The Ecole Sir John Franklin High School (SJF) [Re-entry plan for 2020-21](#) outlines the safety measures the school will take to meet the guidelines of the Chief Public Health Officer. As noted in the plan, it isn't going to be a "normal" year for students, teachers or parents.

Student enrolment 2020-21: 735

Classroom (teaching space) in SJF: 48

Regulations and Safety Measures in Reopening School:

- Grade 8 & 9 students social distance at 1metre
- Grade 10 to 12 students social distance at 2metres
- Students over the age of 19yrs. are not to attend in-person classes at the same time or place as students under 19yrs. old.
- Increased spacing between desks and other furniture
- Non-medical masks for students whenever physical distancing cannot be maintained

QUESTIONS

1. What organizations worked on and approved the return to school plan for SJF?
2. Will this plan be revised moving forward? Can we check in after a month and consider some course corrections (e.g., revisions to the plan, additional supports)?
3. To your knowledge, were the NWT requirements the same as for other schools in Canada?
4. Did representatives of the school districts talk to each other when coming up with their plans?
5. Was there any way for the districts to work together or share resources to improve options?
6. Why are grade 12 students in YK1 not able to have the same level of in-person instruction as those in the YCS district?
7. Do you believe that 2021 grads from YCS will be better prepared for post-secondary education than those from YK1?

Grade 10 – 12 half-time in-person programming:

8. With respect to the decision to offer half-time in-person instruction for grades 10-12 - We will go over specific requirements you must meet.
9. Was there an option that would allow all students to receive full time in-person instruction?

10. Why were grade 10-12 students chosen to only receive halftime in-person instruction?
What were your considerations?
11. How many hours of in-person instruction will be given per subject?
12. How will students seek additional help from teachers outside of class time? Will students be able to contact their teachers for additional help when needed?

Grade 12 Programming:

13. Are there any other school districts in Canada offering grade 10-12 students only halftime in-person instruction this year?
14. Our grade 12 students will be expected to write the same diploma exams as students in Alberta. Will our students be at a disadvantage since they will not receive as much instruction as students in other jurisdictions?
15. Has YK1 given any consideration of how to ensure our grade 12 students are competitive with students from other regions of Canada when it comes to post-secondary education?
16. What, in your opinion, are the long-term effects of the decisions being made by YK1?