

## Return-to-School Family Preference Questionnaire

Yorkville CUSD 115 Families,

As we continue to finalize our plans for the 2020-21 school year, I want to update you on the district's plans for the 2020-2021 school year and the opportunities for you to provide feedback.

In accordance with [Phase 4 guidance from the Illinois State Board of Education](#) and corresponding direction from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Illinois Department of Public Health, our schools will be able to offer on-site learning for the 2020-2021 school year. Our 100-member transition teams have worked to develop preliminary plans so the district is prepared with three educational models for when students return to school in August:

1. On-site attendance only
2. E-learning only
3. Hybrid (partially onsite, partially e-learning)

When on-site, all District 115 students and employees will be required to adhere to established health and safety requirements (*masks/face shields required during school day; physical distancing, fewer students in a classroom; mandatory assigned seating; cleaning protocols followed*).

In July, we will finalize all three plans using parent and employee input, and present them to the Board of Education for its approval on July 27. To gather this feedback from our families, we have developed a brief survey and opportunities for feedback on the plan. **I ask for your assistance in helping us ensure there is a smooth transition back to school for our students by participating in the following:**

1. **Survey:** Complete this brief preference [survey](#) prior to July 10 for each child in your household who is eligible to attend a Y115 school in the fall. Once the district plan is finalized for the 2020-21 school year at the end of July, you will be asked to make final decisions regarding transportation and other educational choices for your child.
2. **Website:** Follow the progress of the transition teams on the district website at [www.y115.org/2020-21](http://www.y115.org/2020-21)
3. **Forum:** Use the Zoom links below to access the [July 14](#) virtual presentation regarding the plans and to provide your input.
  - Early Childhood-Grade 6 Plans: 2-4 p.m. | <https://y115-org.zoom.us/j/92770814146>
  - Grades 7-12 Plans: 6-8 p.m. | <https://y115-org.zoom.us/j/97685467420>

Thank you in advance for your feedback. Your partnership with the district is greatly valued.

Sincerely,  
Dr. Tim Shimp  
Superintendent