Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Smart Start Plan KEY POINTS FOR PARENTS & FAMILIES

Smart Start Overview

SAFETY

New! Symptom Free School Protocol: If any symptoms of illness are present, students and staff will not go to school. New cleaning protocols are in place. Updates to COVID19 risk levels on the Kenai Peninsula are made daily

CHOICE WHERE WILL LEARNING HAPPEN?

Families will have the choice to elect for their children to:

1. *Attend their neighborhood school in person*
2. *Attend their neighborhood school through Remote Learning*
3. *Attend KPBSD Connections Homeschool*

CONTINUITY

Learning is designed for flexibility of location: in-person or remote. Each grade or subject course will have both the physical classroom option in school, and the virtual "remote" classroom where materials will be shared and lessons taught

CONSISTENCY

Schools will continually work to support students during this singular time in education. Students and parents will be able to count on WHO supports them, and WHERE to find materials, feedback, and access to learning

COMMUNICATION

KPBSD and schools will provide timely resources and information to staff, families, and publics. School websites will serve as a hub for their learning community and include contact information and virtual classroom links, school COVID19 risk level, updates, and school social media sites

When you enroll in your neighborhood school and choose to attend in person or via remote learning, or in KPBSD Connections Homeschool, your choice keeps education funding coming to KPBSD for the Kenai Peninsula, and offers options for students.

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