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Dear Storm Staff and Families,

I would like to take this opportunity and share with you the details surrounding our small group return-to-learn plan, which is scheduled to begin on Monday, November 16. Specific information regarding this plan is listed below. However, please know that these plans could change based on the COVID positivity rates and guidance from the CDC and IDPH.

Overview:

We recognize the importance in having our students return to in-person instruction. In doing so, we have created a gradual reintegration plan, that will hopefully result in all of our students being able to return to South Elgin High School in the near future. Our reintegration plan began with our students in the Transition Program nearly four weeks ago and has now evolved into small groups of students who, due to the nature of their curriculum, require the use of specific equipment. Each of the identified classes will be assigned one day per week to meet in the building with their teacher. Listed below are the selected courses that are scheduled to return the week of Monday, November 16. In addition, I have also provided guidelines and procedures that will be helpful for our students when they arrive on campus.

Arrival & Departure:

Transportation will be provided for those students identified through Infinite Campus as needing district provided transportation to get to the building. Students arriving on the bus will be dropped off at door #24 by 7:30 a.m. and will depart school at 2:30 p.m. Students not requiring transportation will be allowed to enter the building through either door #5 or door #51. Upon entering the building, all students will be required to wear a face mask and adhere to proper social distancing guidelines. SEHS staff will be positioned at each entrance reminding our students of this expectation. Please know that students will be allowed to leave the building after their assigned class provided they have been given permission from their parent/guardian.

Safety:

Face masks and social distancing are required for all individuals in and around the campus of South Elgin High School. Hand washing stations and sanitizer will be strategically placed throughout the building and students will be encouraged to utilize these resources frequently.

Lunch:

A prepackaged lunch will be available in the commons for all students returning to the building during their identified lunch period (see below).



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Small Group Return-To-Learn Schedule:

Day:	Class:	Instructional Period:	Classroom Location:	Teacher:	Assigned Lunch:
Monday	Wind Ensemble	7	Auditorium	Dobbeck	6
Tuesday	Concert Band	8	Auditorium	Dobbeck	7
Tuesday	Treble Choir	6	B-100	Brex-Castillo	5
Tuesday	Chamber Orchestra	6	Orchestra	Kleven	5
Tuesday	3D Art/Ceramics	1	Art Room	Dillehay	4
Tuesday	Advanced Autos	1-2	A-120	Schertz	6
Tuesday	Auto Service	7-8	A-120	Schertz	4
Tuesday (3:30-5:30pm)	Media & Digital Arts Production (Jr)	1 & 6	B-104, 105, 108	Erickson & Bozikis	N/A
Wednesday	Varsity Band	4	Auditorium	Dobbeck	5
Wednesday	Concert Choir	7	B-100	Brex-Castillo	6
Wednesday	Symphonic Orchestra	7	Orchestra	Kleven	6
Wednesday	Precision Manufacturing	7-8	A-124	Bartz	6
Thursday	Symphonic Band	5	Auditorium	Dobbeck	6
Thursday	Chamber Choir	8	B-100	Brex-Castillo	5
Thursday	Concert Orchestra	8	Orchestra	Kleven	4
Thursday	3D Art/Ceramics	2	Art Room	Dillehay	4
Thursday	Advanced Autos	4-5	A-120	Schertz	6
Thursday (3:30-5:30pm)	Advanced Media & Digital Arts (Sr.)	4 & 6	B-104, 105, 108	Erickson & Bozikis	N/A
Friday	Varsity Band	3	Auditorium	Dobbeck	4

*Freshman and Sophomore Beacon students will have the opportunity to access the building as soon as extra-curricular activities resume.

**Junior and Senior Beacon students will be asked to fill out a survey identifying their transportation needs. This information will be used to arrange an activity bus both to and from the high school.



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Bell Schedule:

Period 1	8:30 - 9:10
Period 2	9:15 - 9:55
Period 3	10:00 - 10:40
Period 4	10:45 - 11:25
Period 5	11:30 - 12:10
Period 6	12:15 - 12:55
Period 7	1:00 - 1:40
Period 8	1:45 - 2:25

Attendance:

All students identified in the schedule noted above will have the opportunity to remain in the building for the duration of the day. However, students who choose to remain in the building will be required to report to one of the specified Learning Labs. Should students decided to leave the building following their in-person instruction, then they will need to exit through door #5 or door #51. Students will not be allowed to congregate in the hallways or remain in an unsupervised location.

Learning Labs:

Learning Labs are available for students to utilize throughout the day. Our Learning Labs will be supervised by a SEHS staff member and will be clearly marked for students to access during distance learning, while in the building. Our Learning Labs have been identified for the following locations: Library, Test Center, Maker’s Space Lab and the Collaboration Room.

I fully acknowledge this plan is far from perfect, as it only focuses on a small percentage of our student population. However, this plan does signify that we are moving forward and will continue to do so in order to ensure a safe return for all of our students.

Thank you for your ongoing support and Roll STORM!

Dr. Kurt Johansen
Principal
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