

Is Open!!!

THE ROAD BACK

RESTART AND RECOVERY FOR EDUCATION

September 3, 2020

CURRENT STATISTICS

Students in Cohort A	408 (31%)
Students in Cohort B	389 (29.5%)
Students in Cohort AB	135 (10.35) Kindergarten and Sp. Education
Students Fully Virtual	385 (29.2%)
Students Withdrawn	75

Branchburg Teachers on Leave 9

Support Staff on Leave 3

September 2020 Enrollment: 1317

October 2019 Enrollment: 1382

Total reduction in enrollment: 65 students

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

SEPTEMBER 1, 2 AND 3

- **22 Options for Teachers to learn platforms for synchronistic teaching**
- **Live Stream Training from Team Leaders**
- **Question and Answer Sessions by District and Building Staff**
- **Grade Level and Subject Area Collaborations**
- **Individual Help from building based “experts”**

- **Champions of Technology Training:** Eric Schaefer, Jen Anderson, Suzanne Updegrove, Danielle Puglisi, Marie Cinque, Kristen Allen, Erica Landesberg, Breanne Pratt, Kathleen Gaston, Lucy Plaza, Beth Janiec, Kelly Boyle, Catie Rello, Michelle Dooley, Kate Mileto, Lauren Knoke and John Gottshalk

THANK YOU

Administrative Team

District Staff

School Staff

Buildings and Grounds Department

Temco

TECHNOLOGY

- ✓ *Chromebooks have been distributed*
- ✓ *WiFi connections and hot spots distributed*
- ✓ *Classroom computers for staff will allow them to see and interact with the students at home*

<https://sites.google.com/branchburg.k12.nj.us/dlts/home>



SCHEDULING

180 Days of School For Students

- ✓ September 8 – 18 Single Session Days for Students
- ✓ September 21 Single Session Days for Hybrid and Remote Students
Afternoon virtual instruction for all students

Wednesday Afternoons – students will have independent work to complete. Small group instruction may occur. Teachers will be planning and collaborating by grade level or team

We will continually monitor the health conditions of our school and community to determine when adjustments to the students' schedules can be made.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- ✓ Staff who will do their absolute best
- ✓ We will get better over time
- ✓ We will make mistakes
- ✓ There will be technology glitches
- ✓ There will be some great exchanges between students and teachers
- ✓ Sometimes, the students will help the teachers with technology questions
- ✓ Creativity will flourish (out of necessity!)
- ✓ We are excited to “see” your children again
- ✓ We are as anxious as you are for a “return to normal”
- ✓ We value the safety of our school families and will stay the course until we are able to come back together again as a school community



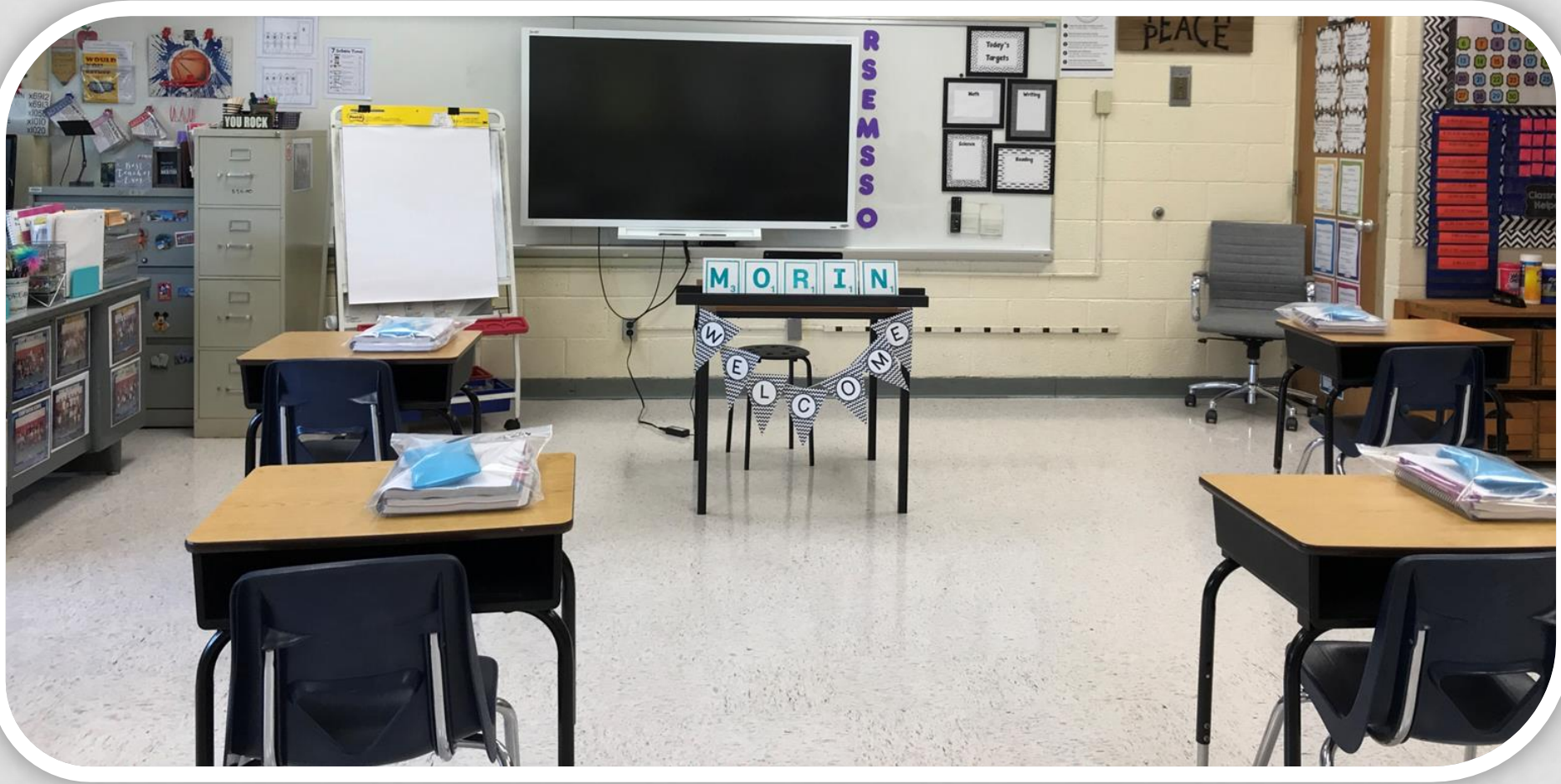
YAY

YOU'RE

HERE!











LOOK WHOO'S IN OUR ROOM



MINDS

GROW

HERE

!



KEEP IN MIND...

Many elements of planning are in flux and are subject to change. The information shared tonight is accurate and any changes will be shared as soon as they are known.



TOGETHER

We Can do

VIRTUALLY

ANYTHING