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Overview of C-F Educational Options this Fall

Camden-Frontier is dedicated to building-out a flexible, safe and effective set of educational options to meet the needs of each of our families this fall. We have invested heavily in new technology and online resources, and have worked throughout the summer to re-imagine our in-person instructional program to safeguard both our students' safety and education.

An overview of our return-to-school plan is below. Much more information is also available on our return-to-school web page <u>here</u>.

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OPTION A: Traditional In-Person Instruction

Camden-Frontier looks forward to our return to traditional in-person instruction on Tuesday, September 8. In spite of current circumstances, the C-F staff is committed to providing our students with the same rigorous and engaging education as always in spite of current circumstances. No school in the area is more determined than Camden-Frontier to make up for lost instructional time in the spring, and we look forward to doing so starting on September 8.

Although we will strive to make school as normal as possible, we must follow the requirements in Phase 4 of the state's <u>Return-to-School Roadmap</u>. All public and charter schools in the state of Michigan must follow these same requirements. More on that plan's requirements are below in the frequently asked questions section.

OPTION B: Online Instruction

We understand that many families are not comfortable returning to in-person instruction at this time. Therefore, C-F has made several large investments in our online instructional program since spring including:

- New Chromebooks for home use for grades 3 and 4
- New iPads for home use for grades 1 and 2 and possibly kindergarten
- Extensive investments in online learning platforms like Edgenuity, Imagine Literacy, Mystery Science and more
- Assistance obtaining internet in the home for qualifying households

The C-F online program will be coordinated directly by Camden-Frontier teachers so every student will have friendly and familiar people to help them with their lessons and assessments. Our powerful

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new online educational platforms will deliver dynamic and engaging lessons aligned to our state curricula ensuring effective instruction.

Every parent may choose this free option for their child for any reason at any time during the fall semester. Families can reassess their decision every 9-weeks and return to in-person instruction if they wish at the start of each new quarter.

All parents/guardians will be asked to choose enrollment for online programming or in-person instruction beginning on August 16. Enrollment can be done online or via U.S. Mail.