



Living Science 2020-2021 Health & Safety Protocols

We are excited about school opening on September 8th. We praise God for the size of Living Science and the approach we take to education. Because of our non-traditional facility and parent driven education approach, we are uniquely suited to weather this season of unique challenges and provide excellent, in person education. Living Science campus is such that it easily facilitates for social distancing and we have configured classrooms to help maintain social distancing.

We have created the following protocols and policies with prayerful and thoughtful intention to operate effectively with our available resources, staff, and physical space.



- Middle & HS students will drop off at front drive; elementary students at back of school.
- Students will proceed directly to the temperature screening station.
- All teachers, staff, and other visitors must check in at the front door.
- Each building will have doors designated "Entrance" or "Exit", minimizing contact.
- All travel off-campus between classes must be parent-approved & communicated to the staff.



- Temperatures less than 99.5 will receive a wrist band that they must wear for the day.
- Temperatures 99.5 or greater, we will immediately communicate with the parent.
- Temperatures between 99.5 and 100.4 will be isolated from other students and supervised for 30 min.
- If the temperature drops, they will be readmitted. If not, parents will be asked to pickup.
- Temperatures 100.4 or above will not be allowed into the building until fever free for 24 hours.



- Classrooms, lab equipment, and computers will be sanitized after each class.
- Hand sanitizing stations will be located outside of the classrooms. Touchless soap dispensers water faucets, and paper towel dispensers have been installed in the restrooms.
- Restrooms & high-touch areas will be wiped down frequently during the day.
- Six feet of separation will be followed whenever possible, including common area.
- Masks & gloves are not required, but permitted for students if required by parents. All students, staff, teachers, and parents will respect the choices made by each family.



- Students must bring their own food and drink in disposable or take-home containers.
- Microwave use will not be available, but Tuck Shop will be available.
- Food left behind will be disposed of daily; food left in the fridge disposed of on Friday.
- Students should eat outside, weather permitting, but must clean & sanitize their area.
- Students will be allowed to use the playground equipment and play areas. (Body movement is essential to effective learning)



- We ask parents to enter a covenant with Living Science.
- Parents must keep their children home if they are not feeling well or have a temperature above 100.4 & must contact Mr. D if any immediate family tests positive for COVID-19.
- Should a positive test for a student occur, Living Science will communicate immediately with the school community, in accordance with CDC and HIPAA guidelines and regulations.
- We ask parents to make their own personal health decisions for their family and respect the decisions of others within these policies during these unique and challenging times.