

Return to Campus Plan

THE JOHN CARROLL SCHOOL



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PLAN OVERVIEW

This plan is intended to provide an at-a-glance look at John Carroll's return to campus plans. For more detailed information on each area, please visit johncarroll.org/reopening.

Please note, this plan is subject to change as conditions evolve.

METRICS

John Carroll uses the following data points and guidelines to inform all decisions. You can click on these items to view the linked website/file.

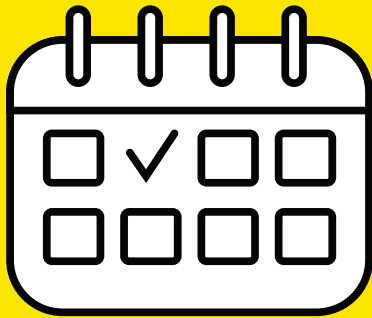
- [COVID ActNow](#)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Maryland Schools \(August 27, 2020\)](#)

**Find additional information
at johncarroll.org/reopening.**

TIMELINE FOR RETURN

Assuming all public health metrics remain within appropriate parameters, John Carroll will follow the below timeline for in-person learning. Students not on campus will continue to participate via synchronous distance learning.

Please note, St. Joseph Program students will have additional on-campus learning opportunities.



10/5 Freshmen/Seniors A-D
10/6 Freshmen/Seniors E-K
10/7 Freshmen/Seniors L-R
10/8 Freshmen/Seniors S-Z
10/9 Sophomores/Juniors A-D

10/12 No School
10/13 Sophomores/Juniors E-K
10/14 Seniors - SAT/Activities;
No Classes for Other Grades
10/15 Sophomores/Juniors L-R
10/16 Sophomores/Juniors S-Z

10/19 25% Capacity Begins:
-Mondays - All Grades A-D
-Tuesdays - All Grades E-K
-Wednesdays - All Grades L-R
-Thursdays - All Grades S-Z
-Fridays - Asynchronous Learning

50% Effective January 25, 2020:
-Mondays/Tuesdays - Students A-K
-Wednesdays/Thursdays - L-Z
-Fridays - Asynchronous*

*unless there is a holiday that week

RETURN TO CAMPUS CHECKLIST

In order for students to return to campus, the following MUST be completed.

Please note, families can choose to transition from in-person learning to distance learning at any time. **Families who choose distance learning but wish to transition to in-person learning must provide one week's notice** to permit us to review available capacity and make any needed adjustments.



1. **Complete Return to School Intent Form.**(*After 10/6, email dattanasio@johncarroll.org to update your intent to return.)
2. **Complete the Assumption of Risk and Honor Pledge** for participation in on-campus activities.
3. **Be sure to complete the SchoolDoc prescreening** prior to arrival each day you are scheduled on campus.
4. **If you have traveled or plan to travel out of state, you must notify the school** by completing this [Travel Notification Form](#).

***Please note, if you visit a state other than Pennsylvania, Delaware, Virginia, West Virginia and D.C. you complete a two-week quarantine or until you provide a negative non-rapid test result. Rapid tests are not accepted.**

Safety Protocols



MASKS & GLASSES/GOGGLES

All students returning to campus for in-person learning will be required to wear a mask at all times. Students may wear one of the uniform masks provided or can use their own mask provided it is a solid color (no graphics or patterns) and is a two-ply, cloth mask. No gaiters are permitted. Masks should be cleaned nightly with soap and water.

All students are strongly encouraged to wear glasses or goggles as well for further protection from airborne droplets.



HYGIENE

All students will be trained on new COVID-19 safety protocols including:

- Cleanse-in/cleanse-out
- Physical distancing
- Proper hand washing
- Traffic patterns for arrival/departure and stairwells
- Use of Health Suite/Isolation Room



Facilities Management

CLASSROOMS & OTHER SPACES

Doors to the **Academic Wing** will open at 7:30 a.m. **Classrooms** will be set up with desks spaced for safe physical distancing and with all desks facing same direction. **Tables and seats** around campus will be positioned to allow for six-foot distancing. **Restrooms** will be limited to two students at a time. **Stairwells** are one-way only. **Sneeze guards** have been installed on campus, where appropriate, and **signage** is posted throughout school to mark safe physical distancing.

We are expanding available areas for lunch and off mods around campus, and students will be assigned specific locations for these periods as follows:

Off Mods: Freshmen/Sophomores - Upper Gym; Juniors/Seniors - Learning Commons
Lunch Mods: Freshmen/Seniors - Patriot Café; Sophomores/Juniors - Lower Gym

Physical enhancements have been made to the **Health Suite**, including the construction of an isolation area. In keeping with CDC recommendations for outside air in these areas, vented skylights have also been installed in both the Health Suite and isolation area. Improvements have been made to the building's **ventilation** system to improve the flow and quality of air.

CLEANING

Janitorial services have been significantly enhanced throughout the building, with increased staffing and an increased frequency in the disinfection of high touch point areas such as restrooms. These areas will be disinfected throughout the school day, and all surfaces will be disinfected in the evenings in preparation for the following day. Our cleaning service has invested in both foggers and misters that utilize a CDC-approved and EPA-certified disinfectant which enables classrooms to be completely disinfected in 15 minutes and larger areas such as the cafeteria and gyms in 20-30 minutes; both of the latter areas will be misted between lunches.

Additionally, hand sanitizer and disinfectant sprays are readily available throughout the building.

Student Services

FOOD SERVICES

We are asking all students to bring their own lunch at this time in addition to eating in their designated areas (see previous page). Additionally, water fountains are turned off; students are permitted to bring their own water bottles.

LOCKERS

Students will not be assigned lockers in order to avoid as much traffic in the hallways as possible. Students will receive direction on where to store items such as coats and sports equipment upon their return to campus. In lieu of lockers, students will be permitted to carry backpacks with them throughout the school day. Students who are scheduled for physical education are permitted to wear athletic shoes on that day.

BUSES

Students who utilize Bus Transportation can expect the following:

- Both the driver and students must wear a mask at all times.
- Bus seating is limited to one student per seat, unless students live in the same household.
- Buses will be fully disinfected after each route.
- A minimum of two windows will remain open for ventilation.

ACTIVITIES

We are currently offering a variety of athletics and other extracurricular activities. [Click here to see the full list](#) and to request additional information.



ATHLETICS - TRYOUTS/PRACTICE

For the latest information on league decisions, please visit athletics.johncarroll.org.

Please note, any students who are staying on campus after school for athletics tryouts or practice must check in with Mr. Proud in the cafeteria once their last class ends. Students must remain in the cafeteria or the courtyard until 3:45. At 3:45, students waiting for a later practice time should proceed to Gerry Gray Stadium and find a seat marked with blue tape in the bleachers until their designated practice time.

ATHLETICS - GUIDELINES

Additional information on transportation and other guidelines will be released towards the end of the week of October 19 and this document will be updated at that time.