

Good Evening Carden Community,

Just a quick email to address Governor Newsom's briefing. I will send a more detailed email next week.

It appears there are two components that must be met in order to re-open school. First, strict mandates for safety. We are already prepared to meet each one. In fact, it almost feels like they stole our plan!

Second, schools may not open until Ventura County is off of the watch list. If everyone wears masks, Ventura County should be removed from the watchlist by September 3rd. But if not, there is a waiver that elementary schools may submit to re-open even if the county remains on the watch list.

I know things can change, but right now, I am confident we will be able to move ahead with our plan to re-open on September 3rd. If necessary, we might move our start date to September 10th, and then add one week to the end of the calendar in June. But again, we are working towards our original plan to be on campus September 3rd.

Look for my follow-up email next week. Thanks so much. Enjoy the weekend.

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