



Hope Academy 2, Inc.

Knowledge for Growth ... Wisdom for Life



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Dear Parents,

July 15th, 2021

We are pleased to welcome you as a part of our Hope Academy family this upcoming 2021-2022 school year. We are looking forward to teaching your children. Hope Academy will host an **Open House**, "parent/teacher meet and greet", on Friday, August 20th, 2021; from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. We hope to see you there! There are other important facts and dates to be aware of throughout the month of August. The 2021-2022 school calendar will be available in the school office as of August 20th, 2021. **Classes will begin on Monday, August 23rd, 2021.** All students must be in school by 8:30 a.m. daily. Dismissal will begin at 2:40 p.m. "Parent pick-up" will begin immediately after the school buses depart from the school grounds at 3:00 p.m. **No students will be dismissed between 2:00 pm – 2:40 pm.**

Before-Care and **After-Care** will be provided by Hope Academy. Registration forms will be available in the school office if you wish to register your child. Before-Care will be available from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. After-Care will be available from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for a fee of \$20.00 weekly per child.

Please note the following: If you registered your child for private transportation, your child must be ready to board the school bus by 6:30 a.m. We ask that all students be ready for pick up at this time during the first week of school. Please be patient as the buses become situated throughout the week. Also, please be aware that payment for transportation must be made *weekly and in advance*. For example, on Monday, August 23rd, 2021, payment for the week of August 23rd to August 27th must be made to Hope Academy in order for your child to continue on the school bus and so forth. For your information, the Bus Service fee is \$15.00 weekly per child.

Hope Academy is a part of the **National School Lunch Program**. Breakfast and lunch will be catered and a menu will be available in the school office. Breakfast will be served daily from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. **Giovanni's Uniform Store** will be selling the Hope Academy uniform throughout the school year. You may contact them at 786-281-3027.

Please make sure that all student paperwork is in the school office before the first day of school. If your child has an incomplete file, he/she will not be able to resume classes on the first day. If you have any questions or concerns you may contact the school office at 786-243-3390. Our summer office hours are Monday thru Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Thank you and enjoy the remainder of the summer recess!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Nirvala Autar".

Mrs. Nirvala Autar
Principal



July 15th, 2021

Greetings Parents,

Welcome to the 2021-2022 school year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank our parents and our students for their hard work and dedication throughout the Covid-19 pandemic. Remote learning, blended learning, and hybrid learning became a new way of life for all of us.

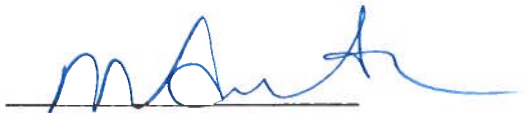
It gives me great pleasure to welcome all of our students back for the new school year 100% in person learning. Hope Academy is committed to the health and well-being of our students and staff. While the CDC and Miami-Dade County are still planning for students' arrival in the fall, we are set with our policies and procedures.

1. Students and Staff will continue to have a mandatory mask policy. (The only exception is students and teachers who are fully vaccinated will have a choice to wear their mask.) (Parents must provide vaccination card to the school office.) As the Principal, I strongly suggest that you continue to wear your mask even if you are fully vaccinated.
2. Hope Academy will revisit our mask policy as we continue to monitor any updates from the CDC and Miami-Dade County.
3. Hope Academy will continue to have our sanitization policy in effect cleaning all hard surface areas throughout the day.
4. There will be hand sanitizing stations and hand washing stations throughout the school.
5. All classrooms will have a Medify Air purifying scrubber. These units clean the air killing harmful germs and bacteria including dust and allergens.
6. Students will have desk barriers available upon request.
7. We will continue to maintain social distancing as allowed throughout the school.

We have learned to adapt and thrive, and we will continue to thrive as the school year commences. Students will be given a laptop at the beginning of the year and will be allowed to take them home. Parents you must sign the contract before students are given the laptop. Parents, please make sure your child adheres to the dress code (see attached). There will be no jackets allowed only solid black or navy blue without hoods.

Parents and students, I look forward to seeing all of you and working together to make this year as successful as possible. Hard work and determination are the key factors to our success.

Sincerely,



Mrs. Nirvala Autar
Principal