

February 19, 2021

Dear TAS Parents,

As you may be aware, Los Angeles County is now allowing for elementary schools to re-open for on-campus instruction due to dropping COVID rates for the first time since the pandemic has started.

Therefore, we're preparing for the following:

- One-one-One academic assessments for all students as needed beginning Feb 22nd.
- On-site learning for small cohort of students in Grades 6-12 (less than 25% of school population) beginning March 1st.
- Continuous COVID-19 testing for students, faculty, staff (1x a week)
- Vaccinations for educators who works on campus

In response, we are preparing for phased re-entry for hybrid (2x a week) on-site learning for all our students at ACES/TAS in Grades Tk-6..

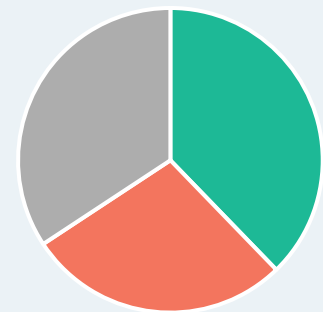
We appreciate you taking the time to complete our survey on how you and your child would like to proceed once schools are declared safe to re-open.

There were over 200 responses from all 3 schools.

- Approximately **40%** of families indicated intend to return for in-person hybrid learning once it is declared safe to return.
- Approximately **30%** of families indicated not to send their child back for in-person learning
- Approximately **30%** of families were unsure

If you haven't done so already, please go to our website at www.accelerated.org to complete your intent.

Would you send your child back to school if safe to do so?



■ Yes ■ No ■ Unsure

Over the past 10 months TAS has made significant physical improvements to keep students, teachers and staff safe. Some of the campus and facilities safety measures include:



8 Thermal Scanners to safely and quickly take temperatures upon entry to the school



Desks separated 6ft apart with Individual desk shields for all students



Handwashing stations positioned throughout various locations



HEPA Air scrubbers installed throughout our air/HVAC system to filter out 99.9% of undesired contaminants entering into classroom.

TAS has developed protocols to ensure that any cases of COVID-19 are triaged and handled per Los Angeles County Department of Public Health guidelines.

Despite the challenges, many of our school services have remained open and operational during this time. Our Food Service Team has served over 230,000 meals since March 2020. This is a vital operation that helps support our students and community members.

As always, please reach out with questions. You can reach us:

By Email:	askTAS@accelerated.org	askACES@accelerated.org	askWAHs@accelerated.org
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By Phone:	TAS General Helpline (323) 238-5933	LAUSD Hotline for Students (213) 443-1300
	TAS Technology Support Helpline (323) 387-3342	LAUSD Hotline for Parents (213) 241-2700
	TAS Registered Nurse Helpline (323) 387-3291	LA County Department of Mental Health (800) 854-7771 or text "LA" to 741741

We look forward to the future when we are vaccinated and it is safe to resume normal operations on campus with our ACES, TAS, WAHS students and community.

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