



CREEKSIDE COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Creekside Families,

It has been almost a year since we closed Creekside for in-person classes. During this time, each of us has faced many obstacles and we've grown in our strength and resilience. It hasn't been easy, but we are starting to see hope. I am happy to announce that on April 19th, Creekside will begin a new phase of reopening our school. We will offer even more in-person learning opportunities to all students. These classes are not required, but they are certainly encouraged for every student who's circumstance allows it.

Currently, we are serving over 60 students per week through our in-person evening and weekend courses and our "Coyote Den" study sessions with teachers on Tuesday and Friday mornings. We have been able to safely navigate this transition without incident. The students have brought life and joy back to our campus. We have been so glad to see the care and respect that students are showing as they follow our health and safety protocols.

As we have planned to return more students to the classroom, we have taken great care to make things safe. We have a detailed plan that aligns to all safety requirements as well as training for staff, students, and families. We are also limiting the number of students in classrooms together and the total number of students on campus at any given time. You will be able to select from a menu of options which in-person or distance learning experiences are right for your family at this time. This means you will have a range of options from entirely distance learning to mostly in-person. For Creekside, this doesn't have to be an all-or-nothing choice.

All these choices can get a little complicated! That's why a member of our staff either has or will soon be calling each family to talk it over together. We want to hear from you, explain the details, and answer your specific questions. After Spring Break, you will work with your Creekside advisor to build a [4th quarter schedule](#) for your student. We look forward to our partnership and to the return of our beloved students to the campus of Creekside Community High School.

In Partnership,
Principal Russ Romas & The Creekside Team

