

2020-21 DISTANCE LEARNING TRACK Daily Structure

Students who choose the Distance Learning track will maintain their spot at Sterling Montessori and should expect the following across all grade levels:

- Students will experience a **daily school schedule** that includes the same components of the school day as their grade-level peers participating in face-to-face or blended instruction to the degree feasible.
- Online Instruction will be a **combination of live and recorded** lessons.
- The **Online learning platform** used will be consistent for each individual level
- Students will have the **flexibility** to work at their own pace to accommodate daily family schedules.
- There will be scheduled time for **independent learning activities** and breaks, including lunch and time for physical fitness and other activities.
- Students will receive **social-emotional support** that will be integrated into their weekly schedule
- Students will experience **meaningful connections** that create a true classroom community.



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Instruction

Students who choose to engage in fully online instruction should expect the following across all grade levels:

- Students will be assigned to a **Lead teacher/s**.
- Students will experience the **core instructional curriculum** using the framework of the Montessori philosophy.
- Instruction will be **standards-aligned** and focused on ensuring student progress.
- Progress **Monitoring and Reports** will be consistent with in-person and blended instruction environments.
- **Daily attendance** will be taken.
- Daily and weekly work turned in by students will be **reviewed, evaluated, and given feedback**.
- **Specials** will be incorporated into the weekly schedule.
- All **specialized services** (Exceptional Children, EL, 504 Plans, Intervention Plans) will continue and be implemented by qualified staff.



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Sample Daily Schedule

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Each level will have its own specific schedule based on their own developmental needs and age-appropriate expectations.

	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Friday
8:30-9	<p style="text-align: center;">WORK CYCLE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curricular lessons with either individuals/small/whole group lessons scheduled on a consistent schedule that will be shared once enrollment is finalized. • Time to complete work assignments independently • Class meetings - schedule to be determined. • Presentations/ conferences with students 				
9:15 - 9:45					
10 - 10:30					
10:45 - 11:15					
10:45 - 11:15					
11:30 - 12					
12 - 1:00	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:00 - 1:30	Curricular lessons with either individuals/small/whole group lessons scheduled on a consistent schedule that will be shared once enrollment is finalized.				
1:00 - 1:30					
1:30 - 3:00	OFFICE HOURS				
3 - 4:00	Teachers time to CHECK work and PLANNING				

All those who choose the **Distance Learning track** will register for the year (Aug-June). Applications for the Distance Learning track are due by **Friday, July 17, 2020 by 4:00pm**. Any forms received after July 17th will be added to our Distance Learning wait pool.

[Click to Access the Enrollment Form](#)