

Chapel Hill Academy

Virtual Instruction Plan

Chapel Hill Academy offers in-person instruction from 8am to 2:30pm Monday-Friday. In the event of inclement weather and declared state of emergency resulting in school closures of more than three consecutive days or at the direction of local, county, or state Health Boards due to widespread health crisis, Chapel Hill Academy is prepared to offer the following virtual accommodations in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-9:

- Students will attend virtual classes via Google Meet sessions with their assigned teachers approximating their typical school day of 6 total hours with a minimum of 4 being either direct instruction or asynchronous assignments.
- Students will be encouraged to bring their school issued Chromebook home with them when the possibility of a closure can be predicated.
- Students who receive related services in their IEP will meet with their therapist for those services.
- In the event of an anticipated extended closure, consumables and other physical materials will be shipped home to the students' residence.
 - This may include Chromebooks for those students who did not bring their school issued device home.
 - In instances where Wifi is not available Chapel Hill Academy staff will help facilitate families requesting hotspots from their local school.
- When possible, any food the school has in its possession will be sent home or dropped off at the home of student's with known food insecurity.
- Chapel Hill Academy will also help facilitate families requesting food service from their local school district when needed.

Chapel Hill Academy's administration will monitor and develop changes to the plan as each closure becomes necessary. As with all plans, the duration, intensity, and nature of the closure will ultimately dictate what steps are needed to convey the most educational benefit for our students. This policy may be revised as necessary by the Director in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-9. This policy has been posted to the school website.