



Improving Learning... Together!

Return • To • Learn • at • PVUSD

2020-21 Learning Options for Families with the Triad Approach

PVUSD's Return to Learn Model allows three choices for student learning. Safety and health guidelines will determine space availability at each school.

TRADITIONAL

Students come back to in-person learning with their teacher and classmates. The traditional model will have enhanced safety measures, such as having students remain with the same learning group throughout the day to reduce student-to-student interactions. Additional daily safety practices by staff and students consist of daily temperature checks, wearing face coverings, social distancing, frequent hand washing and increased disinfection of surfaces.

HYBRID

Students come back to school two full days per week (Traditional) and three days a week (Teacher-Led Distance Learning). For example, on Tuesday and Thursday the student will come to school; on Monday, Wednesday and Friday the student will be home learning from their teacher using the online learning platform. This allows students to learn through computer-based virtual lessons, activities, and videos. Teachers can take attendance, grade and communicate with their students. Teachers will direct/guide and assign the distance learning assignments, and provide feedback on their learning through Acellus, Google Classroom and Zoom Education. Students will also be provided a school Chromebook to take home.

TEACHER-LED DISTANCE LEARNING

Students will be taught by their teacher while remaining at home. The teacher is responsible for student learning and will instruct, assign, provide feedback, and assess student learning. Teachers and students will use Acellus, Google Classroom and Zoom Education. Students will be provided a school Chromebook to access their teacher directed virtual learning while they are at home.

PVUSD ONLINE LEARNING PLATFORMS

All students will have access to all online learning platforms using any of the Triad Approach options

ACELLUS: Online video-based instruction aligned with grade-level state content standards. Teachers are able to control the level of rigor for each course. This allows adjusting for individual students' learning needs so that students needing extra support can catch up and students needing acceleration and enrichment are challenged. PVUSD teachers support their students with Acellus learning and with their assignments. <https://www.acellus.com/for-your-school/>

GOOGLE CLASSROOM: Online Google Classroom enhances teaching and learning for students through access to their assignments and increased teacher and student online collaboration and communication. Teachers create classes, distribute assignments, provide feedback and grades to students through Google Classroom. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UEFgW--0094>

ZOOM EDUCATE: Online virtual audio/video communication allowing teachers to take attendance, teach and support learning, and communicate with their students. Zoom Educate allows for the virtual, face-to-face learning and communication between teacher and student needed for the hybrid and teacher-led distance learning options. <https://blog.zoom.us/how-to-use-zoom-on-a-chromebook/>

CHROMEBOOKS

PVUSD will provide all students Chromebooks to take home. Students will checkout their Chromebook for the school year and will be responsible for the proper care of their Chromebook. We are expecting students to care for their Chromebook the same as they would for their textbook and library book.

Palo Verde Unified School District will re-open implementing public health recommendations.