Phased in Plan to Increase In-person Instruction for Grades 9 – 12

February 22, 2021

Hull High School Phased in Plan

- Satellite Resource Center (SRC) access to students started November 16
- After-school Resource Center (ARC) for struggling students began on January 5
- Based on pattern of limited academic progress
 - Identified students in grades 9-12 were invited to begin February 1, four days a week; this is an ongoing process with continual outreach to families

Hull High School Phased in Plan -Continued

- Identified issues and solutions to return all Grade 9 students to four days a week at six feet with a start date of March 8, 2021
- Classes that exceed capacity will be moved to larger spaces
- Freshman Experience Seminar and Wellness 9 classes will be eliminated
- New Honors level sections of World History, Intro Physics and English 9 will be created
- Wellness teachers will be reassigned

Why Grade 9?

- Middle to high school transition is significant
- "a student is 4 times more likely to finish high school if they pass all of their classes in 9th grade" (DESE report)
- DESE tracks our Grade 9 course-passing data: 2020 report card: state average 83.7%; Hull High 93.7%
- 9th grade is the most self-contained grade in the building

What's Next?

Classroom capacity

Academic Wing Classroom Science Room

6 ft	11	14
5 ft	16	17
4 ft	20	17
3 ft	24	25

- All larger spaces have been utilized
- Tentative start for other grades: April 12th (start of term 4) if less than 6 feet