

## **Instruction Committee Progress Report, July 14, 2020**

- **Review of Guidance Received and Expected:**
  - SED issued “framework” on July 13th
  - NYS Health Dept. issued interim guidance on July 13th
    - Heavy burden on schools for in-person instruction
  - SED expected to issue guidance on July 15th
- **Remote Learning Subgroup of this Committee Met on July 13th**
  - Focus of this subgroup is to establish priorities and make plans if 100% remote schedule is scenario being used
  - “Big picture” goals if 100% remote instruction is in place:
    - more opportunities for interaction between students and teachers
    - increased opportunities for small groups
    - flexibility in use of time based on student needs
    - consistency with scheduling, predictability.
  - Potential schedules for each building were discussed
    - Goal is to approximate a regular daily in-person class schedule to the extent possible
    - MS/HS considerations:
      - Allow time for T-periods, small group work
      - Time for teacher planning and collaboration
      - Time for ENL/AIS/related services
    - Springhurst considerations:
      - Prioritize live interaction between students & teachers
      - Include FLES, specials
      - Allow time for teacher planning and collaboration
      - Households with multiple children -- does each child have access to their own device?
  - Building leadership teams will continue to work on logistics of various schedule options for 100% remote and report back at 7/20 meeting
- **Doug Berry and Lisa Brady are regularly meeting with their counterparts in surrounding districts**
  - Goal is to get everyone to follow similar approaches to the extent possible
- **Next Meeting, Thursday, July 16, 2020**
  - Focus will be Hybrid Scenario planning