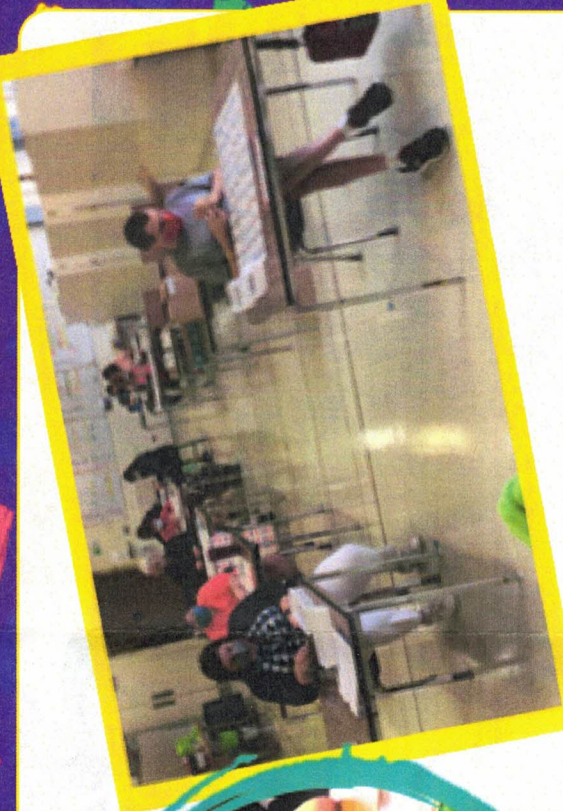
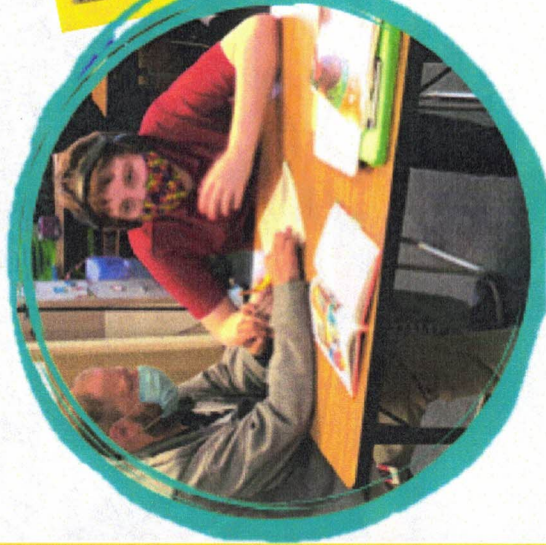


BEGINNING OUR YEAR



Students, adults, and staff have been transitioning from the online distance learning format that we employed for the second half of last year and our Extended School Year summer program, to face-to-face instruction for the 2020-2021 school year. The first two weeks of school were orientation weeks with half of the student population attending on Mondays and Tuesdays and the second half on Thursdays and Fridays, with a cleaning and planning day for staff and online learning for students on Wednesdays. Now, all students who opted to attend in-person instruction are present every day.

"We are so happy to have you all back with us!"

New policies and regulations have been put in place to protect everyone and ensure students can keep learning in a safe environment. Masks, face shields, increased cleaning, sanitizing, and social distancing protocols have become our new normal, and our staff is doing a marvelous job to support and encourage our students to stay safe.

We are excited to share our experiences so far, and have gathered thoughts from the School and Center staff about the beginning of this unique year. Here are some thoughts ...

"I am happy to see everyone and to get to know the new students."

"So happy to see the adults back and working hard!"

"It's been very difficult, but very nice to be back in the Clelian Heights atmosphere again."

"Wearing masks is a lot for kids and staff to deal with, but I am impressed with how well we are doing with wearing masks and social distancing."

"Fabulous to see everyone! So proud of our students and adults - they came in like CHAMPS! Our staff - outstanding in every way, so prepared for a wonderful year of learning and activities!"

"Excited to see the students and staff! I am so happy with how well students adapted to being back!"

"Mask wearing is difficult, but our students are doing their best to wear them."

SOME PRECAUTIONS SHOWN:

- Staff members measured out six-foot areas around each desk while marking out the direction that the desks need to face with yellow tape to ensure students stay socially distanced.
- Students and staff are wearing masks or face shields
- Adults are working with masks on and socially distanced
- Classes are staying in their classrooms for lunch to eliminate communal dining.
- Teachers are taking advantage of the outdoor courtyard to walk and get their students out of the room while remaining distanced from other rooms.
- Teachers, staff, and administration have put into place a plethora of procedures recommended by the CDC and the PA Department of Health to keep our community functioning and safe.

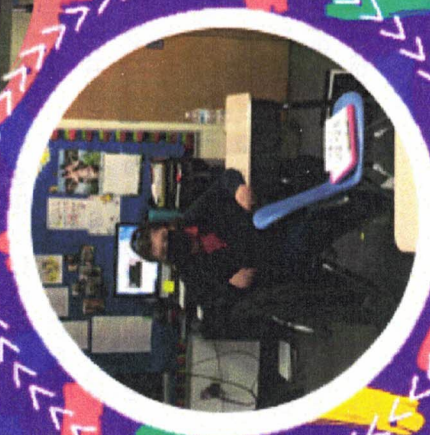
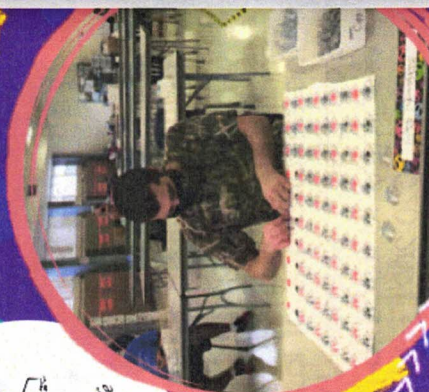
Our students, adults, staff, teachers, administration, Sisters, and the entire Clelian Heights community are excited to be together!



Clelian Heights Back in Action

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programs have continually changed to meet the needs of its students and adults - COVID-19 has birthed the present changes. But, what is the same today, as throughout its history, is Clelian Heights' SPIRIT which is as special as its people and as unique and inviting as its campus. And so, we begin again ...



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