

Welcome to Solis-Cohen 2020-2021 School Year!

Dear Solis-Cohen Families,

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to a new and exciting year at Solomon Solis-Cohen. The entire Solis Cohen Staff is looking forward to collaborating with you and your child(ren) on September 2, 2020 virtually. In order to launch the school year as smoothly and successfully as possible we have several immediate goals that we need your help with:

Goal 1: 100% of students will be online virtually by 8:30 AM daily.

Students are expected to: be prepared each day, ready to learn and engage in instruction, complete assignments on time each day for each class, adhere to the Code of Conduct at all times while engaging in digital learning, abide by all internet policies and procedures, and submit their work assignments for each day, by a pre-established deadline for completion of that work as communicated by the teacher.

Parents are expected to: Have their children ready to engage everyday in digital learning, support their children in logging into the system, if necessary, assist with contacting support from teachers if their child is struggling, contact the teacher each time their child is unable to attend school on any day and provide the reason and share with the teacher or school based staff any barriers to their child's continuous attendance that could impact the students educational achievement.

Goal 2: 100% of students will have a Chromebook, laptop or desktop computer.

Chromebooks & WiFi – This is the SDP website that includes information about Chromebook pick-up and repair centers, information about free and low-cost high-speed internet, as well as steppers and guides for accessing your child's account (scroll down to "Resource Center for Remote Learning"). Please note, we strongly recommend that you use a Chromebook or other desktop computer. Each child in your household will need their own Chromebook or computer. iPads, tablets and smartphone devices will not allow your student to access the full remote learning experience (Click [HERE](#) for Chromebook information and click [HERE](#) for internet information)

Goal 3: 100% of students will be connected to reliable high-speed internet.

Please use the link above for more information.

Goal 4: 100% of Solis-Cohen families will have Parent Portal accounts.

Parent Portal – Please make sure you have a Parent Portal account. This is where you will be able to view your child’s grades, attendance, immunization records, and more. (Click [HERE](#) for Parent/ Family Portal information)

Goal 5: 100% of students will be able to access their Student Portal account.

Student Portal – Students will access their Google Classroom account, Imagine Learning and Imagine Math, email and more! They must log in with their Student ID number and password. Kindergarten students will receive their passwords soon as they are available. Students entering grades 1-5 will have the same password as last year. Your child’s School District of Philadelphia email address is their 8 digit student ID number@philasd.org (for example 12345678@philasd.org). (Click [HERE](#) to login to the Parent/ Family Portal and Student Portal)

Accompanying this letter is a survey to gauge our readiness. Please take the time now to see where you are in meeting each of these goals and complete the survey. The sooner we have your survey results the sooner we can reach out to help you and your child be ready for September 2nd.

(Take the survey <https://forms.gle/QadECwPoLRfp6wyN8>)

Together, we must remain committed to assisting all of our students with obtaining both academic and social success, whether it is virtually or in school.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Dr. Michelina Serianni
Principal & The Solis-Cohen Staff

