



A Message from Mr. Day – September 25, 2020

Dear Travis Parents,

HISD has extended the window for selecting in-person or virtual learning until this **Monday, Sept. 28**. You can make your selection through the **HISD Connect Parent Portal**. You may also contact the school to make your selection. HISD has created [a how-to video](#) to walk you through the process.

As HISD has communicated, there have been updates to COVID-19 safety measures and the district is working with schools to provide as much flexibility as possible in configuring classrooms and schedules. Please see this video (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hONXBacG8rU&feature=youtu.be>) from Interim Superintendent Dr. Grenita Lathan as well as her Thursday update to families ([Update on face-to-face instruction.msg](#)).

As you factor this information into your decision, we want you to know that even though there are no guarantees, we will do our best to keep current teacher-student pairings intact while taking all necessary measures to guard the health and safety of our students and staff. We are confident that families choosing in-person learning for their child(ren) will have a Travis teacher and a seat on our campus. Families choosing virtual learning will be connected to a Travis teacher.

We will not be able to offer afterschool care through the Kidventure program once in-person learning resumes. We will keep you updated on whether we can resume the program later this school year once a safety evaluation can be made.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we all continue to navigate these uncharted waters.

Come what may, we will work through every scenario and find winning solutions with your child's interests and wellbeing at heart. Whether in-person or virtually, our school family will remain connected and as strong as ever.

Wishing you well and a wonderful three-day weekend.

Sincerely,

Tom Day, Principal