



New SDUC Parent Survey and Video

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Health of a Lion

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Dear U. City Families:

Hello! We are in the home-stretch of finalizing our plans for the 2020-21 school year. I continue to promise you that the health and well being of our students, staff and family community remains our first priority as we put the final pieces together for the start of the school year on August 24, 2020.

Today I wanted to share with you a [new video](#), created by the District, that highlights some of the health, safety, transportation and learning considerations for the upcoming school year being created under our motto Health of a Lion. Please note, this video is just a start. More detailed information will be forthcoming starting on July 22 along with numerous resources.

I hope you watch the video, but not before you read some more important information in this letter.

As promised, I am requesting that you complete this new [third parent survey](#) which asks you questions regarding whether you would enroll your children in a virtual-only option if the district gave you that choice among others. Additionally, there are questions about special education and child care needs for families.

Your participation in this survey and others is essential to our planning an opening of school that ensures health, safety, equity and kindness while accelerating our vision of Learning Reimagined. If you haven't already, you can still fill out the previous parent surveys through the links below. I plan to send a final parent survey out on well-being later this month.

[Parent Survey 1](#)
[Parent Survey 2](#)
[Parent Survey 3 \(new\)](#)

Also, if you are a parent with a student in the high school who is scheduled to take the bus, please fill out this separate [survey](#) I sent to you this past Thursday, if you haven't already. Please remember this survey is only for high school families who utilize school bus transportation.

I have other news. On July 22, I will be hosting a [Town Hall Meeting](#) to introduce our finalized plan to parents. It will be in a virtual webinar format that enables parents to ask questions via a moderator. We are also considering a safe in-person Town Hall option as well. Please stay tuned. Please register now at www.ucityschools.org/TownHallRegistration so that we may update you and send reminders to you about the event.

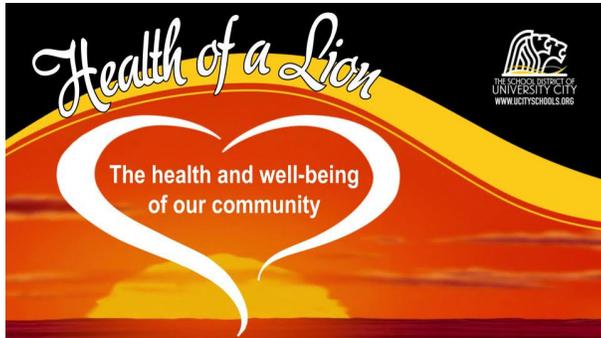
I also have my next Zoom with the Superintendent sessions at 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. this Wednesday, July 15. These sessions provide a great way to learn updates and ask me questions or voice concerns. To register for either the morning or evening session this Wednesday, go to www.ucityschools.org/Zoom.

As always, I thank you for your strength and your partnership. As a mother, as an educator and as a resident of University City, I know this is a very anxious time for all of our families as we all try to do what's best amid a very complicated worldwide pandemic. You are always welcome to email me at shardin@ucityschools.org or call me on my cell phone at 314-399-0941.

In Service of Our Children,

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