



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL

DISTANCE LEARNING ALONGSIDE REQUEST FORM

Immaculate Heart of Mary School has been approved by the San Mateo County Health Department and San Mateo County Office of Education to allow students to return to campus for in-person learning. This approval is based on IHM School's Return-to-School Mitigation Plan while keeping our students' and staff's safety a priority.

While research informs us that in-person learning supports interpersonal skill development, memory development, and student motivation in ways that online learning cannot, we also understand that in-person learning may not be the most suitable learning arrangement for your family at this time. Thus, Immaculate Heart of Mary School will offer Distance Learning to those families who wish for their child(ren) to remain home. Teachers will continue to engage and teach all students whether they are at school or learning remotely from home through the Hyflex Teaching Model. This model best serves the individual needs of all students in the classroom.

If you wish for your child(ren) to remain at home once in-person learning commences, please complete the following information below and return/email this form to the principal, Mrs. Harville at aharville@ihmschoolbelmont.org.

In order to protect the safety of each class cohort, please note that a family may not have their child(ren) return to school whenever they choose. Instead, families may only have their child(ren) return to school at the beginning of each trimester. A conference with the principal before the next trimester begins is necessary once this form has been completed.

We/I would like for our child(ren) to remain home once in-person learning commences. We/I have read the Distance Learning Alongside Request Form and agree to follow the school's policies and procedures as stated above.

Parent Name(s): _____

Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Second Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Third Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Signature(s): _____ Date: _____