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To Parents/Guardians,

Please be advised that the Classical Academy Charter School Board of Trustees voted to keep the school on remote instruction at a Special Meeting held this evening. Classical Academy will remain in remote session with a scheduled reopening date for January 18, 2021. We have been monitoring the positive COVID-19 cases closely, and with the numbers rising as they are, within the state, county, and Clifton area, the safest option at this time, for our students, families, and staff, is to remain in virtual mode. Classical Academy will continue to prepare the school for reopening in January.

Please note the following changes:

- 1) Instructional time for each class will be increased, starting on November 9<sup>th</sup>.
- 2) Class schedules will remain the same.
- 3) Homeroom has been shortened and classroom instruction will begin at 8:03 a.m.
- 4) The last period of the day will now end at 1:42 p.m.
- 5) Teachers will continue to have office hours each day between 2:26 p.m. -3:05 p.m.
- The school will now have a short 15-minute break for all students and staff after 4<sup>th</sup> period.

Period	
Homeroom Room #	7:50 - 8:00
1	8:03 - 8:47
2	8:50 - 9:34
3	9:37 - 10:21
4	10:24 - 11:08
BREAK	11:08 -11:23
5	11:23 - 12:07
6	12:10 - 12:54
7	12:57 - 1:42
Dismissal	1:42 PM
Lunch	1:42 PM - 2:26 PM
Office Hours	2:26 PM - 3:05 PM

The class time schedules, is as follows:

We will continue to monitor this situation closely in conjunction with the health department and provide you with timely updates. Our hope is that once the spread is contained, we can begin in-person learning in a safe and positive way.

We understand this is a disappointment for many; however, this decision is being made in the best interest of public health for our school and community.

> Thank you, Dr. Paul E. Semegran