

HYBRID TEACHING IN LYCÉE

Following the restrictions and recommendations of the Swedish authorities and French regulations dated November 19, and after consultation with the Comité Hygiène et Sécurité (CHS), the Conseil Pédagogique du Second Degré, then validation by the Conseil d'Administration, the school has decided that as of November 23, 2020 at 8:00 am, the principle of distance learning for Lycée students is maintained until further notice, with a hybrid adaptation to 50% in-class teaching and 50% distance according to the modalities below:

- 1A, 1B, TA and TB will have in-class teaching in week Q2 (even week) and distance learning in Q1 (odd week) from Monday, November 23, 2020 at 8:00 am.
- 2A and 2B will have in-class teaching in week Q1 (odd week) and a distance course in Q2 (even week) starting Monday November 30, 2020 at 8:00 am.
- All courses take place in Annexe, students do not have to go to the main site (only exception for the canteen in a specific time slot). Room changes will take place in the timetable (registered in Pronote).
- The mask will be compulsory for everyone at all times: in the common areas, in class and in the courtyard outside.
- In order to be able to continue the distance set up in the canteen for the Collège students and to avoid mixing with the Lycée students, the **canteen service for the Lycée students** will be shifted from **1:15 pm to 2 pm**. Classes initially scheduled for this time slot will therefore be brought forward from 12:10 to 1:05 pm. Thank you to the students to plan a snack for the morning if they wish.

The respect of sanitary measures and social distancing will be the key to make this system last as long as possible and avoid the creation of clusters. It is important that high school students respect distancing measures (avoid hugs, handshakes, and kiss), regular handwashing, and remain very vigilant about their extracurricular activities.

FAQ

Can you report the number of officially reported cases in the school on a regular basis?

We are transparent on the appearance of a covid case in a class. Each class (teachers and families) receives the information as soon as a student has tested positive. From 3 simultaneous cases in the same class, distance learning could be considered.

Can we, as parents, have access to the student contamination tracking chart?

We have set up this monitoring in order to have a fine evolution of each class and each level to follow the appearance of a cluster. This table is an internal management tool and cannot be communicated under any circumstances.

When do you communicate covid case information to a class?

We communicate as soon as a parent informs us in writing on the email address covid19@lfsl.net that his or her child has tested positive (indicating the date of the test result, the class and the name of the student). Information from the family is the only source considered. The student is identified as a covid case in the class if he/she was present the previous days. It is not considered as such if the student had already been in isolation for 7 days. It is important to remember to be very vigilant in the face of false information and rumors that circulate very quickly between students, a sick or absent child is not necessarily a positive case.

How can you say that contagion takes place more outside of school than inside school?

We rely on the information received by Smittskydd Stockholm. During the last period from October to November, they have observed a dramatic increase in the spread of the infection in school-aged individuals (especially in Lycée), most often originating from extra-curricular activities (sports events, outings, private parties) and not in the regular school environment. Their interpretation so far is that in the current school environment there are good infection control measures in place, which is not always the case with other activities, especially in private or festive settings.

When reading the folkhälsomyndigheten recommendations, children under 11 years of age are not included in the sibling group that should stay at home in case of a positive case in the family. Is it the same principle at the LFSL?

As a precautionary measure and due to the large number of siblings present at all levels in the establishment, we wanted to take an additional measure and recommend to families with a positive case to also keep children under 11 years of age at home.

Some sick children continue to come to school, wouldn't it be more reassuring to switch to distance education at the College level?

We call upon the responsibility of each family not to send a sick child to school or when there is a suspicion or a proven case of Covid in the family. It is our duty to ensure the continuity of classroom teaching for as long as we can within a strict health protocol.

For children with mild symptoms who are able to work but have to stay at a distance, why not set up a system where teachers would teach in the classroom and in video simultaneously?

The management of a school-age group is different from that of an adult audience. It is difficult for a teacher to mobilize a in-class teaching and a distance group at the same time.

This type of system would also require a significant investment in equipment with cameras, microphones or specific boards. For this type of practice to be effective, it cannot be improvised and requires resources and training.

What are the tools used in distance learning?

Pronote is used to disseminate courses and assignments. Teams is used by teachers to organize visios or exchange with students via chat. (Cf. Health Protocol and FAQ of November 11, 2020). Visios are recommended at least once a week per discipline whenever possible.

What are the rules for evaluating students at a distance?

The teachers themselves organize and communicate the evaluation procedures. As a reminder, the pedagogical freedom of each teacher is preserved. With the implementation of hybrid teaching in the high school, evaluations can also take place in-class teaching.

Is it possible to encourage group work in distance learning?

Distance education is provided for in accordance with the terms of the Protocol. The practice of group work is part of the teacher's pedagogical freedom.

Last year, some students in difficulty had benefited from personalized assistance during distance learning, will this system be renewed?

We are currently looking at what can be set up and will get back to you later.

Can you provide us with more information on the practice of E.P.S. at Collège and Lycée, including health conditions?

There is no ban on students under 15 years of age from participating in sports. Nevertheless, we have postponed the swimming pool cycle for all classes according to the recommendations. Concerning 1e and Terminale classes, in the classroom, E.P.S. classes are maintained and will be adapted.

When will the Conseils de classes take place?

A schedule of Conseils de classes was published on the LFSL website on 20.11.2020 and communicated to the parents and student representatives. In order to preserve social distancing, they will be composed of a maximum of 08 people in person: a president, the head teacher, a parent representative, a student representative and 4 teachers.

When and how will the Réunions parents-professeurs take place?

Due to the restrictions and recommendations of the Swedish authorities, Réunions parents-professeurs will only take place at a distance. They will take place on December 7 for 6e/5e, December 8 for 4e/3e, and December 9 and 10 for Lycée. They will take place via Teams, the modalities will be communicated to you later.

Why do some parents feel they don't always understand decisions?

Every day we receive a few emails from some parents to share their opinions with us. Some suggestions are diametrically opposed concerning the modalities of schooling (in-class teaching, distance learning, evaluations, pedagogical content ...). We would like to inform you that the competent and certified staff of LFSL are committed to fulfilling their mission with professionalism and pragmatism. We are also in regular contact with the competent authorities and one of our missions is to ensure the health safety of students and staff and to maintain pedagogical continuity in the best possible conditions. You have chosen LFSL for your child's schooling, therefore we thank you for your confidence in the school institution.