SMUHSD Update
Mandatory Family Survey for Fall 2020
Purpose of this Presentation

- Inform parents that school will begin virtually for students of San Mateo Union High School District (with the exception of Peninsula & Middle College Students)
- Describe two Educational Choices available to SMUHSD families in the Fall Semester 2020
- We are sharing a mandatory survey for families to indicate their students’ educational choice for the fall semester
2020-21 SMUHSD Educational Choices

Choice One: Synchronous Online Learning (Live & Interactive)

SMUHSD will offer two educational choices for families in Fall 2020:

Choice Two: Independent Study through SMUHSD
Synchronous Online Learning (Choice A)

In this option:

- Students will attend live, interactive online classes delivered at specific periods as outline in the bell schedule and teachers will take attendance.
- Classes are taught by a SMUHSD teacher credentialed in the course subject matter.
- All teachers will use the Canvas Learning Management System to lead their courses.
- Students will receive about 185 minutes of synchronous online instruction per class per week.
- Students will follow a daily instructional schedule and will be required to virtually attend their classes.
Independent Study through SMUHSD (Choice B)

In this option:

- Students complete courses through Independent Study which consists of asynchronous instruction, or instruction that takes place at the student’s own pace.
- This choice will allow students to have some flexibility in their school day as they will not be required to attend live, virtual class meetings.
- Students will meet occasionally with a SMUHSD Independent study teacher for support and guidance.
- SMUHSD Independent Study uses the Edgenuity platform which provides students with all of the courses available in the SMUHSD Course Catalog.
For more information:

Virtual Question and Answer Session for SMUHSD Families on their Educational Choices for Fall 2020

Wednesday, July 22nd at 5pm

Zoom login info:
https://zoom.us/j/96706702167?pwd=NCtkQm9WMVY4bXVqdFVERGdoeWxMZz09
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Send questions to returntoschool@smuhsd.org in advance.
THANK YOU!

Survey due Friday, July 24th