March 25, 2021

Dear Middle School Families,

We hope this letter finds your family healthy and well. Learning Works is pleased to announce that we will resume in-person learning for all middle school students. As we prepare to have our families return, the LW staff continues to remain focused on increasing relevance and rigor, while building community and relationships. We will continue to pay close attention to the academic needs and socio-emotional health of our students and staff.

Students in grades 6-8 will return to campus on April 5th. Students will meet in person Monday through Thursday from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and virtually on Fridays from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. and will work with Vicky and Raul at artWORKS. Students will be socially distanced and are required to wear a mask. Students can stay for lunch if they would like but need to return home by 12:30 p.m.

There are many emotions surrounding this return, ranging from both eagerness and delight to fear and anxiety. Over the past several months, thorough protocols have been put into place to keep everyone as safe as possible. To date, over 76% of our staff has received at least one dose of the vaccine. We remain focused on providing a safe environment for our students and staff and will continue to follow our local and state health officials' direction. Please call Sherry Oliver if you have any questions about our safety protocols or visit our website at www.learningworkscharter.com.

Sincerely,

The Learning Works Charter staff