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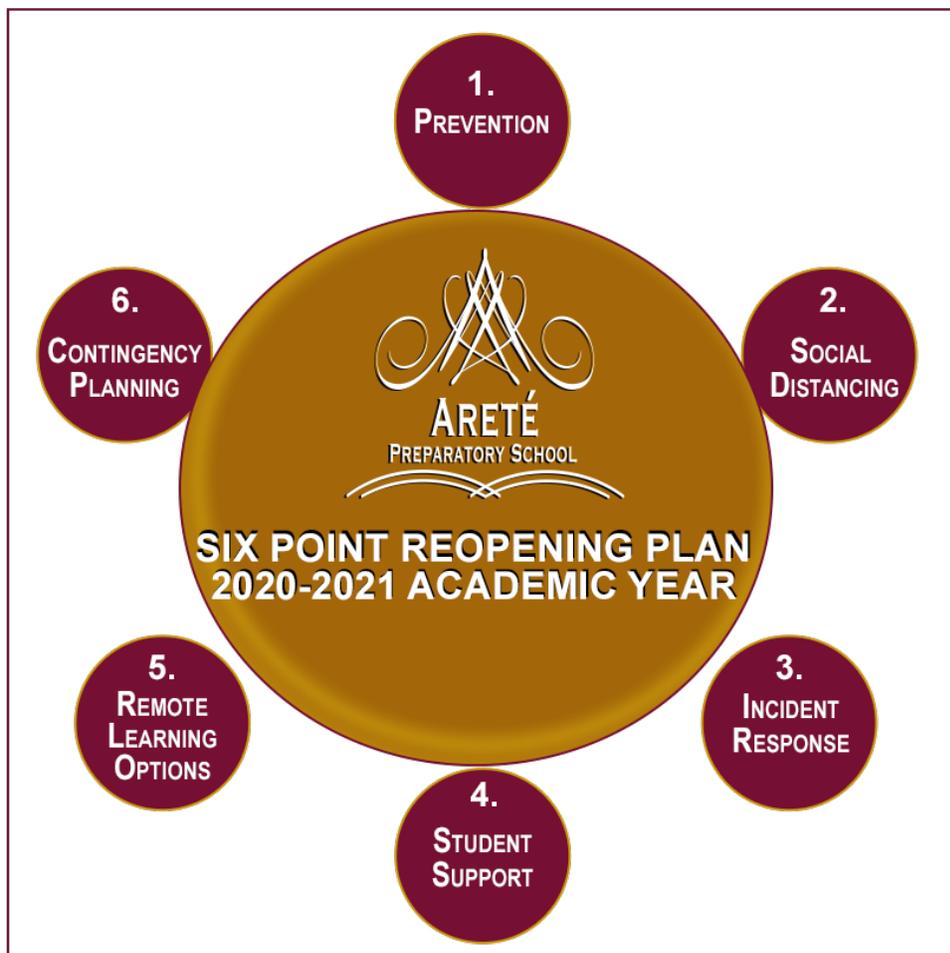
As we approach the 2020-2021 academic school year, we would like to share our plan for a safe re-opening.

We have mindfully designed an approach that balances the safety of our students and staff while we return to and maintain a thriving environment that promotes Arete's high standard of learning for your child(ren).

The resolve and resilience of our staff and parents have met the current health issues head-on. Based on their input, we have created the Arete Six Point Reopening Plan for the 2020-2021 Academic year.

All parts of the plan are informed by and consistent with current local, state and national guidelines and are flexible enough to allow adjustment as needed to the meet the evolving conditions regarding this COVID-19 pandemic.

Lets take a look at the base layout.



## **STEP 1 - PREVENTION**

The first step starts at home by being mindful of common symptoms and situations related to COVID-19. If the answer to any of the following questions is “yes”, a family must inform the school and keep the student at home.

1. Are you or anyone in your immediate household experiencing any of the following symptoms: fever, shortness of breath, cough, chills, muscle pain, sore throat, or a recent loss of taste or smell?
2. Has anyone in your immediate household come in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19?
3. Has anyone in your immediate household traveled out of the country in the last 14 days?

## **STEP 2 – SOCIAL DISTANCING**

- For at least the first quarter of the school year, all students, faculty, staff, and visitors will be screened upon arrival using instant temperature checks.
  - Anyone with a temperature of 100.0 ° or greater will be asked to return home.
  - During the day, symptomatic students will be sent to the school nurse for evaluation.
- Campus tours and classroom visits will be temporarily suspended.
- Following CDC guidelines, we are increasing the amount of routine and nightly cleaning, with a focus on high-touch surfaces and common areas.
- Classroom and building entrances will have available hand sanitizer.
- We will comply with all state and local requirements for mandatory face coverings.

- All visitors with a need to move beyond the front office will be required to wear a face covering.
- All students, faculty, and staff will wash their hands or use hand sanitizer when entering the building or a classroom and before and after lunch and snack.