

2020 Reopening Schools Framework

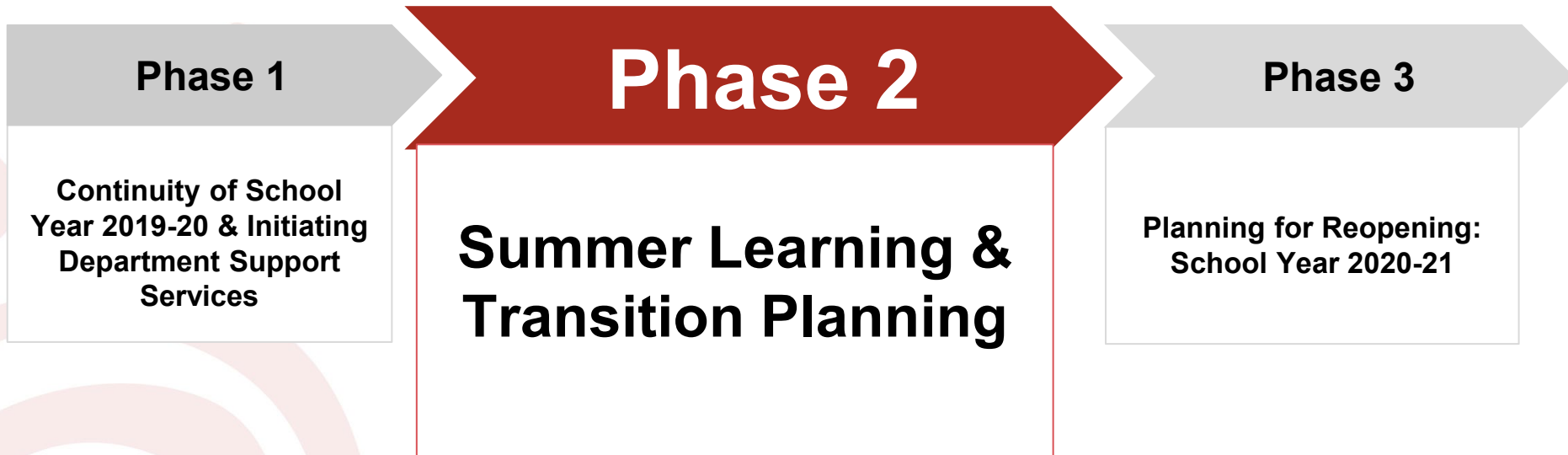
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Continuity of Learning through COVID-19

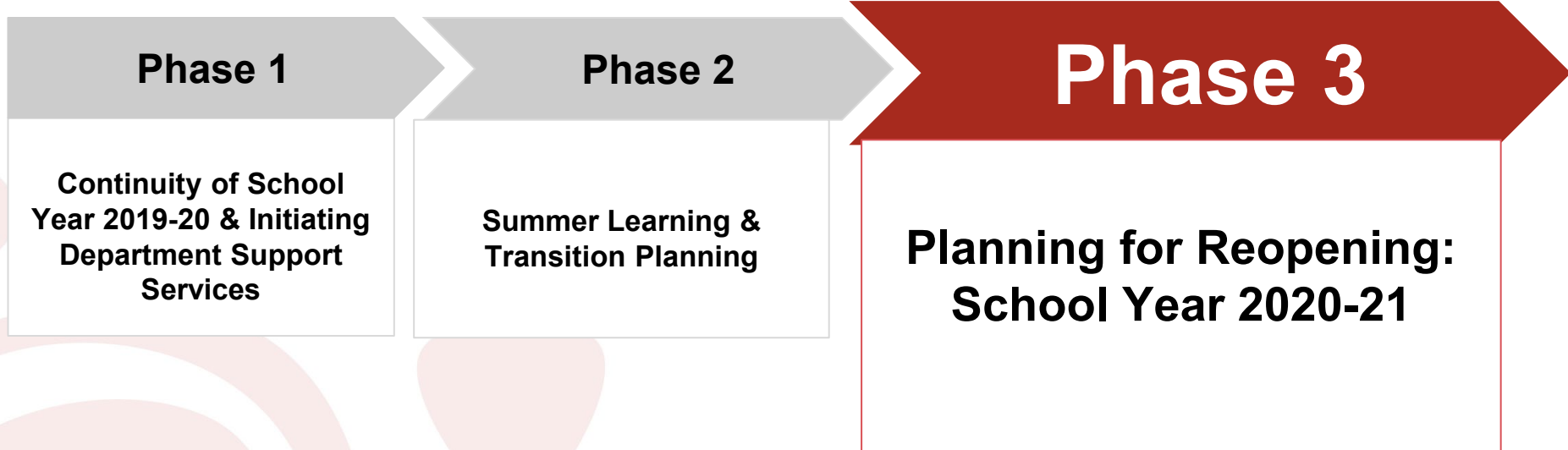


The Department is maximizing summer learning opportunities in order to re-engage students and ensure they are ready to transition. HIDOE designed an expanded summer learning approach that focuses on addressing student learning needs as well as service, design and innovation.



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HIDOE is currently developing a Reopening Framework that encompasses seven main areas of work and resources that will guide decision making for the tri-levels of the Department.



HIDOE Reopening Framework

Health and Safety

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School Design

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Equity and Access

The Department remains committed to ensuring access to a high-quality education for all students regardless of geographic location, economic status, academic ability or language proficiency.

Operations

School operations are central to ensuring that the school day can proceed on predictable schedules, including such necessities as bus transportation, school meals, internet access and other critical systems.

Staff Capacity

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Family and Community

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Contingency Planning

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Areas of Work

- Hawai'i Department of Health Guidance
- Cleaning and Sanitation
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)



Photo credit: Mountain View Elementary

By the Numbers

248,491 masks were donated to HDOE and distributed statewide.





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Areas of Work

- Assumptions about Instructional Designs
- Elementary Models
- Middle School Models
- Secondary Models
- Distance Learning and Blended Learning
- After-School Programming
- First two weeks of school
- Multi-track Schools
- Assessment for Learning
- Home School Supports
- Student Travel
- Athletics

By the Numbers

For SY 19-20, teachers and students abruptly shifted from in person to distance learning, here is the breakdown of online platform usage.

Webex Meetings: 78% of teachers and 36% of students

Google for Education: 75% of teachers and 88% of students



School Models

HIDOE schools are preparing for the following three models based on best practice instructional approaches.



Face-to-Face



Distance Learning



Blended



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Areas of Work

- Supports for vulnerable students: Special Education, English Learners, homeless, migrant
- Micro Learning Hubs
- Digital Transformation for Learning Plan



Moloka'i Mobile Learning Hub



Photo credit: Hana High and Elementary

By the Numbers

Technology access and engagement for students:

83% have a home computer for distance learning.

66% joined a video conference.

58% posted assignments to an online platform.

HIDOE Panorama Distance Learning Survey Results



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Areas of Work

- Centralized Services: Meals, busing, facilities use, common systems - enterprise G-Suite, E-School, internet access, procurement, Help Desk
- School-Based Operations: Schedules, attendance, security, shared instructional spaces - physical education, art, music/band



School Year 2018-19. Photo credit: HIDEOE



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By the Numbers

Student access to internet connectivity:

76% of students report they have reliable internet access in their home.

71% of public school students report there are enough devices in the household available for each family member to use at the same time.

HIDOE Panorama Distance Learning Survey Results



Staff Capacity

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Areas of Work

- Labor Unions
- Professional development and training
- Substitute Teachers/Casual Hires
- Telework
- Employment Laws



Photo credit: HSTA



Photo credit: Fern Elementary

By the Numbers

Teacher access to devices:

95% of teachers report they have a work-issued laptop or tablet for telework.

73% report there are enough devices in the household available for each member to use at the same time.

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Areas of Work

- 'Ohana Help Desk
- 'Ohana Training and Informational Sessions
- Device Loan Program
- Telehealth
- Communications Plan
- Major Partnerships
- Data Reports



Highlight

The 'Ohana Help Desk will provide technical support for families and educators as HIDOE transitions to utilizing more technology-based curriculum.

The cost of training and support is approximately \$1,500,000.



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Areas of Work

- COVID-19 Emergency Planning Team
- COVID-19 monitoring and reporting
- Emergency Proclamations
- Interruption to School Year



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HIDOE Guidance for Long-Term School Closures

▶▶ Graduation, Promotion and Grading



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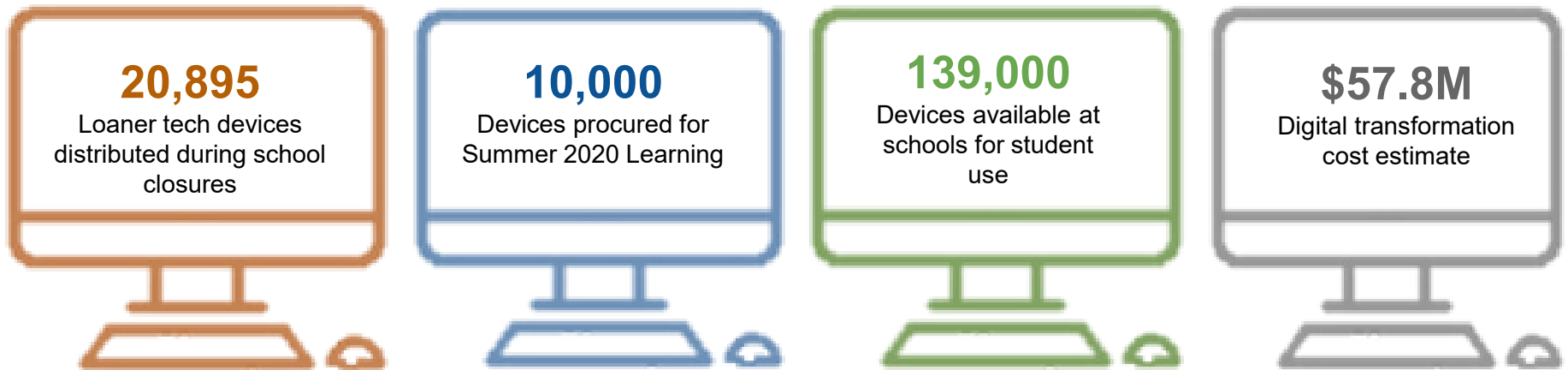
51 leadership meetings focused on solutions to COVID-19 issues.

HIDOE facilities were closed for 46 days for school year 2019-20.



Accelerating Digital Transformation

The COVID-19 pandemic highlighted areas for improvement within our public schools while also creating the conditions to embrace innovation and empowerment faster. Schools have the opportunity to accelerate digital transformation to best serve all students, recognizing that distance learning is not a one-size-fits-all solution.



For more information about HIDOE's digital transformation work, visit bit.ly/3129Dpf.



**Mahalo for working with the
HIDOE to protect our 180
instructional-day school year!**