

## Pandemic Disruption Details

## 2021-2022

The Upper School schedule returned to its typical format. Students took eight (8) courses per semester. Students attended four (4) courses each school day for 85-minute, rotating blocks, with courses meeting on alternate days. Grades were given quarterly.

## 2020-2021

To start the school year, Rising Tide offered its full program to all students in a hybrid model. Students accessed classes synchronously on remote learning days. Courses met either Mondays and Thursdays or Tuesdays and Fridays for 80 minutes. On Wednesdays, all students and staff had a fully remote day with skill-building programs. Students who chose the hybrid model attended in-person two days a week and remotely two days per week. Students could also choose a fully remote model.

On April 26, Rising Tide replaced this hybrid model with in-person learning for each student five days a week, while still providing the option for fully remote learning.

## 2019-2020

From the onset of the pandemic in March until the end of the school year, students maintained a fully remote block schedule with required synchronous meetings for all core and elective courses. Students met with four courses, four days per week, for 30-minute remote sessions. On Wednesdays, they met with their Advisory groups and attended virtual club meetings. Affected courses were graded on our school's Non-Standard Grading Scale.