



**Peabody Elementary School (Kindergarten)**  
**Watkins Elementary School (Grades 1-5)**  
*Distance Learning Schedule*

**MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY**

**BLOCK A – Morning Meeting and Flexible Content Instruction**  
9:00 – 9:30am

**BLOCK A – Whole Group Synchronous Instruction (ELA *or* Math)**  
9:30 – 10:00am

**Movement and Mindfulness Break**  
10:00 – 10:15am

**BLOCK A – Flexible Small Groups and Asynchronous Learning**  
10:15 – 11:15am

**Lunch and Recess**  
11:15 – 12:15pm

**BLOCK B – Afternoon Meeting and Flexible Content Instruction**  
12:15 – 12:45pm

**BLOCK B – Whole Group Synchronous Instruction (Math *or* ELA)**  
12:45 – 1:15pm

**Movement and Mindfulness Break**  
1:15 – 1:30pm

**BLOCK B – Flexible Small Groups and Asynchronous Learning**  
1:30 – 2:30pm

**Specials (Monday - Friday)**  
2:30 – 3:00pm  
3:00 – 3:30pm

**Schedule Considerations (in response to teacher and parent feedback):**

- Our school day start time is moved to 9:00am, so some of our “in-person” teachers will still be able to engage with our distance learning students during morning meeting.
- We reduced the time for *Whole Group Synchronous Instruction* (where class sizes are larger) to provide more *Flexible Small Group Instruction*, allowing for more engagement, differentiation, and asynchronous work time.
- *Morning/Afternoon Meetings* and *Flexible Content Instruction* provide teachers with the flexibility to facilitate social emotional learning, as well as extend ELA/Social Studies and Math/Science lessons.
- *Lunch/Recess* and *Specials* remain the same time to maintain consistency with at-home routines.
- There are now two scheduled *Movement and Mindfulness Breaks* during Block A and Block B, allowing students scheduled time away from the computer screen and a break from learning.