

Welcome to SGS North Campus!

Dear SGS Families,

Welcome to Seneca Grade School North Campus for the 2021-2022 school year! We are excited to work with you and your child. We are looking forward to a year of growing and learning together.

Due to the governor's mandate, masks will be required for all persons in the building.

While the pandemic has brought many challenges, as a community, we have risen to meet them and will continue to do so into this school year. The district will communicate updates and guidelines as needed. We appreciate your support as we work together to meet this year's challenges.

Spend time reading with your child each day. This can help your child develop good study habits and routines to prioritize schoolwork. We want everyone to be successful!

Each year brings new friendships and experiences – we hope to partner with you to make this year positive and productive for your child. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's experience, please contact your child's teacher or the main office. Let's make this a GREAT year!

Mrs. McGhee

North Campus Times

7:35 - Doors open

7:40 - Breakfast begins

8:05 - 1st bell rings

8:10 - Class begins

3:00 - Dismissal

Preschool Times

AM 8:05-10:45 **PM** 12:20-3:00

Pick-up and Drop-off

Car: We will use the pick-up and dropoff lane located off Walnut Street. Drop off will be at Door Q. Line-up for pick-up should begin no earlier than 2:40 and we ask you access Walnut from Union St.

Walkers: Walkers will enter and exit from the Main Entrance on Oak St. Buses: Buses will use the drive-way at the north end. Please do not park in those spaces between 7:30-8 and 2:30-3

Start of Year Information

<u>Mon. 8-16</u> Back to School Open House

5:30-7:00 for both NC and SC Drop off supplies and visit classrooms

<u>Tues. 8-17:</u> First Day of School Grades K-8 Half Day (8:05-11:25)

<u>Wed. 8-18:</u> First full day Grades K-8 (8:05-3:00)

Mon. 8-23: First Day Preschool (8:05-10:45 and 12:20-3:00)

Check out our website www.sgs170.org & download the SGS app "Seneca CCSD #170.

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Mark your Calendars
Parent-Teacher Conf.
November 22 & 23
Winter Break
December 22nd - January 6th
Spring Break
March 28-April 1

WELCOME NEW STAFF

We have some new faces at North Campus. Mrs. Tiffany Condon will be the PK- 4 North Campus Secretary. Mrs. McCormick retired this summer so she can spend more time with her family. We will miss her very much and wish her the best. We also want to welcome Mrs. Melissa Decker as our speech pathologist. She will work with students K-8.

We are excited to have them join our Raider Nation!

Building Safety and Guidance

As we approach the 2021-2022, we are continuing to work through the guidance from IDPH to keep students and staff safe.

- -Per governor's mandate, individuals are required to wear a mask while in the building as supported by the CDC, IDPH and LaSalle Health Dept.
- -According to the new CDC close contact definition, classroom students who were within 3 to 6 feet of the infected person are *not* treated as close contacts as long as both students were engaged in consistent and correct use of a well-fitting mask
- -All students are required to wear a mask while on the bus -Keep students home if they are feeling ill. Please contact the school nurse to determine best practice for next steps
- -Students should bring their own water bottle for use during the day. Fill stations are available for student use but no water fountains
- -Students will wash hands and/or use hand sanitizer when entering and leaving classrooms

Thank you for your continued support, understanding and flexibility as we prepare for the upcoming school

Office Contact Information

Main Office 815-357-8744 Option 2 for Elementary Office

Lynn McGhee – Principal – lmcghee@sgs170.org

Tiffany Condon – Secretary – tcondon@sgs170.org

Lunch Times

Kindergarten:

10:50-11:10

First Grade:

11:15-11:35

Second Grade:

11:40-12:00

Third Grade:

12:10-12:30

Fourth Grade:

12:30-12:50