

SILVER CREEK CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Silver Creek High School Families:

For your planning purposes, our first day of school will be Tuesday, September 8th. I had previously planned on having grade-level orientation days, September 8th through September 11th, but, logistically, this would have been very difficult. In order to help our students, families and teachers acclimate themselves to this new system of learning, Tuesday, September 8th through Thursday, September 10th will be ½ day student attendance days, with Friday, September 11th being an **all virtual** ½ day for the Middle School and High School. In the high school, this will allow us to discuss expectations with the students, distribute iPads and locker information and for us to work through any technological issues. On Tuesday, September 8th, we will be starting with Group 2 learners, our L through Z group, Wednesday will be Group 1 learners, our A through K group. Group 2 will meet again on Thursday. Please be aware that teachers will be making their first attempts at live streaming to our virtual learners during this week. Throughout the beginning stages of this process, be patient as we work through "perfecting" our live streaming capabilities. This type of teaching and learning is new to our students and teachers, there will be bumps along the way, so I just ask for your patience and understanding.

For morning arrival, High School students, that will be utilizing District transportation, will be dismissed from the busses at 7:15 am. Our students should enter the building through the HS Library doors. Students will have their temperatures scanned as they enter the library. Students, that are either driving or being dropped off, should enter the building through our new HS Band entrance. Please do not arrive before 7:15 am. 1st Period starts at 7:35 am, and to alleviate congestion in the hallways, we ask that parents and student-drivers arrive at 7:20 am. This will allow ample time for the students to have their temperatures scanned, eat breakfast, go to their lockers, and then report to their 1st period class. There will be 3 locations for students to wait for their 1st Period class, the HS Cafeteria, HS Auditorium, and the HS Library.

For our group of all-remote learners, we will be offering iPad pickup times on Thursday, September 3rd and Friday, September 4th from 11am to 1pm and 4 pm to 6 pm outside of our HS Lobby. Students that are enrolled in our hybrid, in-person model, will receive their iPad in their 1st Period class, on their first day of school.

Below, I have added our regular bell schedule and our ½ day bell schedule. Our virtual students will be following the same exact bell schedule when they are home. Also, below, I have provided the breakdown for groupings and how our "A" day, "B" day rotation will be utilized, we recently made a change to make it easier for students and parents to remember.

I hope all of you and your loved ones are happy and healthy. I will be in touch soon with further updates as needed.

Tom Buczkowski (Mr. B) High School Principal

Weekly Schedule:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Group 1 (A—K)	Group 2 (L—Z)	Group 1 (A—K)	Group 2 (L—Z)	Gap Day
A Day	A Day	B Day	B Day	Rotational A/B
				Day

High School ½ Day Bell Schedule

Period	Time		
1	7:35—7:58 (23 minutes)		
2	8:01—8:24 (23 minutes)		
3	8:27—8:50 (23 minutes)		
4	8:53—9:16 (23 minutes)		
5	9:19—9:41 (22 minutes) No Lunches—students report to their 5ab or 5bc class		
6	9:44—10:07 (23 minutes)		
7	10:10—10:33 (23 minutes)		
8	10:36—11:00 (23 minutes)		

HS Bell Schedule

Teacher Arrival: 7:30 am Student Arrival: 7:15 am

Screening/Breakfast/Report to 1st Period: 7:15—7:30 am

1st Period 7:35—8:20 am (45)

2nd Period 8:23—9:08 am (45)

3rd Period 9:11—9:56 am (45)

4th Period 9:59—10:44 am (45)

Period 5a 10:47—11:11 am (24)

Period 5b 11:14—11:32 am (18)

Period 5c 11:35—11:59 am (24)

6th Period 12:02—12:47 pm (45)

7th Period 12:50—1:35 pm (45)

8th Period 1:38—2:23 pm (45)

Teacher Prep 2:25—3:00 pm (35)

Teacher Dismissal: 3:00 pm