

Superintendent Notes

August 9, 2021

- I. School begins Wednesday, August 11 – Take your child’s temperature prior to arriving at 8:15 am. Please do not arrive prior to 8:15 am. Students go directly to class, no early morning recess to avoid mixing. Class begins at 8:30 am with the Tardy Bell at 8:35 am. Parents may walk students to their classroom but cannot linger due to mixing rules.
- II. Teachers will be sending home all information that would be normally shared at Back-to-School Night. Back-to-School Night will not take place due to gathering rules that are still in place for schools.
- III. Students staying home for Independent Study will be contacted by their teacher to schedule device pick-up and to share the plan for Independent Study. Independent Study paperwork must be picked up at the front office and completed if you are planning to stay home for Independent Study.
- IV. Every Friday will be early release and the release time has been moved back to 1:30 pm to regain an hour of academic learning time and a movement towards returning to school full-time, hopefully in the near future.
- V. Masks must be worn by everyone at school while inside the building. New policy has been created by the board for those choosing not to wear a mask while indoors. Students - first offense = warning, second offense = detention on wall, third offense = suspension 1-3 days, fourth offense = sent to Independent Study
- VI. Please help us stay in school. If your child does not feel well, please keep them at home. If you suspect COVID-19, please have your child tested and do not return until you receive a negative test result. Remind students to keep hands clean and keep them out of their eyes, nose, and mouth. Have students bring a water bottle to school so we are not drinking out of fountains, only refilling water bottles from fountains.