



# Cutter Morning Star School

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## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT ABOUT OPTIONS FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Cutter Morning Star Parents:

Cutter Morning Star School District understands this is an unprecedented time in education. As always, it is our desire to partner with our families to provide a quality education for each of our students. Cutter has prided itself on building personal relationships and meeting the needs of each individual student and families, in many ways that larger schools are unable to accomplish. This became even more evident during the pandemic. While there were challenges we are confident we provided the needed support to our students and families. As we move forward into the 2020-2021 school year there are so many uncertainties, but rest assured that Cutter Morning Star is committed to the success of our students.

We may not have ALL the information we need in order to make plans for next year but we do know that we need to be flexible to ensure families have options. If we have families who want/need the option for their students to continue to stay home and not return to school. And we definitely will have families who want/need the option of sending their students to school pending State/Federal Guidelines. And, for the past three years, we have been successful at the high school in allowing homeschool students to enroll in individual classes or activities while being homeschooled for most of their day.

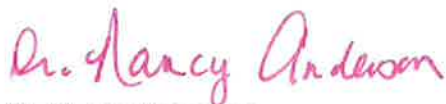
For the 2020-21 school year the Cutter Morning Star School District will be offering these three options:

1. School At School (Students will come to our school buildings and receive Face-to-Face instruction from our teachers.)
2. School At Home (Students will not physically attend school but will receive instruction from our teachers via technology and/or hard copy packets.)
3. School at Both Home and School (Students will receive a combination of school at home and Face-to-Face instruction at school. This option includes homeschooled students and ensures that students who are home-schooled can also participate in extracurricular activities because they also are enrolled for a portion of the day in school.)

We are here to serve you and this truly gives families the option that best fits their needs. Obviously, there will need to be A LOT of planning and preparation. Thus, we need an accurate count as possible of the number of students who choose each option. Please find attached a form for you to indicate your preference at this time for each of your students and return it in the envelope provided. We realize as circumstances change that you may change your preference. If and when you do, please notify our elementary or high school office as soon as possible. Our school numbers are 501-262-2414 Option 1 Elementary School AND 501-262-2414 Option 2 for High School.

Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you for getting us your response form as soon as possible.

With Regards:



Dr. Nancy Anderson  
Superintendent

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Please list each of your children and indicate which Option you want for each child.

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark the Option that you Choose for this Student:

- School at School  
 School at Home  
 School at Both Home and School

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark the Option that you Choose for this Student:

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Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

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Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ School at School

\_\_\_\_\_ School at Home

\_\_\_\_\_ School at Both Home and School

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark the Option that you Choose for this Student:

\_\_\_\_\_ School at School

\_\_\_\_\_ School at Home

\_\_\_\_\_ School at Both Home and School

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Parent's Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Telephone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed