



Jacksonville | North Pulaski SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Building Futures: Every Scholar, Every Day

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4:30 pm

JNPSD School Community:

Good Afternoon! Teachers, principals, and staff have been involved in much work today in preparing and implementing plans for continued Alternative Methods of Instruction. Many staff worked over spring break to make the online experiences the best possible under the current circumstances. Much good work has been completed by your JNPSD educators.

JNPSD child nutrition, maintenance, custodial, security, technology, transportation, and district office staff members have provided meritorious service in delivering services to our school district and our families. We have many good people doing the good work on enhancing our mission.

Please know that we will periodically sent callouts and emails for some of these announcements. We need current contact information for all of our families. If any of your information has changed, please send the correct contact phone, email, and mailing address to Amy Arnone at aarnone@jnpsd.org or call 241-2080. She will send your information to the appropriate school staff member.

Principal Email Contacts:

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Jacksonville Middle School	Ms. Renee Parker	sparker@jnpsd.org
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Dupree Elementary	Ms. April Turner	aturner@jnpsd.org
Lester Elementary	Dr. Janice Walker	jwalker@jnpsd.org
Pinewood Elementary	Ms. Lindsey Jones	linjones@jnpsd.org
Taylor Elementary	Ms. Shana Loring	sloring@jnpsd.org

1. JHS Senior Scholars and Families: You will be contacted by Friday, April 3 concerning your status. Please send any new contact information to your counselor as soon as possible.

2. Updated email address information for teachers, counselors, administrators, and other staff is posted on our website (www.jnpsd.org). Go to the "Schools" link at the top banner, go to the school name, and a staff email link is posted. We are working on call forwarding options for phone calls to reach the correct staff members.

3. Meals for our scholars will be delivered to the following sites at the times listed on Monday and Tuesday:

Galloway Park – Noon
Willow Bend – Noon
Bayou Meto Baptist church – 11:00 am
Max Howell – 11:30 am
Lakeside Estates – 11:45 am
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church – 11:00 am
Chapel Ridge Apartments – 11:00 am

Beginning on Wednesday, modified bus routes will be used to deliver meals to various locations on the route. The schedule will be published soon. Lunch and breakfast for the next morning will be distributed.

Also, JNPSD and the Jacksonville Boys and Girls Club have partnered with the Arkansas Food Bank to distribute emergency family food boxes. Each box contains 17 lbs of food items. More details on distribution will be shared soon.

4. We need your suggestions concerning school activities. Please complete a short survey at the following link address: (The survey will be closed on Friday.)

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSflicmMcgwNa0DGjhn3B5_sfHCSfqiy-6IGSxQC0c8S3ehFAA/viewform?usp=sf_link

5. The JNP district office will be open for emergency / essential business from 8 am to noon each day **BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**. If at all possible, please try to take care of any business by phone, email, or video conference. These hours and access may be modified in the future. You can call Amy Arnone at 241-2080 or email at aarnone@jnpsd.org. She is the primary contact for the district office.

6. Elementary School Scholars and Parents: A schedule is being prepared for Chromebook checkout for those who need access to a device. Details will be shared soon.

7. The April 6 school board meeting has been canceled. The new tentative date is on April 20. More details will be shared soon.

We thank you for your continued support, understanding, and patience. Our staff will continue to provide support to our scholars and parents in any way possible during the COVID-19 situation

Respectfully,



Bryan Duffie. Ed.D.
Superintendent