



LINCOLN PARISH SCHOOLS

STRONG START PLAN 2020-2021

UPDATED AUGUST 14, 2020

The Strong Start plan includes information about teaching and learning, transportation, sanitation, meals, and athletics in each phase of reopening (Phase 1, Phase 2, or Phase 3), as established by the governor or as deemed necessary by the superintendent.

If the local governing authority of Lincoln Parish or other municipality has established a more restrictive phase of reopening, Lincoln Parish Schools will conform to the more restrictive requirements in accordance with BESE policy.



Registration

We are currently registering for Pre-K and kindergarten. There are limited spaces available for our Pre-K program, so parents should sign up as soon as possible. Parents may come by the Lincoln Parish School Board office to register their child or can print and complete the registration form from the links below.

[Pre-K Registration](#)

[Kindergarten Registration](#)

If you have had a change of address or need to enroll into Lincoln Parish Schools, it is necessary for you to come to the central office to have this processed through us.

Parent prep days will be held August 13, 14, 17, 18. Each school will schedule times for parents to come. Parents are encouraged to attend to sign required documents and learn more about the school year.

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Pre-K-12th grade students and their parents have two options for returning to school:

- Lincoln Parish Schools Virtual Program
- In-Class Learning

Lincoln Parish Schools Virtual Program

The virtual learning program is designed for students who do not yet feel safe returning to the classroom. The program will be administered through Google Classroom. Teachers will upload video lessons and instructional materials to this platform for students to engage with. Google Classroom allows students to send and receive communications with the teacher and participate in asynchronous classroom activities. Any lesson recorded during classes will be of teachers only. Parents and students are asked to commit to a 9 week period before making a switch back to in-class learning. Honors, AP, and dual classes are available to those participating in the program.

- Pre-K-5th grade students will have live face-to-face instruction along with prerecorded lessons with assignments and activities. Parents are strongly encouraged to make every effort to have their child available for the live sessions. Live, face-to-face interaction is imperative in helping younger children learn to read and write. Attendance will be based upon completion of assignments.
- 6th-12th grade students will log in to Google Classroom and complete daily assignments at the time of their choice each day and will be counted in attendance as long as their assignments are completed that day. Teachers will embed pre-recorded lessons (in some cases, segments recorded during the live, face-to-face instruction) and slides into Google Slides to help guide the student along in the lesson plan.

Students participating must have reliable internet access and a virtual learning device. The device will be provided at no cost by the school district. Students will also have access to necessary textbooks and collateral materials, which will be provided by the district. Parents will need to provide basic school supplies, such as pencils, paper, etc.

It should be noted the virtual learning is not best for every student. Student placement determinations should take into consideration a student's unique academic, social, emotional, familial, and medical needs of a student, as identified by the student's parent or custodian.

LEARNING OPTIONS, CONTINUED

In-Class Learning

In-class learning will look different for the 20/21 school year. In order to keep our schools and students safe we have administered some changes to the way we will hold classes and operate daily.

In-class learning schedules will be dependent upon the grade that each student is in.

- **Pre-K-6th grade students will remain in static groups.** Virtual learning program will help create smaller class sizes to also help limit the amount of contact. Students will be given mandatory seat assignments, and each class will have a certain area of the play ground to use during recess.
- **7th-12th grade student group size will be limited to 25 regardless of phase.** Each school will maintain consistent seating arrangements throughout different class assignments.

Masks will be required for 3rd-12th graders and are optional for Pre-K - 2nd graders. Masks should be solid colors or may have the school logo. We recommend younger students have their names written inside the mask so they will not get mixed up with others. One cloth mask will be provided to everyone at the start of school. Students and teachers who have medical conditions that are hindered by a mask will not be required to wear one. We will allow "mask breaks" throughout the day when students are spaced and it is safe to do so.

We have updated the school supply lists on each school's website and the Lincoln Parish School Board website. Also, principals will be sending information to parents regarding supplies and when/where to bring them.

*Any questions can be emailed to communications@lincolnschools.org

PHASE 1

TEACHING AND LEARNING

All Grades	<p>Maximum Group Size: 10 including adults</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All personnel report to support teaching and learning. • Students receiving Special Education services and Section 504 accommodations will have options for in-person learning some days each week. • Students with no internet access may have options for in-person learning. • All other students participate in virtual learning.
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TRANSPORTATION

Maximum school bus capacity will be 25% including adults.

- School bus passengers ride one per seat with every other seat empty.
- Members of the same household may sit in the same seat or adjacent seats with an empty seat between household groups.
- Every bus rider will be required to wear a mask.
- Each bus will be equipped with hand sanitizer and extra face masks.
- Windows will be let down for the duration of the route to encourage air flow.
- Each bus will be cleaned after the completion of each route.
- Buses will be required to have a mandatory seating chart.

SAFETY

- Schools are closed to non-essential visitors in accordance with BESE policy.
- Every class will be required to have a mandatory seating chart.
- Students and staff are required to wash hands upon arrival, every two hours, before and after eating, before and after using outdoor play equipment, and upon exiting the building.
- Schools will establish an area and a protocol for isolating sick students. This area will be cleaned thoroughly after the student has gone home.
- In accordance with BESE guidelines, all adults and 3rd-12th grade students will be required to wear a mask. We are aware that this may be difficult for some students, and we will make every effort to ensure our students are comfortable while following this policy. Masks should be solid colors and have no writing other than the student's school logo.
- Upon entering the classroom each student's symptoms will be assessed, including an initial temperature check. The students' symptoms will continue to be assessed throughout the day.
- All staff will be required to complete the health screening protocol daily.

PHASE 1, CONTINUED

CLEANING

- High-touch surfaces will be cleaned multiple times throughout the day, including bathrooms, using EPA-approved materials.
- School employees will be provided adequate access to hygienic supplies, including soap, hand sanitizer with at least 60 percent alcohol, disinfectant wipes or spray, paper towels, and tissues.
- If a room is used by more than one group in a single day, high-touch surfaces contained in that room will be cleaned before and after use by each group.

MEALS

In-Class Students

- Lunch and breakfast will vary between schools. Depending up on number of students and available space to eat meals. Some will work to rotate student in and out of the cafeteria, while others will eat in class rooms and commons area.

Virtual and A/B students

- Parents must call the school cafeteria between 7:30 am – 9:00 am where he or she intends to pick up meals, which includes one breakfast and one lunch each day.
- Meals may be picked up from one of six designated schools between 12:45 pm and 1:30 pm each day. Be sure to pick up from the school you contacted that morning.
- The parent consent form must be completed each day and submitted to the school to verify meals which are distributed. The consent form can be found at [this link](#).
- Your child qualifies for a free breakfast and lunch each day if he or she eats free at his or her normal school location and is not at school that day.
- The six school pickup location options include Dubach School, Choudrant High School, IA Lewis School, Ruston Elementary, Ruston Junior High School, and Simsboro High School. Parents from any Lincoln Parish School may pick up at the most convenient location of the six options.
- Meals will be distributed in car lines. No one will need to get out of their vehicle.
- Meals will only be prepared for those families contacting the school cafeteria before 9:00 am each morning.

PHASE 1, CONTINUED

ATHLETICS AND EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Conditioning and training while following the LHSAA/SMAC recommendations and guidelines as permitted. Extra-curricular activities may continue virtually. All elementary sports are cancelled until further notice.

Permitted Not Permitted

	Practice	Intrasquad Scrimmage	Interschool Scrimmage	Game Play
Cross Country				
Basketball				
Football				
Soccer				
Swimming				
Volleyball				
Golf				
Powerlifting				
Tennis				
Weightlifting				

TEACHING AND LEARNING

All Grades	Maximum Group Size: 25 including adults • All personnel report daily to assigned locations.				
Pre-K-Grade 6	Students remain with their assigned groups and report to school Monday through Friday.				
Grades 7-12	<p>Students will be on an AB schedule separated by grade level and school. On the days they do not report to school, students will be assigned a device and will complete virtual lessons from home.</p> <p>Individual school A/B schedules are listed below.</p> <table> <tr> <td>Choudrant High School Schedule can be found here!</td><td>Ruston High School A days – 9th, 10th B days – 11th, 12th</td></tr> <tr> <td>Simsboro High School A days – 7th, 9th, 11th B days – 8th, 10th, 12th</td><td>Ruston Junior High School A days – 7th B days – 8th</td></tr> </table>	Choudrant High School Schedule can be found here!	Ruston High School A days – 9th, 10th B days – 11th, 12th	Simsboro High School A days – 7th, 9th, 11th B days – 8th, 10th, 12th	Ruston Junior High School A days – 7th B days – 8th
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TRANSPORTATION

Maximum school bus capacity will be 50% including adults.

- Space and disperse passengers to the maximum extent possible.
- Every bus rider will be required to wear a mask.
- Each bus will be equipped with hand sanitizer and extra face masks.
- Windows will be let down for the duration of the route to encourage air flow.
- Each bus will be cleaned after the completion of each route.
- Buses will be required to have a mandatory seating chart.

SAFETY

- Schools are closed to non-essential visitors in accordance with BESE policy.
- Every class will be required to have a mandatory seating chart.
- Students and staff are required to wash hands upon arrival, every two hours, before and after eating, before and after using outdoor play equipment, and upon exiting the building.
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- In accordance with BESE guidelines, all adults and 3rd-12th grade students will be required to wear a mask. We are aware that this may be difficult for some students, and we will make every effort to ensure our students are comfortable while following this policy. Masks should be solid colors and have no writing other than the student's school logo.
- Upon entering the classroom each student's symptoms will be assessed, including an initial temperature check. The students' symptoms will continue to be assessed throughout the day.
- All staff will be required to complete the health screening protocol daily.

PHASE 2, CONTINUED

CLEANING

- High-touch surfaces will be cleaned multiple times throughout the day, including bathrooms, using EPA-approved materials.
- School employees will be provided adequate access to hygienic supplies, including soap, hand sanitizer with at least 60 percent alcohol, disinfectant wipes or spray, paper towels, and tissues.
- If a room is used by more than one group in a single day, high-touch surfaces contained in that room will be cleaned before and after use by each group.

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PHASE 2, CONTINUED

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Soccer	Not Permitted	Not Permitted	Not Permitted	Not Permitted
Swimming	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted
Volleyball	Permitted	Permitted	Not Permitted	Not Permitted
Golf	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted
Powerlifting	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted
Tennis	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted
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PHASE 3

TEACHING AND LEARNING

All Grades	<p>Maximum Group Size: 50 including adults</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All personnel report daily to assigned locations. • Students report to school Monday through Friday. • Students in virtual program may choose to remain in program.
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TRANSPORTATION

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- Upon entering the classroom each student's symptoms will be assessed daily, including an initial temperature check. It is recommended by the CDC and LDH that students' temperatures be checked after they have been in the school building for 10-15 minutes. This is due to Student's temperature readings varying depending on the temperatures outside. The students' symptoms will continue to be assessed throughout the day.
- All staff will be required to complete the health screening protocol daily.

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- High-touch surfaces will be cleaned multiple times throughout the day, including bathrooms, using EPA-approved materials.
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STRONG START FAQ

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Q: Will I be notified if a student tests positive for COVID-19 in my child's class?

A: You will be notified if your student is considered close contact with an infected student. Close contact is defined by the CDC and Louisiana Department of Health as being closer than 6 feet for 15 consecutive minutes. If your student is considered close contact, the CDC and LDH recommend your student quarantine at home for 14 days. We will follow the recommended guidelines case by case.

Q: What if my child tests positive for COVID-19?

A: If a child tests positive, the CDC and LDH requires students to isolate for at least 10 days. A student may return to school once they are asymptomatic and have not run a fever for at least 24 hours without a fever reducer.

Q: What symptoms mandate my child to stay home?

A: If your child is running a 100.4 temp or higher or has a cough or shortness of breath, it is mandatory that your student does not come to school.

Q: Will parents have an opportunity to meet teachers in person?

A: Yes, August 13,14,17,18 have been set aside to give parents the opportunity to meet with their child's teachers. School's will designate times for parents to come and learn how school will look for their child and fill out any required paperwork.

Q: Who continues class if a teacher is in quarantine?

A: If a teacher has to quarantine or becomes ill, their class will be covered. Subs will be called upon as usual. In some cases, teachers will still be able to provide instruction from home virtually. We will encourage teachers to partner with someone to assist in the event one of them needs to be home.

SCHOOL OPERATIONS

Q: Will students still have P.E. and recess?

A: Yes, we will. However, this will look different at each school from what we're used to. We will maintain CDC and LDH guidance while participating in these activities. Students will remain with their groups. Playgrounds may be sectioned off so that each class may play on different pieces of equipment. P.E. activities will be limited to each class, and all equipment used will be sanitized after each class.

Q: Why do Pre-K - 6th grade students go to school every day while 7th-12th grade students go every other day?

A: Pre-K - 6th grade students will stay with the same group for the entire day, and this will limit the amount of contact they have with other students. We are hopeful the virtual learning program will create smaller class sizes. 7th-12th grade students, however, rotate classes. This will allow us to lower the amount of students per class and in the hallways during class change.



STRONG START FAQ

Q: If a student has to quarantine or isolate will they still be able to attend class?

A: Yes, the benefit of a hybrid learning model gives us the opportunity to teach students virtually when they are unable to come to class. Students will be given class assignments and work they can do from home.

Q: How will the A/B Schedule for 7th-12th grade work?

A: Each group will come every other day. So, for one week, Group A will come M/W/F and Group B will be T/TH. The next week, the groups will switch. Group B will come M/W/F and Group A will come T/TH. This lowers the number of students in each class and in hallways. Students will be given assignments to complete on the days they are at home, so they will receive lessons all 5 days of the week.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Q: How are you handling self-contained students with disabilities at all schools?

A: Virtual Program/Hybrid

- Students with significant disabilities will utilize the Unique Curriculum remotely. The Unique Curriculum has unit lessons that define three levels of differentiated tasks to accommodate the diversity of learners with significant disabilities.
- Self-Contained teachers will schedule Zoom/Google Meet sessions to follow up on lessons and work on IEP Goals.
- Service providers (OT, PT, Speech, APE) will provide services to students via Zoom/Google Meet sessions and/or face-to-face. This will be decided on a case by case basis depending on your child's specific needs and IEP goals.

Q: Will the same school nurse take care of special education students and students showing symptoms?

A: Each school will have a school nurse. Universal precautions are adhered to by each nurse with every student. The school nurse is responsible for the health and well-being of all students in the school system. An isolation room or area is designated at each school for those students with symptoms of COVID-19. The practices of social distancing, hand washing/hygiene, face covers and proper PPE will be maintained by the school nurse.

Q: If the nurse has been exposed how can she work with special education students or others?

A: Each school will have a school nurse each day at the school. All school nurses will be adhering to, training students and staff, and promoting the guidelines of social distancing, handwashing/hygiene, face covers and appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). The Office of Public Health will determine possible exposure and requirements of individual as far as quarantine/isolation as stated in the School Reopening Guidelines from The Louisiana Department of Education. Nurses will be using PPE which should be changed after coming in contact with possible COVID-19 cases.



STRONG START FAQ

Q: What happens if your child has autism?

A. Their services will be provided according to their specific needs and IEP goals as with any student with a disability; however, we anticipate there may be some unique needs such as difficulty wearing a mask, difficulty with understanding our new social boundaries, or difficulty with transitioning. The IEP teams should consider these things and include strategies to assist these students in learning new routines. We would also expect the school staff to understand it may take these students longer to adjust and use patience and reteaching of expectations frequently.

Q: How will therapy be done with students with disabilities?

A: If the student is in school, they will continue to receive therapy as normal. If they are hybrid or virtual, it may be offered virtually or the student may have designated times to come in for therapy. This will be determined through the IEP based on the student's IEP goals and specific needs.

- Virtual Students with Disabilities

- All special education students will receive services according to IEP Goals to the best extent possible.
- Service providers will schedule Zoom/Google Meet sessions with students in accordance to IEP Goals and service minutes.

- Hybrid Students with Disabilities (6-12)

- All special education students will receive services according to IEP Goals to the best extent possible.
- Service providers will schedule either face-to-face or Zoom/Google Meet sessions with students in accordance to IEP Goals and service minutes.

- In Class Learners

- All special education students will receive services according to IEP Goals in the same manner as previous years.

Q: How will IEPs/IAPs be done for Virtual Program and Hybrid?

A: IEP Teams will conduct meetings when school reopens. The Team will follow the normal IEP process/protocol for review of IEPs due to participation in the virtual program. IEPs can be amended in the fall to reflect changes needed for 2020-2021 school year. Parents are welcome to attend in person; however, we will also continue to offer the option to attend via Zoom to allow for physical distancing and decreased contacts if the parent agrees to that modality.

Q: What happens if your child has autism?

A. Their services will be provided according to their specific needs and IEP goals as with any student with a disability; however, we anticipate there may be some unique needs such as difficulty wearing a mask, difficulty with understanding our new social boundaries, or difficulty with transitioning. The IEP teams should consider these things and include strategies to assist these students in learning new routines. We would also expect the school staff to understand it may take these students longer to adjust and use patience and reteaching of expectations frequently.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

Links to school supply lists are listed below:

[Choudrant Elementary School](#)

[Choudrant High School](#)

[Cypress Springs Elementary School](#)

[Dubach Elementary School](#)

[Glen View Elementary School](#)

[Hillcrest Elementary School](#)

[I. A. Lewis School](#)

[Lincoln Parish Early Childhood Center](#)

[Ruston Elementary School](#)

[Ruston High School School](#)

[Ruston Junior High School](#)

[Simsboro Elementary School \(PK-5th\)](#)

[Simsboro High School \(6th-12th\)](#)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

The Lincoln Parish Public School system has announced the following schedule for the opening of school.

Registration for new students must begin at the Lincoln Parish School Board Office. Parents are encouraged to register new students before the start of school to avoid possible placement delays.

CLICK ON YOUR SCHOOL BELOW TO FIND START DATE INFORMATION!

[A.E. PHILLIPS LAB SCHOOL](#)

[CHOUDRANT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL](#)

[CHOUDRANT HIGH SCHOOL](#)

[CYPRESS SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL](#)

[DUBACH SCHOOL](#)

[GLEN VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL](#)

[HILLCREST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL](#)

[RUSTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL](#)

[RUSTON JR. HIGH SCHOOL](#)

[RUSTON HIGH SCHOOL](#)

[SIMSBORO SCHOOL](#)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

Cypress Springs/ Glen View/ Hillcrest/ Ruston Elementary

August 13-18 Back to School Parent Meetings (teachers will contact parents to set time)*
*All students including those remote learners who will be studying from home

GRADES 1 – 5 REPORT TO SCHOOL (NOT Virtual Students)

Wednesday, Aug. 19 Full Day - Buses will make their regular routes.
7:25 a.m. – 2:45 p.m. for GVE, CSE, RES, HIL

KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS

Thursday, August 20 Kindergarten Boys' First full Day (7:25 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.)
Friday, August 21 Kindergarten Girls' First full Day (7:25 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.)
Monday August, 24 All Kindergarten students attend (7:25 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.)

Lincoln Parish Early Childhood Center

August 13-18 Parent and Child Individual Meetings & ASQ Screening Appointments
(teachers will contact parents to set time)

Thursday, August 20 Boys' First Full Day
Friday, August 21 Girls' First Full Day
Monday, August 24 All Pre K students attend

*Lincoln Parish Early Childhood Center Time Schedule
7:30 a.m. – 7:55 a.m. – Parent drop off time
1:45 p.m. – 2:25 p.m. – Parent pick up time
Breakfast and Lunch will be served on full days.

CHOUDRANT ELEMENTARY

August 13-18 Back to School Parent Meetings (teachers will contact parents to set time)*
*All students including those remote learners who will be studying from home
Wednesday, Aug 19 Grades 1-6 All students, except virtual, report to school for full day (7:40 a.m. -3:15 p.m.)

CHOUDRANT ELEMENTARY PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS

Thursday, August 20 Pre-K and Kindergarten Boys' First full Day (7:40 a.m. -3:15 p.m.)
Friday, August 21 Pre-K and Kindergarten Girls' First full Day (7:40 a.m. -3:15 p.m.)
Monday, August 24 All Pre-K and Kindergarten students attend

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

DUBACH SCHOOL

August 13-18

Back to School Parent Meetings (teachers will contact parents to set time)

Wednesday, Aug. 19

Grades 1-5 All students, except virtual, report to school for full day (7:55 a.m. -3:10 p.m.)

DUBACH PRE-K and KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS

Thursday, August 20

Pre-K and Kindergarten Boys' First full Day (7:55 a.m. -3:10 p.m.)

Friday, August 21

Pre-K and Kindergarten Girls' First full Day (7:55 a.m. -3:10 p.m.)

Monday August, 24

All Pre-K and Kindergarten students attend

I. A. LEWIS

PREP DATES: DISTRIBUTE CHROMEBOOKS, STUDENT SCHEDULES, AND HANDBOOKS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES/TIMES:

Thursday, August 13

Girls last name ending A-L – 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **

Friday, August 14

Girls last name ending M-Z – 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **

Monday, August 17

Boys last name ending A-L – 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **

Tuesday, August 18

Boys last name ending M-Z – 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **

** One parent per student must attend**

Wednesday, Aug. 19

All students, except virtual, report to school for full day (8:00 a.m. -3:15 p.m.) Breakfast and lunch will be served on full days.

RUSTON JUNIOR HIGH

PREP DATES: DISTRIBUTE CHROMEBOOKS, STUDENT SCHEDULES, AND HANDBOOKS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES/TIMES:

Thurs & Fri Aug. 13-14

7a.m. – 12p.m.; 1p.m. – 3p.m.

Monday, Aug. 17

5p.m. – 7p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 18

7a.m. – 12p.m.

In order for students to receive their Chromebooks, the parent or guardian of record must be present along with the student to sign the Chromebook contract. Also, if you pre-ordered RJHS apparel, it will be available for pickup on the above days.

INSTRUCTIONAL DATES:

RJHS will use an A/B cohort schedule as we resume in-person learning. 7th grade students will be the "A" cohort. 8th grade students will be the "B" cohort. Each week the cohort groups will rotate to ensure that students get an equal amount of instructional time. A sample for August 2020 and the first week of September 2020 is below.

2020 (A Cohort = 7th Grade/B Cohort = 8th Grade)

August 17	18	19 (A) First Day	20 (B)	21 (A)
24 (B)	25 (A)	26 (B)	27 (A)	28 (B)
31 (A)	September 1 (B)	2 (A)	3 (B)	4 (A)

Wednesday, Aug. 19

Cohort "A" – 7th grade Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:25pm)

Thursday, Aug. 20

Cohort "B" – 8th grade Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:25pm)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

CHOUDRANT HIGH SCHOOL

**PREP DATES: DISTRIBUTE CHROMEBOOKS, STUDENT SCHEDULES, AND HANDBOOKS
ON THE FOLLOWING DATES/TIMES:**

Thursday, August 13 Prep-day for virtual students & 7th grade

Virtual Students only – all grades: Last Name: A – G @ 9:00 a.m.
Last Name: H – P @ 10:00 a.m.
Last Name: Q – Z @ 11:00 a.m.

7th grade: Last Name: A – C @ 4 p.m.

7th grade: Last Name: D – M @ 5 p.m.

7th grade: Last Name: N – Z @ 6 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 14 Prep-day for 8th, 9th, & 12th grade: 8th grade Last Name: A – M @ 9:00 a.m.
8th grade Last Name: N – Z @ 10:00 a.m.
12th grade all students @ 11:00 a.m.
9th grade Last Name: A – N @ 1 p.m.
9th grade Last Name: O – Z @ 2 p.m.

Monday, Aug. 17 Prep-day for 10th & 11th grade: 10th grade Last Name: A – F @ 9:00 a.m.
10th grade Last Name: G – O @ 10:00 a.m.
10th grade Last Name: P – Z @ 11:00 a.m.
11th grade Last Name: A – L @ 1:00 p.m.
11th grade Last Name: M – Z @ 2:00 p.m.
Drive through Prep all grades @ 4:00p.m.-6p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 18 Make-up for missed prep day/night- all grades @ 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. **
**Parents must sign up for a time since there is limited capacity

***Students will receive schedules once all forms are completed and returned with parent signatures. Parents/Guardians with students in multiple grades may choose to attend one session. Only one parent/guardian is allowed to enter per student. All forms are located on the school's website and may be downloaded and filled out ahead of time.

INSTRUCTIONAL DATES:

Choudrant High School will implement an A/B schedule to ensure lower numbers in the classroom. Students will report every other day beginning Wednesday, August 19, 2020. Students will be divided by the first letter of their last name as follows:

Grade	A Day	B Day
7 th	Last Names A – K	Last Names L – Z
8 th	Last Names A – K	Last Names L – Z
9 th	Last Names A – O	Last Names P – Z
10 th	Last Names A – K	Last Names L – Z
11 th	Last Names A – M	Last Names N – Z
12 th	Last Names A – F	Last Names G – Z

Wednesday, Aug. 19 Cohort “A” – Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)

Thursday, Aug. 20 Cohort “B” – Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

RUSTON HIGH SCHOOL

2020 Prep Week Schedule - RHS Auditorium

A student and one parent must attend together. Please come on your assigned day and enter through the front door of the auditorium. Social distancing and masks will be enforced.

Thursday, August 13 Prep-day for 9th grade virtual and traditional students Last Name A-G 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Last Name H-P 12:00-2:00 p.m.
Last Name R-Z 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Friday, August 14 Prep-day for 10th - 12th grade virtual students only 9:00-12:00 p.m.
10th grade traditional students 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Monday, August 17 Prep day for 11th grade traditional students 9:00-12:00 p.m.
12th grade traditional students 1:00-4:00 p.m.

All students will tend to the following items:

- Pick up schedules
- Check out computers- Computer contracts must be signed by both a parent and the student

In addition, 9th grade students only will:

- Take ID pictures and must wear a red, black, or white uniform shirt or RHS uniform t-shirt
- Come into the main building and locate their classrooms

Note: Students will not be charged a school fee for the 2020-2021 school year. All other school business (parking fees, t-shirt orders, yearbook sales, etc) will be handled when school begins.

INSTRUCTIONAL DATES:

During Phase 2 RHS will use an A/B cohort schedule as we resume in-person learning. 9th & 10th grade students will be the "A" cohort, and 11th & 12th grade students will be the "B" cohort. Each week the cohort groups will rotate to ensure that students get an equal amount of instructional time. A sample for August 2020 and the first 2 weeks of September 2020 is below.

2020 (A Cohort = 9th & 10th Grade/B Cohort = 11th & 12th Grade)

August 17	18	19 (A) First Day	20 (B) First Day	21 (A)
24 (B)	25 (A)	26 (B)	27 (A)	28 (B)
31 (A)	September 1 (B)	2 (A)	3 (B)	4 (A)
7 Labor Day- No School	8 (B)	9 (A)	10 (B)	11 (A)

Wednesday, Aug. 19 Cohort "A" – Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)
Thursday, Aug. 20 Cohort "B" – Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

Simsboro

PREP DATES: DISTRIBUTE CHROMEBOOKS, STUDENT SCHEDULES, AND HANDBOOKS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES/TIMES:

Thursday, August 13	Virtual Students PreK-12 7:30-11:30 & 1:00-3:00
Friday, August 14	Virtual Students PreK-12 7:30-11:30 & 1:00-3:00
Monday, August 17	In-Person Students PreK-12 7:30-11:30 & 2:00-6:00
Tuesday, August 18	In-Person Students PreK-12 7:30-11:30 & 1:00-3:00

Parents are to park in the track parking lot and enter through the side gate by the gym. Parents will go to the multi-purpose gym to sign documents and pick up materials.

PreK-2nd grade students and parents will be escorted into the main building and to their classroom for testing.

Instructional Dates

Simsboro Grades 7-12

SHS will use an A/B cohort schedule as we resume in-person learning. 7th, 9th, & 11th grade students will be the "A" cohort. 8th, 10th, & 12th grade students will be the "B" cohort. Each week the cohort groups will rotate to ensure that students get an equal amount of instructional time. A sample for August 2020 and the first 2 weeks of September 2020 is below.

2020 (A Cohort = 7th, 9th, 11th Grade/B Cohort = 8th, 10th, 12th Grade)

August 17	18	19 (A) First Day	20 (B) First Day	21 (A)
24 (B)	25 (A)	26 (B)	27 (A)	28 (B)
31 (A)	September 1 (B)	2 (A)	3 (B)	4 (A)
7 Labor Day- No School	8 (B)	9 (A)	10 (B)	11 (A)

Wednesday, Aug. 19	Cohort "A" – Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)
Thursday, Aug. 20	Cohort "B" – Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)

SIMSBORO GRADES 1 - 6

Wednesday, Aug. 19	Grades 1-6 Report for first full day (8:00am – 3:23pm)	Breakfast and lunch will be served on full days.
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SIMSBORO PRE-K and KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS

Thursday, Aug. 20	Kindergarten Boys' First full Day (8:00am – 3:23pm)
Friday, Aug. 21	Kindergarten Girls' First full Day (8:00am – 3:23pm)
Monday, Aug. 24	All Kindergarten students attend (8:00am – 3:23pm)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND START DATES

A. E. PHILLIPS LAB SCHOOL

Wednesday, Aug. 19	Grades 1-8 Report for first full day (7:50 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.)
Thursday, Aug. 20	Kindergarten Boys' First full Day (7:50 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.)
Friday, Aug. 21	Kindergarten Girls' First full Day (7:50 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.)
Monday, Aug. 24	All Kindergarten students attend (7:50 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.)
	**All students bring a sack lunch for the month of August