

Sherman County School



"Home of the Huskies"

August 5, 2020

Dear Parents and Students:

I hope everyone has been enjoying their summer! The new school year is upon us and as with any new start to a school year, we have a few new friendly faces who will be teaching and supporting our students. I would like to introduce you to our new Huskies!

- Brittany Waggoner, Principal (I cannot wait to meet you all!)
- Liz Cranston, 1st Grade
- Jessie Kerlake, 7-12th Special Education Teacher

This school year is going to begin much differently than any of us anticipated or desired. Although we want your students in the building where we can support them in person, we are unable to do so at this time, due to the state mandated metric system. To begin the school year, our students will receive their instruction through Comprehensive Distance Learning (CDL). We are hoping that very soon we will meet the metrics outlined for reopening and get your student back into the building! It has been a whirlwind of executive orders, guidance for schools and stress for these past 4.5 months, but we are going to make this as smooth as possible for you and our students! As we gear up for the start of the school year on September 2nd, registration is our first step.

To create a seamless transition into the year, if you have a student(s) that attended Sherman County School at the end of the 19-20 school year, you **DO NOT** need to complete new registration for him/her. If your family has any changes to your student/families' demographics (ex. phone number, address, etc.), please contact the school at (541) 565-3500.

If you have a student **NEW** to Sherman County School, you will complete registration online.

- Parent(s)/Guardian(s) with a new student NEW to Sherman that already have an established ParentVUE account, login to your account at https://or-scsd.edupoint.com/PXP2_Login.aspx to complete the registration process.
- Parent(s)/Gardian(s) that are new to the District, please go to http://or-scsd.edupoint.com/LOGIN_PARENT_OEN.ASPX to create a ParentVUE account and register your student(s).

Additionally, Oregon guidelines have changed for Free and Reduced Lunches increasing income limits. You may qualify! Please visit <https://www.ode.state.or.us/apps/frlapp> to complete the application.

Our main priority and focus is on launching the most beneficial, and comprehensive, distance learning program possible! We understand this is not an ideal situation we find ourselves in, and it can be, and likely will be stressful for families, so please know we are working overtime on developing clarity, consistency and effective practices for instruction and familial engagement. We are always here to help! Additionally, we want to ensure robust communication with families. In order to accomplish this please like and follow our Facebook and Instagram pages.

- FB page - <https://www.facebook.com/Sherman-County-School-606165356708789>
- IG handle - [shermancountyschool](https://www.instagram.com/shermancountyschool)

If you have any questions or need help with this new program, please don't hesitate to call the school. The administration and staff look forward to a successful school year!

Respectfully,

Brittany Waggoner – K12 Principal