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School Meals

A week's worth of school meals will be available on Wednesdays between 12p - 2p and 4p - 6p to accommodate family schedules. Information on meal pickup can be found here:

- [Collingswood Schools](#)
- [Oaklyn Schools](#)

Note: The US Department of Agriculture has extended the FREE MEALS provision through December 31, 2020. All students are eligible for FREE meals through that date.

Free and Reduced Price Meals (FRPM)

Families who believe they may be eligible for Free and Reduced Priced Meals beyond December 31 must apply through the Genesis Parent Portal (on the "Forms" tab).

- [Collingswood Parent Portal](#)
- [Oaklyn Parent Portal](#)

Families with students attending both the Collingswood and Oaklyn Public Schools will need to complete a form in each portal.

Note: Families that received a "Direct Certification" letter are not required to apply.



Technology Needs

For support with a Chromebook or other technology need, please:

- Email studenthelp@collsk12.org

OR

- Call 856-685-6973 during regular business hours

Chromebook Repairs

Typically, the Collingswood and Oaklyn Schools require families to pay a \$25 annual insurance fee to cover potential damage to Chromebooks that students take home. Both districts will be foregoing that fee this year to ensure students do not lose access to their devices. Nonetheless, repair requests continue to roll in. If you'd like to contribute to our Chromebook repair fund, The Oaklyn Education Foundation has set up a fundraiser to support repairs in both districts. To contribute, please visit:

<https://fundly.com/student-technology-fund>

We thank you for your consideration!



School Counseling

The Collingswood and Oaklyn Public Schools are committed to making social and emotional learning a priority during the 2020-2021 school year. Please click on the links below to read more about these efforts and for contact information for support staff in your child's school.

[Click here for Collingswood MS and HS SEL and Counseling Letters](#)

[Click here for Collingswood PS and Elementary SEL and Counseling Letters](#)

[Click here for Oaklyn SEL and Counseling Letters](#)



Students with Special Needs

For questions about your child's IEP or special learning needs, please email your child's case manager.

- [Collingswood Case Managers](#)
- [Oaklyn Case Managers](#)

If you are not sure who to contact, please call (856) 962-5702 ext 6511 (Collingswood) and (856) 858-0335 ext 7136 (Oaklyn) and someone will help direct you.

English Language Learners

For questions about services for English Language Learners in Collingswood, please reach out to Mr. Mark Wiltsey @ mwiltsey@collsk12.org or call (856) 962-5705 ext 4105.

For questions about services for English Language Learners in Oaklyn, please reach out to Elizabeth Solowey @ esolowey@oaklynschool.org.



Welcome Back 2020

Phase-In to In-Person Instruction Plan

Our schedule to phase-in in-person instruction can be found on our website or by following these links.

[Collingswood Phase-In Process](#)

[Oaklyn Phase-In Process](#)



School Calendars

Governor Murphy recently ordered all school buildings closed for in-person instruction on Election Day, Tuesday, November 3. As such, we will adjust our calendar that week to denote Tuesday as the full remote day and Wednesday as a Gold In-Person Day. See calendar updates below.

[Collingswood Public Schools Calendar](#)

[Oaklyn Public Schools Calendar](#)

*Note: Despite that none of our school buildings are used for in-person elections, we were advised all buildings must be closed.



Classroom Norms

In an effort to maximize learning and minimize disruption, please adhere to the following learning norms throughout the period of remote learning:

- Establish a time for bed and a time to wake-up, as you would during a normal September
- When your children wake up, have them clean up and get dressed to get ready for school (note: we may schedule a pajama day, but every day should not be pajama day)
- Provide a well-balanced breakfast to start their day
- Determine a workspace in your home that your children will use for school
- Support your children in giving it their best shot. One of our goals this year is to develop student “agency,” meaning encouraging students to take ownership of their own learning by asking questions and taking risks! This is new to all of us so help them focus on giving it their best effort and developing organizational skills in addition to the mastery of skills and content. View mistakes as opportunities to learn!



Attendance Policy

We completely understand that our families are all in unique situations regarding what they can accomplish during the typical school hours. As such, our criteria for maintaining regular attendance will be as follows:

- First Choice - the student logs into Zoom/Meet sessions at the designated times throughout scheduled school hours. Once we transition back to in-person hybrid learning, we will maintain that a student is present if he/she logs into the Zoom/Meet sessions - in-person or remotely. If a student is scheduled to be “in-person” but stays home out of precaution, logging in from home counts just as much as being present in the school building.
- Second Choice - if a student is unable to attend sessions during regularly scheduled times because of childcare issues or other legitimate concerns, please reach out to your child’s Principal or Building Administrator at the elementary level OR counselor at the MS and HS level. That person will work with the classroom teacher to establish a solution that works for everyone. Because of personal commitments, teachers may not be available after school hours.