

October 29, 2020

To: LMS Grade 6 Parents

From: Mr. Eric Schetter, LMS Principal

Re: Grade 6 Orientation/ Friday, November 6th

On Friday, November 6, 2020, LMS will be hosting a half day orientation program for those 6th grade students in the Blue and Maroon Cohorts. This will provide the students a chance to navigate the school without 7th and 8th grade students in the building, meet their teachers in person, see their classrooms and get a chance to get back to school for the first time since March 12th. I would like to provide some valuable information to you in preparation for this orientation program.

Bell Schedule

13 minute periods - 3 minutes passing Time

Morning Block (BLUE) Last Names A-K		Afternoon Block (Maroon) Last Names L-Z	
Period	Time	Period	Time
1	7:40 - 7:53	1	11:40 - 11:53
2	7:56 - 8:09	2	11:56 - 11:09
3	8:12 - 8:25	3	12:12 - 12:25
4	8:28 - 8:41	4	12:28 - 12:41
5	8:44 - 8:57	5	12:44 - 12:57
6	9:00 - 9:13	6	1:00 - 1:13
7	9:16 - 9:29	7	1:16 - 1:29
8	9:32 - 9:45	8	1:32 - 1:45
9	9:48 - 10:01	9	1:48 - 2:01

- Students will report to their Period 1 class and then move from period to period following the bell schedule listed above.

Students in the Green Remote Cohort

- Teachers are creating asynchronous lessons designed to orient the students to the building and their classes.
- Some teachers may meet remotely with the students, but this is not required.

Bus Information

- Parents will receive information from the ACSD Transportation Department regarding pick up and drop off times in the near future.

- Those students in the Blue Cohort will be picked up as per the transportation notification, and will be dismissed at 10:00am
- Those students in the Maroon Cohort will get picked up approximately 4 hours later than the transportation notification and will arrive home at their scheduled time.

Student Drop Off

- Students that are driven to school will be allowed to enter the school no earlier than 7:00am for the morning session and no earlier than 11:00am for the afternoon session.
- Those early arriving students will wait socially distanced in the cafeteria until 7:20am or 11:20am.
- Student drop off will occur at the drop off circle on the South side of the building.
- We have a number of drop offs, and parents are asked to be flexible and patient.

What to Bring to School

- Backpack to gather teacher handouts and supplies
- Mask
- Pen/Pencil
- Schedule

What Not to Bring to School

- Chromebook
- Instrument
- Lunch- which will not be served

Student Dismissal

- Students taking a bus home will be dismissed at the times listed above.
- Parent pick up will occur in the drop off circle and the front circle of the building.
- Those students being picked up will be dismissed after busses pull out to allow cars to fill in the front circle to alleviate traffic on Stringham Road.

Student Health Screening

- Daily health screening is an important part of the hybrid learning plan. Students are expected to complete the [Student Daily Health Screening](#) by 7:00am on the day he/she is reporting to school in person. Please note that in order to access this form, the student must be logged into their ACSD provided Google account. The easiest way to ensure that you will be able to access this form is to have your child log in to their district provided Chromebook and navigate the LMS Homepage. The daily health screening is the first item located in the "Quick Links" section on the left hand side. Consider bookmarking this page for easier access in the future. You will select either "Fail Screening" or "Pass Screening" based on the 4 questions listed above. You will then click the "next" button which will bring you to a second page in which you will

be able to “submit” the form. Some families are finding the “send a copy of my responses” option to be helpful in ensuring that the form was submitted correctly. If you have any questions with the health screening process, feel free to contact the school.

Safety Protocols

- Students will be socially distanced in each classroom and throughout the building.
- Masks must be worn at all times.
- Hand sanitizer is found in each classroom, and hand washing will be encouraged when applicable.

For those of you that have children coming to the building next Friday, we are looking forward to seeing them. I will be sending out another email to all parents in the near future regarding the start of hybrid instruction on November 9th. Thank you.