

Information for All Families

August 17, 2020



From the Desk of Dr. Mary Henderson

Dear D12 Families,

I have reminders, information, and our Return to Learn Instructional Guide

First Day of School for Students: Monday, August 24

[2020-21 School Year Calendar](#)

Teacher assignments to be shared with families on Tuesday, August 18

2020-21 school hours are as listed on each school's website

Are you working on building your mask stamina?

Chromebooks need to be charged and ready to use first thing Monday, August 24!

If you were not able to join our Board of Education meeting on Friday evening, we affirmed our plan to return to in-person instruction for families who have made that choice. Please know that the Illinois State Board of Education and/or the Illinois Department of Public Health could issue new rules and regulations that would force us to change to all remote learning at any time; however, at this time we are looking forward to seeing our students, both in-person and remote, on Monday, August 24th.

In-person instruction: You will receive the procedure and necessary materials for the daily certification of your child's fever- and symptom-free status during our drive-through Meet and Greet. This is a requirement before your child may enter the school bus or the school building.

Remote learning: You will receive your child's curriculum materials at the drive-through Meet and Greet.

Return to Learn Instructional Guide for All Families: This guide is for all families and shares our expectations for learning and teaching. It identifies the differences and similarities between in-person and remote instruction. Additionally, it gives more specific details about your child's daily remote learning schedule. I'd like to recognize the tremendous work that went into creating this guide by a team of our staff members, led by Mrs. Lynn, our Assistant Superintendent of Learning and Teaching. The guide is attached.

It was terrific to have our teachers back today and feel the energy in our schools! It will be amplified ten-fold when we get to see our students again next Monday, August 24.

Sincerely,
Dr. Mary Henderson
Superintendent



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