

RES Family Update

November 9, 2020

Happy Veterans Day to all our RES family veterans!

Grades 4 and 5 return to school.

[Questionnaire Link for 4th, 5th, 6th and 9th Grade Students](#)

Good evening 4th and 5th grade families.

Based on current conditions, Caroline County Public Schools is planning to bring 4th, 5th, 6th, and 9th grade students back to school buildings on an AA/BB schedule.

AA Schedule students will begin on Monday, November 30.

BB Schedule students will begin on Thursday, December 3.

Schedule Details:

Students on the AA Schedule (begins November 30):

- Monday and Tuesday in the building for in-person instruction.
- Wednesday at home for an asynchronous day (same as current schedule).
- Thursday and Friday at home for synchronous virtual learning (same as current schedule).

Students on the BB Schedule (begins December 3):

- Monday and Tuesday at home for synchronous virtual learning (same as current schedule).
- Wednesday at home for an asynchronous day (same as current schedule).
- Thursday and Friday in the building for in-person instruction.

Students in these grades who have already been attending four days a week will continue to come on those days - Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Students who remain at home for virtual learning will not experience any change to their schedule.

Please note:

- Families will not be able to choose an AA or BB schedule. Students will be assigned to a schedule based on bus routes.
- Families will be advised by the school of their student's schedule (AA Nov. 30, or BB Dec. 3) no later than November 23.
- Transportation will be provided. However, because of social distancing, transportation is a challenge. Please consider if you have an option other than using CCPS transportation.
- Face coverings are required for all students ages 5 and over.
- Protocols for preventing the spread of COVID-19 through cleaning, self-assessment, and social distancing are detailed in the CCPS Recovery Plan.

CCPS needs to know how many students will be returning to the building and how many will require transportation.

Early Dismissal Schedules - Tuesday, November 10

Please find the link to view the grade level EARLY DISMISSAL Schedules below. Our first Early Dismissal Day is Tuesday, November 10. Please plan on students coming home early this day.

Pre-k 3 year old - No School

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Grades 1, 2, 4 & 5

10:15 AM - 2:15 PM

Pre-k 4 year old, Kindergarten & grade 3

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1TxzZ8UEUNEtRMVJDjHYnWRZz15MMN5hCOHbeQDuDQ5M/edit?usp=sharing>

2nd Quarter Material Distribution Day is Wednesday, November 11

We will hold a drive through 2nd Quarter Distribution Day for new materials for the 2nd quarter on Wednesday, November 11 from 1:00 - 6:00 PM. Materials will be for students that are learning virtually. This is a drive through event. Please pull into the bus loop and someone will provide you with the needed materials for the 2nd quarter. Students that are coming to school including those in grade 3, your materials will be provided to you when you come to school.

Specials Schedule for Quarter 2

In order for all students to have each special area during the year, we must change the specials schedule each quarter. On Monday, November 16, specialists schedules will change for the 2nd Quarter. Please refer to the link below to see what day you child will have Music, Art, PE, Media, and/or Choice Day.

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1NqDzFjy-N-CvsyGi5lly_lqoLjIGMoWoa1vhjq3vae0/edit?usp=sharing

3rd grade students return on Thursday, November 12...

Based on current conditions, Caroline County Public Schools is planning to bring **third grade students** back to school buildings on **Thursday, November 12, 2020**.

All students, whether in-person or virtual, would follow the current schedule which is Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday every week. Wednesday would continue to be an asynchronous day at home.

Bus drivers should be reaching out to families about pick-up and/or drop-off time(s) beginning tomorrow.

If you are dropping off and/or picking up your child, please use the car rider drop-off/pick-up area in the side parking lot off of Seward Road.

Students may be dropped off between 10:00 and 10:15.

Instruction begins at 10:15.

Car rider dismissal begins at 3:40.

Bus dismissal begins at 3:45.

We are excited to have many of our 3rd grade students returning to school. Virtual learning will continue for those students that remain at home.

Calendar:

November 10

Early Dismissal Day for students

November 11

Veterans Day - thank you to all of our veteran staff members and RES family members

Quarter 2 Material Distribution for Virtual Learning Students - 1:00 - 6:00 PM - Drive through event.

November 12

Grade 3 students in school learning scheduled to begin

November 16

American Education Week begins

Specials schedule change for the 2nd Quarter

November 17

Report Cards Distributed/Mailed

Board Work Session - 6:00 PM

November 18

No School for all students- Conference day

November 19

No School for Pre-k students - Pre-k conference Day

November 25 - 29

Thanksgiving Break

December 1

Board Meeting - 6:00 PM

December 23

Early Dismissal for students

Q2 Interim Reports distributed/mailed

December 24 - January 2

Positive Case Report...

In these difficult times, it's easy for misinformation to spread. The goal of CCPS is to ensure communication protocols are thorough and transparent, while protecting employee and student privacy. Please remember that we do have a process for advising those identified as close contacts of a person testing positive. These notifications are followed by an email that tells staff and families of a positive COVID-19 case in our building.

This communication process can be found on the CCPS website page [Positive Case Reports](#). This page also includes a weekly report, by building, of any positive cases reported among staff or students. Feel free to share this page with anyone needing accurate, verified information.

Learning at home tips...

Here are some reminders and tips for learning at home.

- Organize your materials each day.
- Choose a well lit place, a spot with some natural light can be helpful.
- Reduce any distracting noise.
- Think about your background, think about what's going to be behind you on video during zoom.
- Make a plan for breaks that includes getting away from your work area and getting in some movement and fresh air.
- Reach out to teachers, counselors, or administrators if you need help.
- Ask questions when you don't understand.
- Do your BEST!

Breakfast and Lunch Menu

You can find the weekly school breakfast and lunch menu on the CCPS website.





Thank you for your service Mr. Trice.



Thank you for your service Mr. Sutton.

Technology Support:

Technology Support for students and parents. Please share with your families.

Phone: 410-479-1464

Email: support@ccpsstaff.org

LEARN ABOUT YOUR GOOGLE TOOLS! Join Lindsay Grow every Tuesday and Thursday @ 8:15 AM and 2:30 PM. Join the ZOOM with Mrs. Grow. Meeting ID: 752-625-1240.

DO YOUR BEST



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