



**NEWMARK**

Education

Winter 2021

Dear Parents,

The Newmark K-8 School and Newmark High School provide **Extended School Year Programs (ESY)** for our students who are eligible through your local school district. This year the program will run from Tuesday, July 6, 2021 through Friday, July 30, 2021. In order to be eligible for ESY, it must be agreed upon by the IEP Team which includes you, your school district Student study team and Newmark. The determination is made at the annual IEP meeting.

This year, as in past years, we require that parents and school districts confirm if their student will be attending ESY **no later than May 1, 2021**. We cannot guarantee placement into the ESY program after that date. Because your student attends Newmark does not make them automatically eligible for ESY. If your student attended last year, they should qualify. To clarify:

1. If you have already had your IEP meeting and it was decided your student is attending ESY, then you don't need to do anything.
2. If your IEP meeting is prior to May 1, 2021, eligibility can be determined at the meeting ESY placement confirmed.
3. If your IEP meeting is after May 1, 2021, we ask that you contact your case manager to discuss your student's eligibility with them and confirm with us by May 1, 2021.

There will be **NO EXCEPTIONS** to this date as we need to plan classes, staffing, etc. Also, it is expected that your student will attend all four (4) weeks of the ESY program. We do make allowances for up to one (1) week of family vacation but children should not be attending other camps during this time and using our program as a filler. This is not the intent of ESY and your student would not qualify for ESY services if that is the case.

All High School students should attend ESY unless they have found employment or have an alternative plan that will support their transition out of high school. All positions must be secured prior to IEP meeting.

At this time, we plan on hosting ESY onsite with full days Monday through Thursday, and half day dismissals on Fridays. Please feel free to contact me or your school principal if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Dr. Regina M. Peter  
Executive Director

**OVER PLEASE**

NEWMARK K-8 & HIGH SCHOOL  
2021 - 2022 ESY

JULY						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

- July 6 - First Day Of School For Students
- July 9 - Half Day for Students
- July 16 - Half Day for Students
- July 23 - Half Day for Students
- July 30 - Last Day Of School -  
Half Day for Students

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**Newmark High School Hours**

Hours: 8:20 AM - 2:05 PM (Mon-Thurs)  
Early Dismissal: 8:20 AM - 12:20 PM (Fri)

**Newmark K-8 School Hours**

Hours: 8:45 AM - 2:30 PM (Mon-Thurs)  
Early Dismissal: 8:45 AM - 12:45 PM (Fri)

*Subject to change*

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<b>School Days Per Month</b>	
July	19
Total -	19 Student Days