

SECOND SEMESTER EXPECTATIONS FOR SECONDARY STUDENTS



The second semester begins on Monday, Feb. 8 and runs through Friday, May 28. To ensure that your child has a strong and successful semester, please take some time to review our student expectations for distance learning, in-person learning, and mask requirements.



WHEN IN DISTANCE LEARNING:

- » Follow your schedule. Participating in live class is critical. Students need to join live Zoom classes; this time is class time. Communicate with your teacher if you have extenuating circumstances that prevent you from attending live Zoom class consistently. Your teachers want to engage with you!
- » Learning is social. Turn on cameras as much as you can. Seeing each other helps to engage and participate in discussions. Your teachers want and need to see you!
- » Work daily to stay on track. Submit work on time each week. All assignments are due by Sunday evening.
- » Contact teachers when you have questions. Ask questions. Chat questions. Email questions. Use office hours. There will NOT be an extension for completing work at the end of Semester 2. (Note: Students in Beyond, Summit, Tulsa Virtual Academy, and certain advanced courses will have different expectations and guidance. Your teacher and school will provide specific guidance.)



WHEN LEARNING IN PERSON:

- » Wear a mask.
- » Wash or sanitize your hands frequently.
- » Bring a water bottle in order to use the water fillers.
- » Be mindful of distance from others. We know we want to hug our friends and teachers, give high fives and fist bumps, but we need to stay in our space to keep each other safe.
- » Bring your Chromebook and charger to your classes each day.
- » Lockers will not be used, so we recommend bringing a backpack to carry your personal belongings and technology.
- » Continue to use Canvas to access and submit daily assignments and announcements.
- » Submit work on time each week. There will NOT be an extension for completing work at the end of Semester 2.
- » Let your teachers know when you have questions. Ask questions in class. Email questions. Sign up for and attend office hours.
- In person learning will occur four days a week Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Wednesdays will continue to be distance learning days for all students.





STUDENT MASK REQUIREMENTS

- » Masks must cover the nose and mouth.
- » Masks should be two or more layers.
- » Masks must be worn any time or place where other people are present.
- » Masks may be removed at mealtimes, outdoors, and during mask breaks.
- » Bandanas, handkerchiefs, fleece balaclavas, neck gaiters (without filters), or any other piece of cloth tied with an opening at the bottom are not allowed.

Parents will be notified for the first two incidents of students not following mask requirements; a third incident results in students returning to distance.

ACCEPTABLE MASKS

- » Homemade masks
- » Surgical/procedural masks (tie or ear loop)
- » Dust masks
- » N95 masks without vents



While every child should bring a mask to school, we will provide masks for students who need them.