

Hawk Family News
January 3, 2021

Dear Hawk Families,

Welcome to 2021! We are excited to begin school this week. I hope this message finds you and your family safe and healthy. January is going to prove to be a busy month full of anticipated changes, starting with the potential beginning of in-person learning for grades K-2. While the decision has not been finalized, we are prepared to open the doors on January 11 if/when Superintendent Winter confirms we are proceeding. He will make that determination on January 6. Read on for more information in the newsletter this week.

Supply-Materials Pick Up: On Wednesday, January 6, we will have another supply-materials pick up. We will continue the “self-service” model, with materials being available between 10:00 AM and 6:00 PM on that day. In the packets this time, there will be the following for all students:

1. A letter regarding guidelines for student attendance, including a contact form that has to be completed and returned to school on the first day of in person learning.
2. Daily attestation forms to utilize until you are able to complete your student(s) daily attestations in Skyward.
3. A craft project and cookie, along with an invitation to a “Cookie Social” with Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Del Palacio on Wednesday, January 13 via Zoom. Save your project and cookie for that day!
4. Car placards/signs for students whose survey indicated they would be parent pick up during hybrid learning.
5. Other materials and supplies as determined by grade level teachers.

Hybrid In-Person Learning-Tentative Start Date of Monday, January 11

Students placed in the hybrid learning model are tentatively scheduled to begin school on campus soon! The class schedule will be as follows:

Morning Session-Students with last name A-K:

8:55 am- Students arrive and go to classrooms

9:05 am- School begins

11:35 am- Students dismissed (grab and go breakfast and lunch to take home)

Afternoon Session- Students with last name L-Z:

1:00 pm- Students arrive and go to classrooms

1:10 pm- PM Session starts

3:40 pm- Students dismissed (grab and go breakfast and lunch for the next day)

Parent Information Night for Grade K-2 Hybrid Learning Model Students

This Thursday night at 6:00 PM, Mrs. Ward will be hosting an information session on the hybrid learning model for K-2 families. It will include a presentation regarding procedures and general information. There will be time for questions and answers after the presentation. The session will be recorded and posted for viewing at a later time if you are unable to attend. The link to the meeting is below. It will also be sent out in a reminder email closer to the meeting date/time.

Topic: K-2 Hybrid Learning Parent Information Meeting

Time: Jan 7, 2021 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85149579031>

Meeting ID: 851 4957 9031

One tap mobile

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+16699006833,,85149579031# US (San Jose)

*Note: If there is any technical difficulty before or during the meeting, please check your email for a message that will contain either a new meeting link or a message regarding the status of the meeting.

Grades 3-5 Tentative Start Date for Hybrid Learning:

The tentative start date for grade 3-5 Hybrid Learning students is set for Monday, January 25. Families will receive districtwide updates regarding any changes to this timeline as future decisions are made based on community health information.

As always, I encourage you to reach out to me with questions. You may call the school office for assistance at 360-443-3050 or email me at ward@skschools.org. I have limited availability by phone during the day, but feel free to leave a message with the office and I will return your call as soon as possible.

Brenda Ward, Principal