

February 6, 2022

Dear Families of Central Middle School:

Thank you for all of the great feedback we have been receiving over the weekend. We want to share some questions we have been getting tonight from families and the answers.

1. On Monday with a delayed opening, are shuttle buses leaving from CMS and what time are shuttles expected to depart from CMS?

Yes. The shuttle buses are available Monday through Friday. Tomorrow with the delayed opening, they are expected to be at Central Middle School at approximately 9:45 AM and are scheduled to depart to the host schools at approximately 10:00 AM. On Tuesday through Friday, they will be at CMS at approximately 7:45 AM and are scheduled to depart to host schools at approximately 8:00 AM.

2. We have a sixth-grader and we live within walking distance to Cos Cob. Can we walk instead of taking the shuttle?

Yes. If it is more convenient to walk to Cos Cob, then please do so. Your child can enter Cos Cob through the back entrance by the playground. Please, no car drop-offs.

3. Can eighth grade students be dismissed from GHS to either walk/bike home or ride with a family member or friend?

No, all eighth grade students are expected to board the shuttle bus back to CMS for dismissal. With the difference in school end times (CMS 2:15 PM & GHS 3:15 PM) we need to account for the departure of all CMS students from the GHS campus each day.

4. At dismissal, will students arrive back to CMS in time to catch the bus for the Boys and Girls Club?

Yes, the buses will make sure that the students are back and can board the buses to BGC.

Please continue to email us questions for us to answer as the week continues.

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