



MSD of Boone Township  
*Helping Students Succeed*

**Summer 2018**

# BRIDGES

Connecting the Pieces of Life





## Superintendent's Message - Dr. Nathan Kleefisch



Welcome to the start of the 2018-2019 School Year!

The MSD of Boone Township Board of School Trustees and the administration would like to extend a warm welcome back to all of our students, parents and staff. We look forward to another exciting school year!

Here are just a few of the many things that we have planned for this year!

### **Middle School Office Improvement Project:**

Last year, in an attempt to enhance safety at Hebron Elementary School, the elementary school office was relocated to an exterior location at Door G. All visitors and guests now enter the elementary school directly into a secured vestibule before being allowed into the office to sign in and conduct their business.

This summer, the same safety improvements have been made to the Hebron Middle School office. These changes will also require all visitors and guests to enter directly into a new secured vestibule, which is located next to Door A, on the northwest corner of the middle school. Once inside the secured vestibule, visitors/guests will be able to communicate with the office staff to have the door electronically activated to allow entry directly into the middle school office to sign in. Once guests have signed in and receive a Visitor's ID badge, they will be allowed into the school to conduct their business. Such safety measures have been put into place to add another layer of protection for all of our students and staff.

In addition to these safety improvements, enhancements at Doors A and B include new, wider sidewalks and landings that eliminate all outdoor stairs for a faster and safer evacuation pathway during a crisis situation when building occupants need to vacate the building quickly. Additional parking has also been added to accommodate our visitors and guests during their visits.

### **Expanded School Resource Officer (SRO) coverage:**

School safety remains one of our highest priorities. MSD of Boone Township in cooperation with the Hebron Police Department, established a School Resource Officer (SRO) program during the start of the 2017-2018 school year. Hebron Police Officers selected to be SRO's have to go through additional training and have to become certified as SRO's through the National Association of School Resource Officers (NASRO).

The goal of NASRO and SRO programs is to provide safe learning environments, provide valuable resources to school staff members, foster a positive relationship with students and develop strategies to resolve problems that affect our youth with the goal of protecting all children, so they can reach their fullest potential.

Last school year's SRO coverage consisted of two hours per student day. Beginning in August, our SRO coverage will be increased to eight hours a day, every day students are in school. This additional SRO coverage is in response to the increase of school related acts of violence throughout our nation. Funding through the Department of Homeland Security's Secured Schools Safety Grant is covering half of the costs for the SRO coverage.

### **Change in Morning Arrival for Students:**

In an attempt to enhance school safety at all of our buildings, only two doors in each building will be used for student entry during the morning arrival times. All doors in each school building will be secured (locked) throughout the day. This includes all exterior and interior doors. The schedule and location of which exterior doors will be accessible and supervised by staff during student arrival times are listed below. Anyone arriving outside of these times must check in at the main office of the school to gain entry into the building. School employees with valid FOB's may still use any electronic door for entry into the building.

### **High School:**

Door #1 (Office Door) will open at 7:25 a.m. on regular start days and at 7:45 a.m. on late start Wednesdays for all student drivers, walkers and those being dropped off by their parents.

Door #12 (Bus Door) will open at 7:25 a.m. on regular start days and at 7:45 a.m. on late start Wednesdays for all bus riders.

### **Middle and Elementary Schools:**

Door D will open at 7:30 a.m. on regular start days and at 7:50 a.m. on late start Wednesdays for all walkers, bike riders and those being dropped off by their parents.

Door G will open at 7:30 a.m. on regular start days and at 7:50 a.m. on late start Wednesdays for all middle school bus riders and at 8:10 a.m. on regular start days and at 8:20 a.m. on late start Wednesdays for all elementary school bus riders.

Students arriving after the start of the school day must check in at the office. No students are to be in the building after dismissal without a teacher, a coach or a sponsor.

### **Expansion of our 1:1 Technology Program:**

MSD of Boone Township currently has a very successful 1:1 Technology Program that places Chromebook laptop computers into the hands of every high school student, middle school student and elementary school student in 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grades. The Chromebooks have proven to be very durable, reliable, and appropriate for all of our educational needs in addition to being affordable.

All students in grades 4 through 12 will have access to a Chromebook, and our 3rd graders will be using the Dell laptops that were previously used by 4th graders. Students in grades K through 2 are using iPads that are stored in charging carts and are available for use throughout the school day. All are included in the 1:1 program. This access to technology allows our Hebron students to expand the boundaries of their classrooms to their highest levels. In addition, putting this type of technology into the hands of our students prepares each student to effectively navigate complex hardware and software systems used for academic purposes which they will be expected to know when they leave high school.

### **Indiana Career Explorer:**

Building on our goals to ensure that all students take full advantage of their educational experiences at MSD of Boone Township and to assist all students in defining, reaching and succeeding in their post-secondary endeavors (going to college, entering a trade/technical school or entering the workforce), Hebron Middle School and Hebron High School will continue to expand the opportunities for all of their students to engage in the Indiana Career Explorer Program.

Indiana Career Explorer helps each student explore a world of post-secondary possibilities and prepares students to make decisions for the next steps in their educational and career planning journey.

Through the use of the Indiana Career Explorer, middle and high school students will learn about their individual strengths and interests, and then will find careers that match their passions and talents. Furthermore, once these careers are identified, students can explore the details of those careers through interactive videos and in-depth data specific to that field of employment such as the educational requirements, employment projections/trends, and salary range projections.

The Career Explorer also helps students build an educational plan to meet their individual educational/career goals and provides a dashboard to let students track their progress toward reaching those goals. The Indiana Career Explorer Program is flexible and grows with the student.

As the students mature and their interests change, students can reassess their strengths and interest. The updated information will allow them to revise their plans and goals for the future.

For additional information regarding Indiana Career Explorer, go to: <http://www.indianacareerexplorer.com>

### **Olweus Bullying Prevention Program:**

MSD of Boone Township understands that having a safe school environment is foundational to all students reaching their highest academic and social development potential. Providing a positive school culture, one that accepts and respects the differences that we all bring to school every day, helps our students learn about other cultures and develop into well-rounded, mature adults.

The Olweus Bullying Prevention Program is a research-based program that provides a long-term, district-wide approach to bullying prevention. The Olweus Bullying Prevention Program focuses on educating all stakeholders on the characteristics of bullying behavior, how to address bullying situations that do occur, and how to create and maintain a long-term bullying prevention culture throughout the district. Stakeholders include: administration, teachers, aides, counselors, transportation, school nurse, maintenance, students and parents.

The program also includes the Olweus Bullying Survey that is administered to all students in grades 3 through 12 each year. The data gathered from this survey is used to assess the school's efforts in reducing bullying and helps the Bullying Prevention Committee identify areas within each school where improvement is needed. Once identified, the Bullying Prevention Committee is charged with defining strategies to reduce/eliminate bullying behavior and to monitor the progress of their efforts over time. For additional information regarding the Olweus Bullying Prevention Program, go to: <http://www.violencepreventionworks.org/public/index.page>

### **Referendum**

While we don't often talk about the positive impact that the referendum has on our school, I wanted to remind our community of all the great things that are being done with their tax dollars. At the start of the 2014-15 school year, and after several high school teachers had been let go, many students were spending a large portion of their school day in study halls due to the reductions of course offerings as a result having a smaller teaching staff. Since that time and after replacing the English teacher and the Family and Consumer Science teacher that were cut prior to the last referendum, students are flourishing with a variety of academic, career and technical course offerings to meet their educational goals.

In addition, expanded Career and Technical Education opportunities are available for all of our high school students who wish to attend classes at the career center in Valparaiso.

With the declining enrollment and the loss of state revenue, MSD of Boone Township is becoming more dependent on the referendum funding to maintain its high quality education programs.

### **Superintendent's Forum with the School Community:**

In order to continue providing opportunities to enhance communication at all levels within our school community, we are currently planning for this year's Superintendent's Forum. The purpose of this gathering is to provide an informal setting for parents/guardians and the school community to learn more about all of the great things going on in our schools. The Forum also affords the school community an opportunity to ask questions and share their thoughts and concerns directly with the school administration. This is a great platform to share your ideas regarding our schools.

In October, information will be sent out inviting everyone to attend the Superintendent's Forum.

### **Hebron Schools Education Foundation, Inc.:**

The Hebron Schools Education Foundation, Inc., was officially created and approved as a 501(c) (3) by the Internal Revenue Service in December 2016. The nine member Board of Directors consist of outstanding community leaders who are committed to improving opportunities for all students attending our Hebron Schools.

The 2018-19 Hebron Schools Education Foundation Board of Directors are Mrs. Sue Franzman, President; Mrs. Peggy Patrick, Treasurer; and Mr. Thomas Neuffer, Secretary. Other members are Mr. Thomas Carroll, Mrs. JoElla DePra, Mr. Lynn Fisel, Mr. Brett Galvan, Mr. Steve Hallberg, and Mr. Jamie White.

For more information on the Hebron Schools Education Foundation and how you can donate, please visit the district's website at: [www.hebronschools.k12.in.us](http://www.hebronschools.k12.in.us)

As always, if you have any questions, feel free to contact me at any time at (219) 996-4771, ext. 120.

Have a great school year!





## NEW Staff



### Ashley Welch, Elementary Art

Ashley Welch is a graduate of Saint Joseph's College. Mrs. Welch has spent the last ten years teaching art to all different grade levels at Kankakee Valley School Corporation. Ashley is very excited to be at Hebron and to share her love and passion for art with this community.



### Robb Thiel, Band Director

Robb G. Thiel began as the Interim Director of Bands for the Hebron Schools in 2017. He is a 1975 graduate of South Bend Riley High School. He holds a Bachelors Degree in Music Education from the University of Evansville (1979) and a Masters Degree in Education from Indiana University (1989). Before coming to Hebron, Robb held the Director of Bands position at North Miami High School (1979-84), Winamac High School (1984-85), Knox High School (1985-93) and Saint Joseph's College (1993-2017). In his fourteen years as a middle and high school band director, his bands qualified for the Indiana State School Music Association State Marching Band Contest seven times as well as numerous First Division Ratings for his concert bands. Robb resides in Rensselaer, Indiana with his wife of 37 years, Kris.

## HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

*Aaron Owney, Principal*



### Hello Hawks!

I am extremely excited to start the 2018-19 school year. It is an honor and privilege to be part of the Hebron family and the excellence that is found here at Hebron High School. This year promises to be a wonderful learning experience for me, and my hope is that it will also be for the students as well.

I would like to take this opportunity to share a little about myself and my family. My family and I live in Morgan Township; my wife, Kari and three children, Micah, Lilah, and Mason. I have been in education for over 15 years and have been a part of PCC schools for the last 12 years. My teaching background is in math and English. I have served as the Assistant Principal/Athletic Director at Kouts MS/HS and have also served as the Principal at LaCrosse High School.

I am also pleased to report that in April of 2018, the MSD of Boone Township hosted a team of educators from AdvancEd to help us look at how we can improve as a district. The district was awarded continued accreditation through AdvancEd. This great accomplishment shows the continued focus our district has on delivering quality education. We would like to thank all of the parents, students, and staff that filled out surveys and served on committees last school year.

Hebron High School has so much to be proud of and I am grateful to be a part of this team. Thank you for such a warm welcome. Great things are happening here at Hebron High School. Let's continue this momentum moving forward as we grow together! I am extremely excited to meet everyone and begin a fresh, new school year! Enjoy the remainder of the summer, see you soon!

**Aaron Owney, Principal**

## RETIRED Staff



### Patricia Reinhold

Mrs. Patricia Reinhold taught at both Hebron Elementary and Hebron Middle School for a total of 40 years finishing her career as a 6th grade Science teacher.



### Mark Lutze

Mr. Mark Lutze served as Hebron High School's principal for 10 years.



### Mary Faith Drazer

Mrs. Mary Faith Drazer taught at Hebron Elementary for 30 years developing our elementary art program.

**Congratulations to our retirees from the 2017-2018 school year.**



### Hebron 4th of July

Mrs. Witt & Mrs. Moser participated in the PTG 4th of July float.

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

*Jim Martin, Principal*



Congratulations to Hebron Elementary School, Hebron Middle School and Hebron High School for being awarded a renewed five-year AdvancED Accreditation! This accreditation process examines the whole institution, the programs, the cultural context and the community stakeholders, to determine how well the parts work together to meet the needs of learners. The visiting Review Team assesses

the quality of the learning environment to gain insights and target improvements in teaching and learning. AdvancED provides standards that are tailored for all education providers so that the benefits of accreditation are universal across the education community. We would like to thank parents, students, faculty and staff for helping us with this process.

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Elementary Art Teacher, Mrs. Mary Drazer, on her retirement from Hebron. Mrs. Drazer should be commended not only for her 30 years of service to Hebron Elementary School, but also for running an outstanding Art Program.

For school safety purposes, we will be limiting the number of entry points for students in the 2018-2019 school year. For students arriving by car, bicycle or walking, Door "D" will electronically unlock at 7:30 a.m. on regular start days and at 7:50 a.m. on late start Wednesdays. (Elementary students will not be allowed to enter the building prior to these times.) Door "G" will open at 8:10 a.m. on regular start days and 8:20 a.m. on late start Wednesdays for all students arriving by bus.

High stakes testing is not going away anytime soon even though the ISTEP Exam ended for students in grades K-8 last spring. The new ILEARN Assessment will begin during the 2018-2019 school year. These assessments will be computer adaptive, have reduced testing times, and a single testing window. After the first pilot year, the Department of Education is promising individual test results will be returned to schools within 12 days.

Online registration will be available to parents the week of July 16<sup>th</sup>. Parents will need to login to Harmony to submit all required forms prior to the start of school. (Book Rental will be payable at a later date.) For parents not able to register online, we will have one day (**August 6**) for **on-site registration**. Computer labs will be available for parents to complete the required forms on this day. Due to the number of families who no longer come into the building for registration, we will hold our Elementary Open House before school begins. The **Elementary Open House will be held from 5:30-6:30 p.m. on Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**. This allows for students and parents to find their classrooms and meet their teachers before the first day of school on Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. (Many parents also appreciated being able to bring in school supplies prior to the first day of school). See you soon!

**Jim Martin, Principal**

## MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

*Jeff Brooks, Principal*



In January of 2018, a team of educators from the Indiana Middle Level Educators Association (IMLEA) recognized Hebron Middle School as a National "School to Watch" for the third time! This accomplishment is due to the hard work and dedication of the students and staff at Hebron Middle School. Then, in April of 2018, the district hosted a team of educators from AdvancEd to help us look at how we can improve as a district.

We are excited to report that the district was awarded continued accreditation through AdvancEd! Improvement processes such as Schools to Watch and AdvancEd show the commitment that the MSD of Boone Township has to delivering a high quality education to the students at Hebron. Thank you to all of the parents, students and staff that filled out surveys and served on committees last school year.

The 2018-19 school year will see a change at the 6th grade level. After 40 years of teaching, Mrs. Reinhold is now retired. Mrs. Reinhold taught 6th grade Science and is excited to start her retirement. Thank you and congratulations to Mrs. Reinhold for 40 years of educating students in the town of Hebron!

Mrs. Rebecca Moser will be replacing Mrs. Reinhold in 6th grade Science. Mrs. Moser most recently has been teaching 4th grade in the elementary. She is very excited to accept the opportunity to teach at Hebron Middle School, and we are excited to have her join the team!

This August, the middle school office will become safer and have a new look. The office will be in the same location, but doors are being installed for people to access the office first, before making their way into the rest of the building. The middle school will also be getting more parking spaces and sidewalks for those who need to come to the office.

We are looking forward to many exciting opportunities during the upcoming school year. This all starts with the **Hebron Middle School Open House on Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**. **The open house will start in the gymnasium at 6:30 p.m.** Parents and students will then have an opportunity to meet their grade level team teachers, walk the halls, open their lockers and see their classrooms.

Please be looking for an email regarding online registration at the middle school starting July 17<sup>th</sup>. You will have an opportunity to sign forms, change demographics, and get your student's schedule for the year. A link will arrive to your inbox on or around July 17<sup>th</sup>.

I hope that everyone takes advantage of the last few weeks of summer, and I hope to see everyone here for the Hebron Middle School Open House on August 13<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:30 p.m!

**Jeff Brooks, Principal**



# 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR





# HELPING STUDENTS SUCCEED





## ATHLETIC NEWS - John Steinhilber, AD



The Hebron Athletic Department would like to thank the community and businesses for their tremendous support of our athletes and coaches. Please visit our web site: <http://gohebronathletics.com/> where you will find updated scores, alerts, and announcements daily. We encourage you to sign up for alerts. These alerts provide the most up to date information about events, please sign up!

While we are looking forward to a great 2018-19 school year, here are some of the accomplishments from the past year:

### High School Athletics

#### Fall:

Boys Cross Country team were regional qualifiers.  
Boys Varsity Volleyball won the PCC round robin championship

#### Winter:

J.V. Boys Basketball won the PCC tournament championship

#### Spring:

Softball won the Covenant Christian Tournament

#### Porter County Conference Mental Attitude winners:

Logan Ryan - Baseball

### COACH/STUDENT/PARENT COMMUNICATION

All coaches are required to have an account on [remind.com](http://remind.com) for one way communication with students and parents. This helps everyone to know what is going on with the team. Announcements, schedule changes, and emergency cancellations will be sent on [remind.com](http://remind.com). Parents and students can sign up at [remind.com](http://remind.com) or by texting the number and code provided by the coach. All of the communication will be texted to your cell phone or you can opt to use an email address to receive alerts. You may not reply to these messages.

**Before their first practice**, all students participating in sports for the 2018/19 school year are required to complete FINAL FORMS in addition to having a physical on file.

The MSD Boone Township has partnered with FINAL FORMS, an online forms and data management service at <https://hebron-in.finallforms.com>. The fee online is \$5 plus tax. You may pay the flat \$5 in the athletic office.

### HEBRON HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCHOOL ANNOUNCES FALL 2018 PRACTICE START DATES:

High School Cross Country	July 30	7:00 - 8:30 am
High School Boys Volleyball	July 30	3:00 - 5:00 pm
High School Girls Volleyball	July 30	5:00 - 7:00 pm
High School Girls Soccer	July 30	5:30 - 8:15 pm
High School Boys Soccer	July 30	5:00 - 7:00 pm
Middle School Cross Country	July 30	8:30 - 10:00 am
Middle School Baseball	July 30	4:00 - 6:00 pm
Middle School Volleyball	August 15	4:30 - 6:30 pm
Middle School Softball	July 23	6:00 - 7:30 pm

### Attention Parents!

Our Athletic Department has two booster clubs that support our students. We need you!

### Hebron Athletic Booster Club – Contact Mary Sue Sheets for more information at 219-996-4771 ext. 119

This club has recently purchased an International Scout utility vehicle for the Athletic department, backboard lighting, time clocks in locker rooms, and new volleyball standards. This club is in charge of our high school concession stands and offers scholarships to students when their parents work our concessions. NEW – they partnered with the Hawk Athletic Club to purchase new softball and baseball windscreens.

### Hawk Athletic Booster Club – Contact Carol Wallace for more information at 219-996-7215.

This club has recently purchased the outside signs displayed at our baseball field, softball field, and track. They also purchased stadium chairs for our middle school and high school gymnasiums. This group raises money by selling items such as cookies at our home basketball games and also works around most Hebron Community events selling items to support our athletic programs. NEW – they partnered with the Hebron Booster Club to purchase new softball and baseball windscreens.

Please help our student athletes by joining one or both of these Booster clubs today!



### Logan Ryan, 1st Team All State Baseball

Logan Ryan was voted to the Indiana High School Baseball Coaches Association All-State First Team. This honor is classified throughout the four classes of schools. He was voted in as the Class 2A First Team Shortstop by coaches throughout the state.



### Semi State Qualifier

Congratulations to Ewan Donovan on being the first wrestler in school history to advance to the Semi-State round of the IHSAA State Wrestling Tournament. He is pictured here with Coach Adamczyk after winning the Crown Point Sectional.



### Congratulations Carson!

During the 2017-2018 season, senior, Carson Roeske became the 12th player in Hebron Boys Basketball history to score over 1,000 points in his career. Carson capped his career as the Hawks 8th all time leading scorer, amassing 1,225 points.

Pictured with Carson on the night he surpassed 1,000 points, is Hebron 5th grader, Brock Franzman.





## ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE FOR LOWER-INCOME FAMILIES

Parents and students can obtain an application for free or reduced price meals at registration or on the schools website. You can check the income and household size chart below to see if you are eligible and if so, you are encouraged to apply.

### Who can get free or reduced price meals?

- All children in households receiving benefits from SNAP (Food Stamps) or TANF, are eligible for free meals.
- Foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court are eligible for free meals.
- Children participating in their school's Head Start program are eligible for free meals.
- Children who meet the definition of homeless, runaway, or migrant are eligible for free meals.
- Children may receive free or reduced price meals if your household's income is within the limits on the Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines. Your children may qualify for free or reduced price meals if your household income falls at or below the limits on this chart.

### FEDERAL ELIGIBILITY INCOME CHART For School Year 2018-19

Household size	Yearly	Monthly	Weekly
1	22,459	1,872	432
2	30,451	2,538	586
3	38,443	3,204	740
4	46,435	3,870	893
5	54,427	4,536	1,047
6	62,419	5,202	1,201
7	70,411	5,868	1,355
8	78,403	6,534	1,508
Each additional	7,992	666	154

## NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND NOTICE TO PARENTS

As a parent/guardian of a student in the MSD of Boone Township, you have the right to know the professional qualifications of the teachers who instruct your child. Federal law allows you to ask for certain information about your child's classroom teachers, and requires us to give you this information in a timely manner. Specifically, you have the right to ask for the following information about each of your child's classroom teachers:

1. Whether the Indiana Department of Education has licensed or qualified the teacher for the grades and subjects he or she teaches.
2. Whether the Indiana Department of Education has decided that the teacher can teach in a classroom without being licensed or qualified under state regulations because of special circumstances.
3. The teacher's college major; whether the teacher has any advanced degrees and, if so, the subject of the degrees.
4. Whether any teachers' aides or similar paraprofessionals provide services to your child and, if they do, their qualifications.

If you would like to request any of this information, please contact the superintendent's office at 219-996-4771.

## MARKEL SUPPLEMENTAL STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Student accident insurance for the 2018-2019 school year is available for a fee to parents of students enrolled at MSD of Boone Township. Markel offers a broad range of accident products for K-12 schools.

Markel's contact information:

Phone: 1-877-444-5014

Email: [Markel.info@sevencorners.com](mailto:Markel.info@sevencorners.com)

Visit the Markel website for more information and to apply on-line.

Website: <http://markel.sevencorners.com>

## NURSE NEWS

Important information from our nurse, Kris Hallberg, RN.  
Indiana 2018-19 Required School Immunizations

### Pre School 3-5 years old

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 1 MMR (Measles Mumps & Rubella)
- 3 Polio
- 4 DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis)
- 1 Varicella (Chickenpox)

### 5th grade

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 2 MMR
- 5 DTaP
- 2 Varicella
- 4 Polio

### Kindergarden - 4th grade

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 2 MMR
- 5 DTaP
- 2 Varicella
- 4 Polio
- 2 Hepatitis A

### 7th-11th grade

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 5 DTaP
- 2 Varicella
- 1 MCV4 (Meningococcal)
- 4 Polio
- 2 MMR
- 1 Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis)

### 6th grade

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 2 Hepatitis A
- 5 DTaP
- 1 MCV4 (Meningococcal)
- 4 Polio
- 2 MMR
- 1 Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis)
- 2 Varicella

### 12th grade

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 2 Hepatitis A
- 5 DTaP
- 2 MCV4 (Meningococcal)
- 4 Polio
- 2 MMR
- 1 Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis)
- 2 Varicella

It is recommended to get your appointments made early. Immunization appointments fill up quickly through the summer. It is not too early to get them taken care of now.

### To schedule an appointment, please call:

**Valparaiso Office: 219-465-3525**

Porter County Administration Building  
155 Indiana Ave., Suite 104  
Valparaiso, IN 46383

**Portage Office: 219-759-8239**

North County Gov't. Complex  
3560 Willowcreek Rd.  
Portage, IN 46368

### Porter County Health Dept. Information Children's Immunization Program

This program provides childhood vaccines to children 0-18 years of age. We continue to offer vaccines to all children regardless of their insurance status.

### We vaccinate:

- Uninsured children
- Underinsured children
- Children insured by a publicly funded program (Medicaid, Hoosier Health Wise)
- American Indian and Alaskan Native children
- Children insured by private insurance (whether it pays some or all of the fees for vaccination)

## HIGH SCHOOL 2018-2019 Information

### REGISTRATION DATES

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW AVAILABLE

#### Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

For Returning Students and Incoming Freshmen

9:00-11:30 am & 1:00-5:00 pm  
High School Cafeteria

#### Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

New Students\*

8:00-2:00 (by appointment only)

\*New students will need to call the Guidance Office for an appointment at 219-996-4771, ext. 119.

Parent and student are required to attend registration. More information can be found at the following web site:

<http://www.hebronschools.k12.in.us/1/Home>

### TEXTBOOK RENTAL FEES

Fees vary by individual student schedules. Fees are to be paid in full at registration.

### HS MEAL COSTS

Breakfast	\$1.30
Lunch	\$2.75
Extra Milk	\$.55

### REGISTRATION PROCESS

- A parent is required to come in for registration.
- An information/emergency sheet needs to be updated, and a nursing information form filled out and signed for each student.
- You will have the opportunity to add money to existing lunch accounts and pay class dues.

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**  
Students First Day. School starts at 7:45 am and dismissal at 2:35 pm

#### Monday, August 20<sup>th</sup>

High School  
Open House 6:30-8:00 pm

#### Wednesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>

Picture Day

### START & END TIMES FOR HS

#### Regular School Day

7:45 am – 2:35 pm

#### Late Start Wednesday

8:05 am – 2:35 pm

#### 2-Hour Delay Including Wed.

9:45 am – 2:35 pm

## MIDDLE SCHOOL 2018-2019 Information

### REGISTRATION DATES

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW AVAILABLE

#### Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

Students

8:00-12:00 & 1:00-3:00  
Middle School Library  
(closed for lunch 12:00-1:00)

#### Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

New Students\*

9:00-2:00 (by appointment only)

\*New students enrolling in grades 6-7-8 will need to call for an appointment at 219-996-4771, ext. 101. New Student Registration will be held in the Middle School Main Office (Door A).

### TEXTBOOK RENTAL FEES

6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$187.58 - \$220.58
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$186.58 - \$219.58
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$190.14 - \$223.14

### MS MEAL COSTS

Breakfast	\$1.30
Lunch	\$2.75
Extra Milk	\$.55

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>

Middle School  
Open House - 6:30 pm

#### Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>

Students First Day

### START & END TIMES FOR MS

#### Regular School Day

7:50 am - 2:40 pm

#### Late Start Wednesday

8:10 am – 2:40 pm

#### 2-Hour Delay Including Wed.

9:50 am – 2:40 pm

### SUPPLY LISTS

#### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Pencils-mechanical accepted
- Pens-black, blue
- Red pen for grading
- Wide-ruled loose leaf notebook paper
- 3 folders
- 3 spiral notebooks
- 1 composition notebook
- Post-It notes
- 2 Highlighters
- 2 Boxes of tissues
- Earbuds
- Dry erase markers

#### Suggested but Not Required

- Pencil Pouch
- Trapper keeper or 3 ring binder
- Clorox wipes or hand sanitizer

#### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

- 4 glue sticks
- 4 dry erase markers
- Pencils
- Pens-blue or black
- 1 folder
- 1 math notebook
- 3 composition notebooks
- 1 box of tissues
- Post-it Notes
- 1 hand sanitizer
- 2 Rolls of scotch tape
- Earbuds

#### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Dry erase markers
- Standard calculator
- 2 Composition notebooks
- Highlighters
- Notebooks/loose-leaf paper
- Pens/pencils
- 2 Boxes of tissues
- Scotch Tape
- 2 Black sharpies
- Earbuds

#### Mrs. Noland

- 2 Mechanical pencils
- Index cards (3x5)
- 1 Red Pen
- Pencil Box (approx. 8" x 5")



## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2018-2019 Information

### REGISTRATION DATES

**ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW AVAILABLE**

#### **Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup>**

8:00-12:00 & 1:00-3:00  
(closed for lunch 12:00-1:00)  
Music Room and Computer Lab

#### **Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>**

**New Students\***  
9:00-2:00 (by appointment only)

\*New students enrolling in grades K-5 will need to call for an appointment at 219-996-4771, ext. 103

### TEXTBOOK RENTAL FEES

Kindergarten	\$139.05
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	\$138.34
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	\$132.01
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	\$131.40
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$198.20
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$211.35

### ES MEAL COSTS

Breakfast	\$1.30
Lunch	\$2.50
Extra Milk	\$.55

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**  
Elementary School  
Open House 5:30 - 6:30 pm

#### **Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**

Students First Day

### START/ END TIMES FOR ES

**Regular School Day**  
8:20 am – 3:05 pm

#### **Late Start Wednesday**

8:30 am – 3:05 pm

#### **2-Hour Delay Including Wed.**

10:20 am – 3:05 pm

### SUPPLY LISTS

#### **Kindergarten**

2 large boxes of Kleenex  
1 box of Crayola Washable Markers  
1 Medium Size Coloring Book  
2 Black Dry Erase Markers, wide tip (Expo brand only)  
2 Containers of Clorox Wipes  
3 Large Standard Pink Erasers  
1 Watercolor Paint Tray w/ Brush (Prang brand only)  
1 Wide Ruled Spiral Notebook  
Book Bag full size bag (no wheels)  
Gym Shoes for P.E.  
(to be kept at school- Velcro if unable to tie)  
Girls - 1 box of Ziploc Sandwich Baggies  
Boys - 1 box of Ziploc Gallon Baggies

#### **1st Grade**

2 dozen #2 Pencils (sharpened)  
2 boxes Crayola Crayons (24 ct)  
Pink School Erasers  
Pencil Top Erasers  
2 Highlighters (yellow)  
Water paint tray with brush  
2 boxes Kleenex  
1 box Crayola Colored Pencils (12 ct)  
4 Dry Erase Markers – Expo Brand low odor  
1 – 8 oz bottle Glue  
2 Elmer's Glue Sticks  
Scissors  
Boys - Clorox Wipes  
Girls - Gallon or quart size Ziploc Baggies  
Gym shoes specifically for P.E.

#### **2nd Grade**

Scissors  
3 boxes Crayons (24 ct)  
3 dozen #2 pencils  
4 oz. Elmer's School Glue  
4 Erasers – Large Pink Pearl  
Plastic pencil box  
4 boxes Kleenex  
2 Dry erase wide marker (low odor)  
1 container Clorox Wipes  
Gym shoes specifically for P.E.  
*No Pencil Sharpeners, please!*

### SUPPLY LISTS

#### **3rd Grade**

**(please put child's name on everything)**  
Pencil Pouch with zipper (10x7 - no boxes)  
1 Elmer's School Glue (4 oz) (no glue sticks)  
2 Red Pens  
2 boxes Crayons (24 ct)  
#2 Pencils (1 doz. sharpened)  
Scissors  
Kleenex (2 large boxes)  
2 Pink Pearl Erasers  
2 Pocket Folders  
Wide-ruled Loose Leaf Paper (150 ct)  
1 Highlighter (yellow)  
1 Box Colored Pencils (12 colors)  
4 Dry Erase Markers  
1 Dry Erase Eraser  
Gym Shoes for P.E.

#### **4th Grade**

4 Pink Pearl Erasers  
2 pkg Red Pens  
1 box Crayons (24 ct)  
2 pkg #2 Pencils  
1 box Colored Pencils  
2 pkg Wide Ruled Paper (white)  
Kleenex (2 large boxes per semester)  
4 Pocket Folders  
4 Highlighters (yellow)  
Pencil Pouch with zipper (no boxes)  
Dry Erase Markers (2/Expo-low odor)  
Gym Shoes for P.E.  
Girls - 32 oz. Pump Hand Sanitizer  
Boys - Clorox Wipes (1 container)  
*No Pencil Sharpeners, please!*

#### **5th Grade**

3 Folders  
1 Notebook  
1 pkg Red Pens  
1 box Colored Pencils or Crayons  
2 Yellow Highlighters  
#2 Pencils (2 - 24 ct)  
4 pack large Expo Dry Erase Markers  
Girls - 1 Large Pump, Hand Sanitizer  
Boys - 2 boxes Kleenex  
Earbuds (1 pair, No Headphones)  
Gym Shoes for P.E.  
*No Markers or Trapper Keepers, please!*

**For those who do not have internet access at home,  
IN PERSON REGISTRATION IS MONDAY, AUGUST 6TH.  
Please check with your child's school for times.**



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**Our Web Address**

[www.hebronschools.k12.in.us](http://www.hebronschools.k12.in.us)

**REGULAR SCHOOL DAY SCHEDULE:**

High School ..... 7:45 am - 2:35 pm  
 Middle School ..... 7:50 am - 2:40 pm  
 Elementary School ..... 8:20 am - 3:05 pm

**LATE START WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE  
 FIRST LATE START IS AUGUST 22nd**

High School ..... 8:05 am - 2:35 pm  
 Middle School ..... 8:10 am - 2:40 pm  
 Elementary School ..... 8:30 am - 3:05 pm

**First Day of School for Students is August 15th**

**2018-2019 School Calendar**

8/14 ..... Teachers First Day  
 8/15 ..... Students First Day  
 8/22 ..... First Late Start Wednesday  
 9/3 ..... Labor Day - No School  
 10/22 ..... Parent/Teacher Conferences for Elem-MS-HS  
 10/23 ..... Parent/Teacher Conferences for Elem-MS  
 10/25 - 10/26 ..... Fall Break - No School  
 11/21 - 11/23 ..... Thanksgiving Break - No School  
 12/21 ..... End of 1st Semester (87 Days)  
 12/24 - 1/4 ..... Christmas Break - No School  
 1/7 ..... School Resumes  
 2/15 ..... Make up Day # 1 or Vacation Day  
 2/18 ..... Presidents Day - No School  
 3/25 - 3/29 ..... Spring Break - No School  
 5/24 ..... Last Student Day - 2nd Semester Ends (93 days)  
 5/27 ..... Memorial Day  
 5/28 ..... Last Teacher Day  
 5/30 ..... Graduation

**BUILT IN MAKE-UP DATE:** February 15

**Grading Periods All Schools**

1st Quarter ..... 8/15-10/16 (44 days)  
 2nd Quarter ..... 10/17-12/21 (43 days)  
 3rd Quarter ..... 1/07-3/15 (48 days)  
 4th Quarter ..... 3/18-5/24 (45 days)

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