



Hook Junior High School

'Home of the Wranglers'

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Hello Hook Junior High Students and Families,

Welcome Wrangler Nation to the 2025-2026 school year! As we continue to prepare for the upcoming school year, let me begin by expressing how excited and honored we are to have the opportunity to work and serve our students and families. Our Hook Family is anticipating a promising school year for our school which includes a great learning experience for students inside and outside of the classroom. The teachers, staff and I are all excited to meet both our new and returning students, as well as their families.

Please see the important information and items listed below that will also help you prepare for a successful start to the school year.

First Day of School and Student Schedules:

School begins on Tuesday, August 5th at 8:00 am. Gates will open at 7:30 am for student breakfast. When students arrive on campus there will be lists posted outside the front office windows just inside the front gate and on the outside walls of the front office as well, with each student's first and last name and a room number. This room number is the student's 1st period class. When the bell rings at 7:55 am to go to class, students are to report to their 1st period room number/class. Their 1st period teacher will welcome them and will be given their class schedule along with a school map. Each teacher will go over schedules, maps, class periods and lunches with students. School ends at 2:46 pm (1:46 pm on Wednesdays).

ENROLLMENT: Please note: THURSDAY, JULY 31ST AT 12PM IS THE CUTOFF for student enrollment to begin on August 5th. If your student's enrollment packet is complete beginning Friday, August 1st, it will be processed as quickly as possible followed by a phone call with your students' start date.

Dress Code:

All Hook Junior High School students MUST follow the Victor Valley Union High School District (VVUHSD) Dress Code Policy. Please access and read our 2025-2026 Hook Junior High Dress Code Policy on campus or on our school website.

Safety UPDATE:

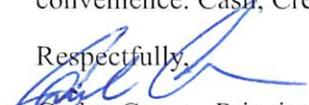
To continue to ensure the safety of all students, staff, and families, all VVUHSD campuses will employ Evolve Metal detectors at students and family entry points. All students and families must pass through these detectors to enter the campus.

Orientation: July 29th for 7th grade at 9 AM and for 8th grade at 10 AM. PE and Spirit Wear sales will be available on both days from 10am-1pm and is Cash, Credit Card and tap to pay. No checks or money orders will be accepted.

Textbook Check-out: Textbooks will be checked out to students during the first two weeks of school. Students will go to the library with one of their classes to check out books and will be given a Student Reminder/Planner as well. These Reminders/Planners are a great tool for students to keep track of homework and important dates.

PE Clothes: If you did not get a chance to purchase PE clothes during orientation, PE clothes will also be for sale during the first two weeks of school. Students will visit the student store with their PE classes and can purchase clothes at that time. Our online Hook Student Store is also available for purchases. Please visit our Hook website or <https://hook.myschoolcentral.com/> for purchases: We have attached the information sheet with pricing for your convenience. Cash, Credit Card, or tap to pay.

Respectfully,


Carlos Cerna - Principal