

Slidell High School Parent/Student Handbook 2026-2027



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School Phone: 985-643-2992

School Website: <http://slidellhigh.stpsb.org/>

Student Progress Center:

<https://jpams.stpsb.org/progress/>

School Administration

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Nicole Blondeau, Assistant Principal
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Sheri Marks, Testing Coordinator
Samantha Fontenot, School to Work Coordinator

Welcome to Slidell High School, the home of the Tigers! All of the policies contained in this handbook are in place to create a safe and positive learning environment for all of our students. In addition to all St. Tammany Parish School Board policies relating to students (District Handbook for Students and Parents), all students are responsible for the rules and regulations that are specific to Slidell High School as stated in this publication. The regulations of the St. Tammany Parish School Board that affect students are not repeated here, but are in effect at all times. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.

OUR MISSION

The mission of Slidell High School is to empower a diverse student population to compete in an ever-changing global community.

OUR VISION

Slidell High School students, fostered by a sense of community and continuing a tradition of excellence, are guided by a family of educators actively engaging in dynamic learning experiences that promote self-reliance, encourage educational opportunities and champion the students' broader needs.

OUR TRADITIONS

The Slidell High School mascot is the tiger. The colors are Kelly Green and White, and the School Motto is "Truth shines a guiding light!"

ALMA MATER

We hail thee, Slidell High
By thee, we'll always stand.
Thy truth shines a guiding light
Throughout this fairest land.
Our Alma Mater, to us you'll always be.
We'll praise thy name so dear,
Throughout eternity.

FIGHT SONG

Fight Tigers Fight,
Down the field and show your might.
Roar Tigers Roar,
Grab that ball; let's see you score, Oh! Oh! Oh!
Go Tigers GO! Hit the line and mow them down
For you can't hold those Tigers, Mighty Tigers
Go Tigers Go! Fight Tigers Fight!

SLIDELL HIGH SCHOOL CREST

The official Slidell High School Crest is a symbolic representation of the purpose and traditions of the school. The shield is divided into four quarters. The mother pelican, protective of its young, is depicted in the upper left quarter. The pelican, the state bird, locates the school in Louisiana and indicates that it is an arm of the Louisiana State Department of Education. In the lower left quarter is the open book and quill, representative of academics. It is symbolic of free education in a democracy and guides students to the realization that any real achievement in high school or in adult life results from work. The musical lyre in the upper right quarter represents the many extracurricular activities available to students. These activities are designed to be healthful, educational, and recreational, encouraging the total development of the individual. Completing the shield, in the lower right quarter is the winged foot that symbolizes athletics. It represents the enthusiasm that students have when in athletic training and competition, and the pride they have when representing Slidell High.

Surrounding the shield are pine branches that locate the school in St. Tammany Parish. The four pinecones represent levels of achievement in school, one for each of the four years in high school.

Rising above the shield stands the letters S.H.S. that identify the school. Through the large S is a stalking tiger, the school mascot, which is noted for its strength and endurance. The tiger stands guarding the shield, protecting its academic, athletic and extracurricular traditions

At the base of the shield is a flowing ribbon that represents grace and gentleness. Inscribed on this ribbon is the school motto: "Truth shines a guiding light." These words depict an important element in the purpose of the school, to develop moral and social values that contribute to maturity and sound character. The torch rising through the shield also symbolizes this. At the ends of the ribbon, the founding year of the school, 1908, is depicted.

WHO DO I ASK

Busses- Assistant Principal: Ozzie Ross, ozzie.ross@stpsb.org

Athletics- Athletic Director: Mark Jeanmard, mark.jeanmard@stpsb.org

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Testing- Testing Coordinator: Sheri Marks, sheri.marks@stpsb.org

Seat Time- Secretary: Rachelle Knighten, rachelle.knighten@stpsb.org

Attendance- Secretary: Brittany Rushing, Brittany.rushing@stpsb.org

Discipline- 9th and 11th grade- Assistant Principal: Fred Wild, fred.wild@stpsb.org

Discipline- 10th and 12th grade- Assistant Principal: Ozzie Ross: ozzie.ross@stpsb.org

Registration- Secretary: Toni Hunt, toni.hunt@stpsb.org

SWE information- SWE Department Leader: Jacyntha Lovely, jacyntha.lovely@stpsb.org

Senior Information- Senior Counselor: Lori Barthel, lori.barthel@stpsb.org

Scheduling- Guidance Counselors

Guidance Counselor 9th- Kelsy Serre, kelsy.serre@stpsb.org

Guidance Counselor 10th- Crystal McElroy, crystal.mcelroy@stpsb.org

Guidance Counselor 11th – Sharon Chambliss, Sharon.chambliss@stpsb.org

Guidance Counselor 12th – Lori Barthel, lori.barthel@stpsb.org

Medication- School Nurse: Amanda Overby, Amanda.overby@stpsb.org

Parking- Assistant Principal: Fred Wild, fred.wild@stpsb.org

Uniforms/Dress Code- Assistant Principal: Fred Wild, fred.wild@stpsb.org

Internships- School to Work Coordinator: Sammy Fontenot, Samantha.fontenot@stpsb.org

Contact a teacher- Email your teacher using the formula **firstname.lastname@stpsb.org**. While there are a few exceptions, this formula will work for nearly every teacher. A full staff directory can be found on the school website at <https://slidellhigh.stpsb.org/our-school/faculty-and-staff>. Please call the office for further questions at 985-643-2992

ACADEMICS

REPORT CARDS and ACCESSING GRADES

Parents can access their student's grades throughout the year via the Student Progress Center at <https://jpams.stpsb.org/progress>. First time users will need to create an account. Parents' or guardians' information need to match the information already on the student's school records. A message is sent to either the cell phone number or email that must be verified and match the student's information in JCampus. To reset your password, you will need to answer two security questions. Please call the school at 985-643-2992 if you are unable to access the Student Progress Center.

LEAP TEST

LEAP 2025 tests measure the knowledge and skills a student should have mastered by the end of the course. The tests also help ensure that all students have access to a rigorous curriculum that meets high academic standards. **The following courses require a LEAP test: English I, English II, Algebra I, Geometry, Biology, and American History/Government.** In order to graduate, students must score at least approaching basic on: either English I or English II, either Algebra or Geometry, and either Biology or US History/Government.

GRADING POLICY

The grading policy for St. Tammany Parish Schools is:

A	90-100
B	80-89
C	70-79
D	60-69
F	59 and below

DIPLOMA PATHS:

Students can earn a high school diploma in one of two pathways: TOPS University, or TOPS Tech. A **TOPS University** path prepares a student to attend a 4 year university after graduation. A **TOPS Tech** path prepares students to attend a 2 year or community college, trade school or directly enter the workforce. TOPS Tech provides career/technical classes, workplace experiences and has many opportunities to earn certifications to prepare students for high-wage jobs. See the course description guide for more details found at <https://slidellhigh.stpsb.org/our-school/academics>.

BLOCK SCHEDULE:

Slidell High follows a 4 period block schedule. Students attend four 95 minute classes each day for the fall semester, and 4 different classes during the spring semester. The student can earn full credit for each course during the semester. Students can complete 8 classes per year this way.

EXAMS and FINAL GRADES:

Exams will be given at the end of each semester (2nd 9-weeks and 4th 9-weeks). The final grade for a course will be based on: 85% grades earned during the semester, and 15% final exam. Seniors can be exempted from their exam if they have above an 89 grade going into the exam and no more than 3 unexcused absences, or if they have above a 79 grade and no more than 1 unexcused absence.

TOPS SCHOLARSHIPS:

This program awards college, university, or state technical college tuition to Louisiana high school graduates at a Louisiana college, university, or state technical college who meet specific academic standards. Students must earn a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 in the core curricula courses listed above and meet minimum ACT composite score (listed with each award level). The annual award amount varies based on the amount of tuition and

mandatory fees charged by individual institutions. TOPS offers five award programs. The most accurate and up to date information on the TOPS program can be found at www.mylosfa.la.gov/TOPS.

MAKE UP POLICY

Students will be given an opportunity to make up missed assignments due to **excused absence**. Students have the same number of days to make up an assignment as they were absent. For instance, if they were absent 3 days, they have up to 3 days after they return to make up the assignment. After that time, the grade may be entered as a zero if not completed.

LATE WORK

It is important that students develop good habits of responsibility and time management. Students should pay strict attention to due dates on assignments and tests as they may not be able to earn full credit for missed or late work.

TUTORING

Free tutoring is available before school for Math on Tuesday mornings in room 518 provided by members of Mu Alpha Theta. Free tutoring is available for all subjects on Thursday mornings in room 519 provided by members of the National Honor Society.

HONOR ROLL

Students who earn A, B or C Honor Roll will be invited to the Honor Roll breakfast which takes place during the first and third 9 weeks.

- A Honor Roll- Straight “A”s and a weighted GPA between 4.0 and 5.0
- B Honor Roll- Lowest grade is a “B” and a weighted GPA between 3.5 and 3.99
- C Honor Roll- Lowest grade is a “B” and a weighted GPA between 3.0 and 3.49

GOLD STRIPES

Seniors achieving high scores on the ACT, WorkKeys, CLEP, ASVAB or LAA1 tests may earn rewards such as being able to paint their own personalized parking spot, Jeans days and more. A complete list of the requirements and rewards can be found at the end of this handbook and on our website at <https://slidellhigh.stpsb.org/our-school/policies-and-procedures>.

DAILY PROCEDURES AND POLICIES

ELASTIC CLAUSE

The administration reserves the right to take any steps, at any time, which in their judgment, are necessary for the well-being of the students and for maintaining the standards of the school. Any procedure, rule, or regulation preceding this clause is also subject to this clause.

SCHOOL DAY ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

School attendance is imperative, not only to satisfy requirements of the law but to help ensure student achievement and success. Every missed day of school is a missed opportunity to learn.

- Students are expected to be in attendance every school day.
- To earn course credit, high school students may have no more than five unexcused absences or days of suspension.
- Students with more than five unexcused absences per course will be required to make up seat time and their missing assignments, in order to earn credit.
- Students participating in school sponsored activities/field trips that necessitate their being away from school shall be considered present and shall be given the opportunity to make up work.
- Excused absences do not count against students for purposes of truancy or earning course credit.
- An absence may be excused only with a doctor's note or a parent-signed note submitted within five school days of the absence. Only 3 such notes will be accepted during a semester. In the note please include the date of the note, the date(s) of the absence, the student's name, and the reason for the absence.
- For the complete district attendance policy, see the District Handbook for Students and Parents at www.stpsb.org.
- It is the student's responsibility to check with his/her teachers to set up a schedule for completion of all work missed. The student has an equal number of days in which to make up the work as there were days absent.
- If a student is to be out for three or more days, assignments should be requested in advance and can be picked up the following day.

CHECK OUT PROCEDURES

- Any student who needs to leave school due to illness should be checked out through student services.
- Only individuals listed on a student's emergency card may check that student out. Picture identification is required.

TARDY POLICY

All students are expected to arrive to school and class on time. Students **tardy to school** should report to student services to receive a tardy slip. Tardiness to school will only be excused for those reasons stated in the District Handbook. Upon the fifth unexcused tardy to school, the student will be referred to the Child Welfare and Attendance Office as truant and receive discipline.

Students have five minutes to transition between classes. Students who are **tardy to class** (after first period) more than twice will receive discipline.

HALLWAYS

Any student in the hall during class periods must have a written pass from a teacher. Students should stay in class as much as possible, but if a student must leave class, they should use the

closest facility to their class. Between classes, students should “walk and talk” rather than congregating.

DELIVERIES and FOOD

Deliveries to campus are disruptive to the educational environment and tax the resources of office staff. Fast food is not allowed on campus and food delivery services such as DoorDash or Uber Eats will not be accepted or permitted to deliver on campus. Students who order food to campus during the school day may receive discipline. Balloons, flowers or gifts will not be accepted by the school for delivery to students. Candy, snacks, or other items from non-school sponsored organizations or individuals cannot be sold at school.

MEDICATION POLICY

Students **may not** bring medication to school without prior notification with the school nurse. A doctor’s note and letter from the student’s parents will also be required. This includes over-the-counter medication. If your child requires medication during the school day, please contact the nurse’s office at 643-2992 and then select “8”. For more detailed information on the STPSB medication policy, please refer to the St. Tammany Parish Guidelines in the [District Handbook](#). If your child requires only short-term medication, we recommend (if possible) it be scheduled around school hours.

CLASS DUES

Class dues of \$25 are collected each year from students to help pay for social events such as Freshman Luau, Sophomore Cookout, Junior Car Parade, Senior Prom and other events. Students who are not current on their dues will not be able to attend those class events. Dues can be paid on [Mypaymentsplus](#) on the Slidell High website.

SCHOOL DRESS/UNIFORM CODE

Please refer to the St. Tammany Parish [District Handbook for Students and Parents](#). Extremes in style will be defined and determined by the school administration.

- **Uniform Top**– Students must wear a white, green (Forest, Hunter or Kelly) or gray polo shirt with collar, short or long sleeve. A white blouse, or white button-down shirt is also acceptable.
- **Sweatshirts and Hoodies** – Slidell High sweatshirts/hoodies will be accepted as a uniform top. Any sweatshirt that is not an SHS sweatshirt must be worn over a uniform shirt.
- **Uniform Bottom:** – Khaki pants, shorts, or skirts of an appropriate length are allowed. Plaid skirts with a predominant color of Green (Forest, Hunter or Kelly) are also allowed. Bottoms must be secured at the waist. Cut-offs, sweat pants, leggings/jeggings, pajama pants and pants with holes or rips are not allowed. Shorts and skirts must be fingertip length and no more than 5 inches above the knee.
- **Hats and hoods:** Hoods may not be worn on campus except outdoors during inclement weather. Hats, beanies, and bandanas are banned from school campus during school hours.

- **Spirit Shirts and Jerseys:** Students may wear any Slidell High club or team t-shirt on Fridays as a uniform top. Members of teams or clubs may wear their jersey as a uniform top on game days.
- For more detailed information about hair, piercings, or other personal grooming questions, see the District Handbook.
- Administration will follow the school disciplinary process in addressing students out of uniform.

SCHOOL IDs

- Students are required to wear their school-issued ID card to school each day. Students without an ID will be required to purchase a new one from the library for \$5.
- The ID card must be visible at all times and worn above the waist. The ID card may not be altered or defaced in any way.
- Administration will follow the school disciplinary process in addressing students not wearing an ID.

DANCE/SPECIAL EVENT GUIDELINES

- To purchase a dance ticket, student must be cleared of all debts on Mypaymentsplus.
- Guests- non-Slidell High guests are allowed to attend but must submit an Out of School Date Form and must follow all the rules that apply to Slidell High students. Out of School Date Forms are available at student services.
- Dances are “lock in” events. Once students arrive to the dance, they will not be allowed to leave until the dance is over.
- Dances and special events such as after-school mark events are an important part of the high school experience. However, students with major disciplinary infractions are not allowed to attend.
- Students, who have been suspended (OSS) during the eight school weeks leading up to the dance or special event, will not be able to attend.
- Students with more than one out of school suspension or more than a combination of two ISS/OSS or more than five office referrals during the previous eight weeks will not be eligible to attend.
- Students who receive an expulsion during the current school year are not eligible to attend.
- Students who have been suspended for a physical altercation are not allowed to attend extra-curricular events

LIBRARY

The library is a place for students to get information for research purposes and to find materials for leisure reading. It is open every school day from 6:55 am until 2:35 pm. Students must have a pass from their teacher to go to the library during the school day. The library is also where students go to resolve problems with their IDs or Chromebooks.

TECHNOLOGY

Chromebooks at SHS are the property of the St. Tammany Parish School Board. Students are responsible for damage and missing Chromebooks. It is highly encouraged to buy Chromebook insurance which is available on [My Payments Plus](#) for \$20. The Chromebook is provided as a learning aid and an educational tool. Misuse of a Chromebook may result in disciplinary action.

LOST/MISSING ITEMS

Valuables such as Air Pods, phones, expensive jewelry, large amounts of money, and other items of value should not be brought to school. We cannot accept responsibility for these items. Please talk with your child to help ensure that expensive items are not brought to school.

TRANSPORTATION

BUS RIDERS

- Students must remain on campus before school, during the school day and after school while waiting for transportation. Students may not leave campus and then return for transportation.
- A student who must ride a bus other than his/her own, must have a signed written request to the principal from his/her parents. The note should be brought to the front office before school and picked up after lunch. The approved note is to be given to the bus driver in order to ride the bus.

CAR RIDERS AND WALKERS

- **Students who do not ride school buses should not be on campus prior to 6:55.**
- Students must remain on campus before school, during the school day and after school while waiting for transportation. Students may not leave campus and then return for transportation.
- Car riders should be dropped off and picked up by the 700 hall entrance between the auditorium and the gym on the Buccaran Dr. side of campus.
- Students are allowed to ride bikes to and from school. Bikes must be walked not ridden on campus and should be locked at the provided bike racks.
- Students should not be on campus after 2:45 pm unless participating in a school-sponsored club/team event.
- To request a change in bus assignment, parents should contact the transportation department at **898-3373**.

DRIVERS

- All students who wish to drive to and park on Slidell High School's campus must have a valid and current driver's license, insurance, and a Slidell High parking permit/tag. Students are required to complete a parking request form on **MY PAYMENTS PLUS** and complete a payment of \$10.

- **Slidell High has assigned parking spots. Students may only park in their assigned spot. Students parked in unauthorized areas may receive discipline and could be towed.**
- Students participating in any of our after-school extracurricular activities (sport, club, or band) must select a parking area closest to where they will be once their extracurricular activity ends. Ex: football, XC, track, tennis, etc. must park by the field house or tennis courts. Interns will be required to park in the front circle. Students are not permitted to drive to their after-school extracurricular activity location during school hours. On **MyPaymentsPlus**, you will select a parking zone to have your parking spot in. All parking spots will be issued based on your requested zone, to the best of the school's ability.
- Parking permits will be issued to students based on their class seniority: Seniors -> Juniors -> Sophomores -> Freshmen
- Students are not allowed to remain in parked cars before school or to return to their vehicle during the school day.

STUDENT BEHAVIOR

Students are held to high standards of behavior, respect, effort and responsibility. Failure to meet these standards may result in disciplinary action. The disciplinary action ladders are guidelines for common disciplinary responses to student misbehavior, but administrators use their judgment to assign discipline on a case by case basis. The administration will always make discipline decisions based on what is best for the school and the student.

SOCIAL BEHAVIOR

Students are expected to maintain high standards of social behavior at all times.

- Public displays of affection in any form are prohibited on school grounds or at any school sponsored event.
- Students should treat everyone respectfully
- Cursing or other foul or vulgar language may receive discipline

DISCIPLINARY CONSEQUENCES

Lunch Detention

Lunch detentions are served during a student's lunch period. The student will eat lunch in a designated area.

Administrative Detention

Administrative Detentions are held after school from **2:35 – 3:35 PM** on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursdays and Fridays.

Long Friday Detention

“Long” Friday Detention is held after school on Fridays from **2:35 – 4:35 PM**.

In-School Suspension

In-School Suspension or in-school detention removes the student from their classroom setting for a more structured environment where the student can still complete their school

work. Students who do not meet the behavioral expectations in ISS may be suspended out of school.

Suspensions and Expulsions

Students may not attend any school event while suspended or expelled. Refer to the St. Tammany Parish [District Handbook for Students and Parents](#). Offenses not specifically covered by the handbook will be handled at the discretion of the administration.

A recommendation for expulsion will occur when there is:

- Possession of a controlled dangerous substance
- 3rd vape offense
- 2nd fight or any group fight
- 3rd Out of School Suspension

COMMON DISCIPLINARY ACTION LADDER- MINOR OFFENSES

Tardy to school

1st 4 tardies- warning

5th tardy- 1 hour after school detention, referral to child welfare and attendance office

10th tardy- Willful disobedience referral, 1 hour after school detention

15th tardy- Willful disobedience referral, 2 hour after school detention

20th tardy- Willful disobedience referral, 1 day ISS

Tardy to class

1st 2 tardies- warning

3rd tardy- Lunch detention

4th+ tardy- Willful disobedience referral, 1 hour after school detention

Uniform/ID

1st offense- Lunch detention

2nd offense- Lunch detention

3rd offense- 1 hour after school detention

4th offense- Willful disobedience referral, 2 hour after school detention

COMMON DISCIPLINARY ACTION LADDER- MAJOR OFFENSES

Overall referrals- No warnings after 1st overall referral

5th referral- No less than 1 day of ISS

7th referral- No less than 2 days of ISS

10th referral- No less than 1 day of OSS

13th referral- No less than 2 day of OSS

16th referral- No less than 2 day of OSS

Failure to Serve Consequence- Students can reschedule a detention in advance with no penalty; once for each detention. Students have one week to make-up a missed detention with no penalty. Failure to serve an assigned disciplinary consequence will result in a major referral.

Missed 1 hour detention- 2 hour after school detention

Missed 2 hour detention- 1 day of ISS

Electronic Device- Use or possession

1st offense- device confiscated, warning

2nd offense- device confiscated, 1 hour after school detention

3rd offense- device confiscated, parent must pick up, 2 hour after school detention

4th offense- willful disobedience referral, same as above with 1 day of ISS

5th offense- same as above with 2 day of ISS

6th offense- same as above with 1 day OSS

Sleeping in Class

1st offense- warning

2nd offense- Lunch detention

3rd offense- 1 hour after school detention

4th offense- willful disobedience referral, 2 hour after school detention

Skipping class- remain on campus

1st offense- No less than 2 hour after school detention

2nd offense- No less than 1 day of ISS

3rd offense- Suspension

Off Limit Areas

During lunch, students are limited to the cafeteria, 1st and 2nd courtyards, 700 hall and east hall. Off limit areas include any area not under adult supervision. All parking lots are off limits to students during the day. Students found in off limit areas at lunch or during class may receive discipline.

Disturbing Class

Classroom misbehavior is a serious discipline infraction and will be handled in the most appropriate way for each situation which can range from a teacher held detention and parental contact, to ISS depending on the severity and frequency of the behavior.

Disrespecting Authority-

Disrespect of teachers or other authority figures on campus will not be tolerated.

Consequences can range from a teacher held detention and parental contact to suspension depending on the severity and frequency of the behavior. Cursing or gross disrespect of authority will result in in out-of-school suspension.

Cell Phones and Other Electronic Devices

Cell phone use disrupts the educational environment. State law (Act 313) prohibits students from using or possessing a cell phone on campus. Cell phones must be powered off and stowed away in a bag or purse. Students found with a visible device or in use of a device at school will have the device confiscated and will be referred to the office for discipline. After a 2nd violation, a parent will need to pick up the device from student services. At no time should cell phones be used to take pictures of other students or staff members. This policy applies to any cellular, smart, or communication device, including, but not limited to, wireless

headphones, AirPods, smartwatches (when used for more than timekeeping), and smart glasses.

Social Media

Use of social media on campus is not allowed. Students posting images or messages on campus are subject to serious disciplinary consequences.

MAJOR DISCIPLINARY VIOLATIONS

These behaviors which compromise the safety of our students, or of our campus are not tolerated and may result in a suspension or a recommendation for expulsion.

- Leaving campus without permission
- In vehicle during school hours
- Filming or taking photos of students or staff without administrative permission
- More than one person in a bathroom stall
- Nicotine Vape- use or possession
- Alcohol- use or possession
- Fighting
 - 1st offense- No less than 3-day suspension and student is banned from attending after school events for 45 days.
 - 2nd offense- 5-day suspension and recommendation for expulsion
- THC/Narcotics/controlled substances- Use or Possession
 - Student recommended for expulsion

2nd Suspension

Student banned from attending after school events for 45 days. Student and parent must meet with the Supervisor of Child Welfare and Attendance at the School Board Annex in Slidell. To set up a meeting call 985-646-4917.

3rd Suspension

Student recommended for expulsion per Louisiana law ACT 337

BULLYING

We encourage all of our students to be respectful of each other. Bullying is a pattern of behaviors with the intention of hurting another student and that involves a power imbalance between students. Peer conflict (mutual arguments, disagreements, name-calling, etc.) does not normally constitute bullying. It is important that incidents of bullying are reported to the school counselor or administration. All reports will be fully investigated and addressed. Please refer to the [District Handbook](#) for Students and Parents for more information.

SEXUAL HARASSMENT POLICY

Sexual harassment is a violation of the law and School Board policy and will not be tolerated, condoned, or overlooked. Sexual harassment as defined by the St. Tammany Parish School Board's policy on sexual harassment includes unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and / or other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature. For further information about the school board's sexual harassment policy please see the [District Handbook](#).

Slidell High 2026-2027 Bell Schedule

Students may enter the building starting at 6:55am.

Times	Block	Minutes
7:20	Opening Bell / Report to Class	
7:25am - 9:03am	1st	98 min
9:08am - 10:42am	2nd	94 min

10:42am - 11:07am	A Lunch (Halls: 200, 400, 600, Gym, 800, 900)	25 min
11:12am - 12:46pm	3rd	94 min

10:47am - 12:21pm	3rd	94 min
12:21pm - 12:46pm	B Lunch (Halls: 100, 300, 500, 700, Library)	25 min

12:51 pm - 2:25pm	4th	94 min
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**Students dismiss at 2:25pm.

Tiger Family Schedule

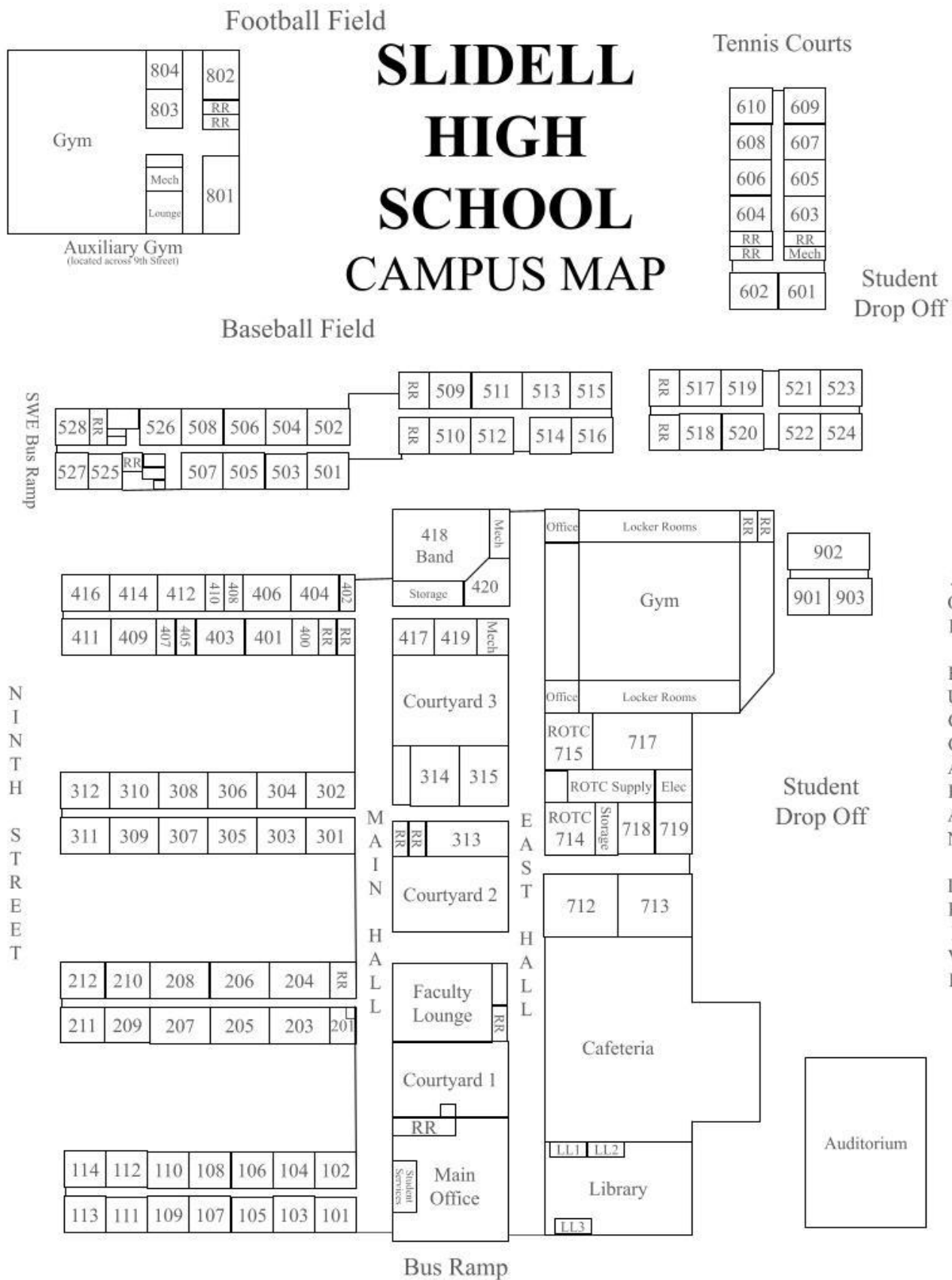
Times	Block	Minutes
7:25am - 8:53am	1st	88 min
8:58am - 10:26am	2nd	88 min
10:31am - 10:54am	Tiger Family	23 min

10:54am - 11:19am	A Lunch (Halls: 200, 400, 600, Gym, 800, 900)	25 min
11:24am - 12:52pm	3rd	88 min

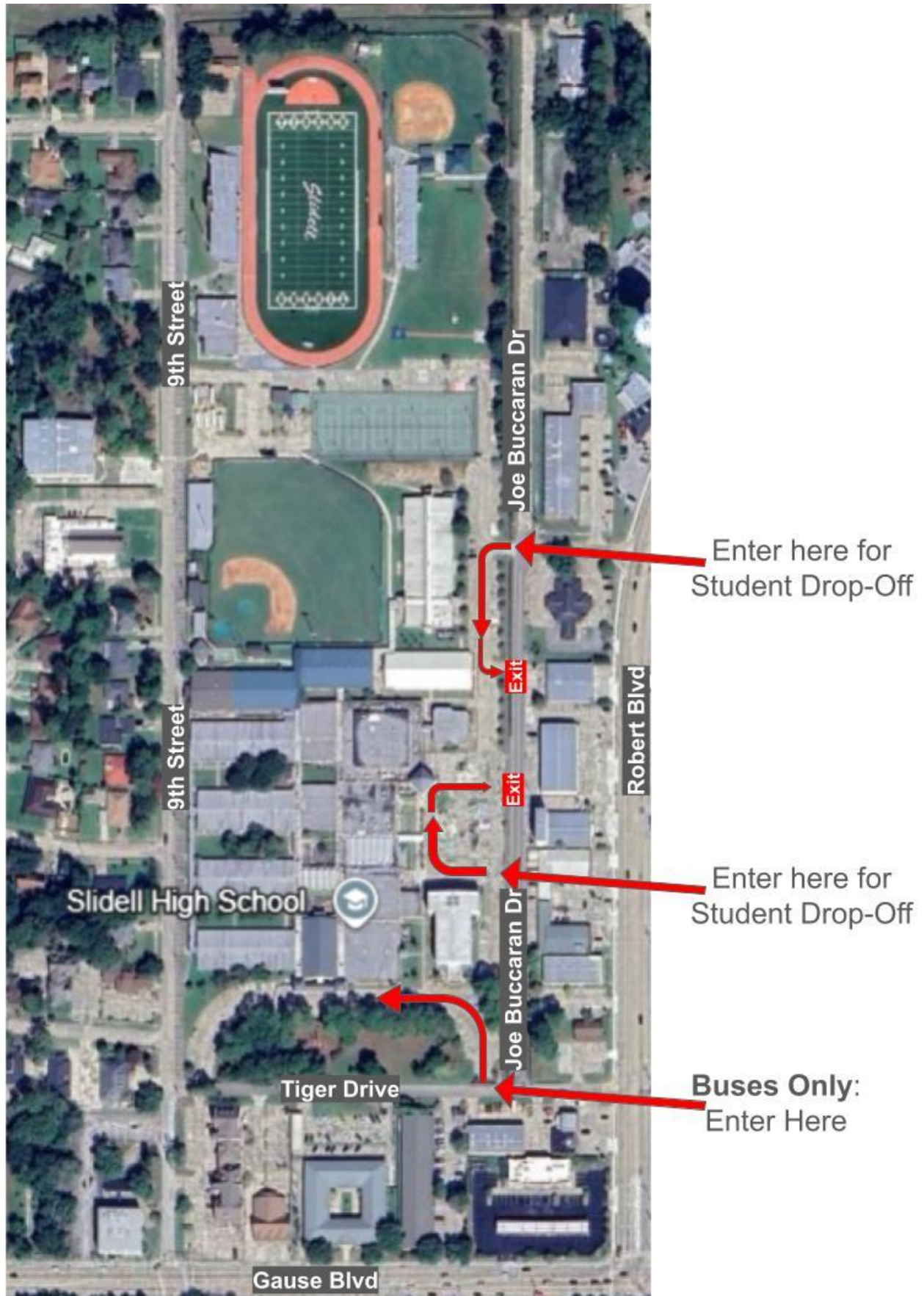
10:59am - 12:27pm	3rd	88 min
12:27pm - 12:52pm	B Lunch (Halls: 100, 300, 500, 700, Library)	25 min

12:57 pm - 2:25pm	4th	88 min
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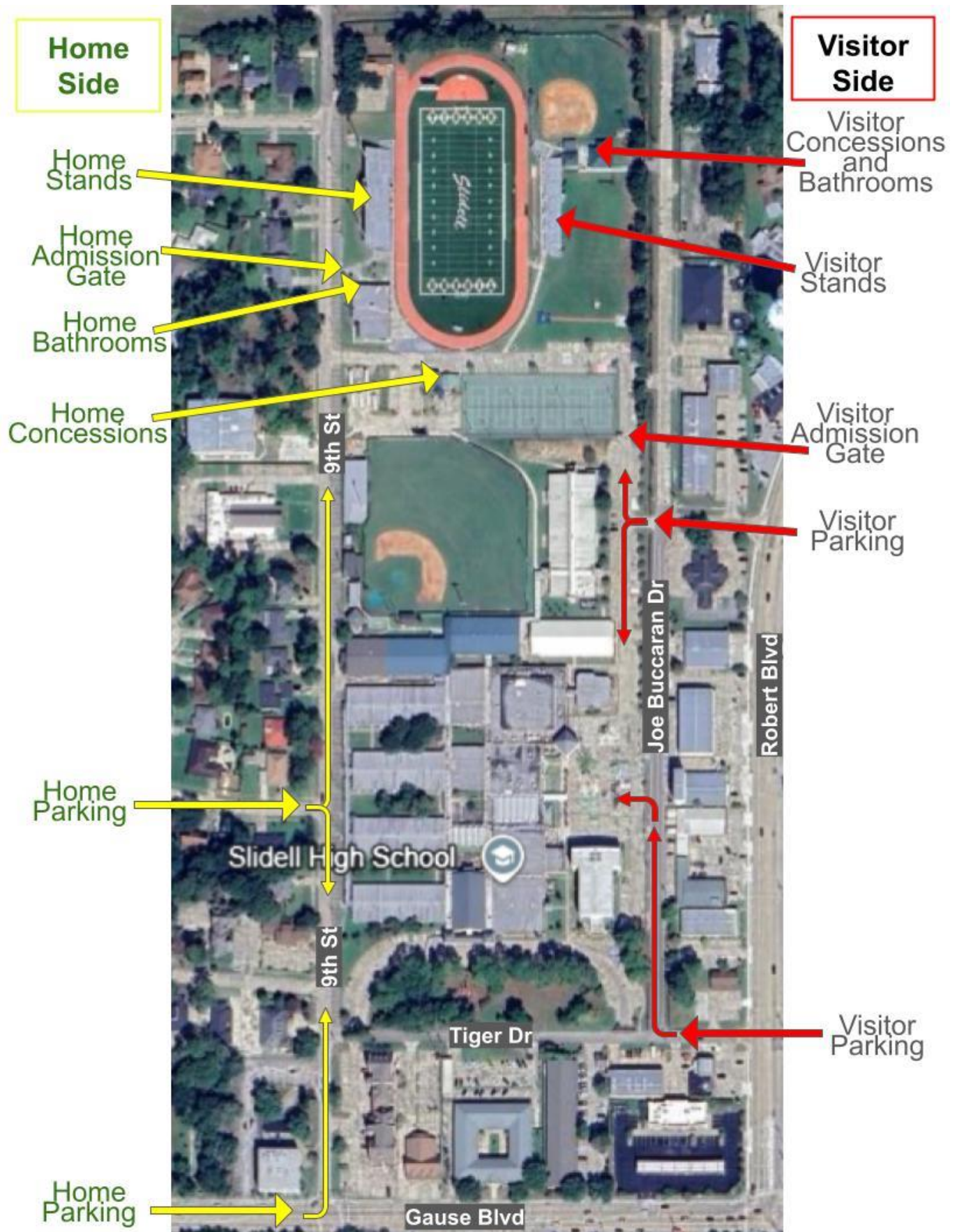
**Students dismiss at 2:25pm.



PICKUP AND DROPOFF LOCATIONS



FOOTBALL GAME DAY MAP



TIGER STRIPES PROGRAM

REQUIREMENTS

30 PLUS CLUB

ACT of 30 or higher

GOLD STRIPE STATUS

ACT of 28 or higher
AP score of 3 or higher
CLEP score of 50 or higher
Work Keys score of Platinum
ASVAB score of 65 or higher
LAA1 score of Exceeds Standards

SILVER STRIPE STATUS

ACT score of 24-27
Work Keys score of Gold

**EARN A LANYARD PIN EVERY TIME YOU RAISE YOUR SCORE!!
BRING NEW SCORE REPORT TO MR. DUFFAUT OR MRS. KELLY**

****STUDENTS WITH BEHAVIOR, ATTENDANCE, OR
ACADEMIC ISSUES ARE SUBJECT TO REMOVAL FROM
THE PROGRAM AT ANY TIME THROUGHOUT THE
YEAR****

REWARDS

ALL YEAR LONG

30 Plus & Gold Status

Paint your own
personalized parking
spot

DAILY 2 minute head
start to lunch

Featured Banner for 30
Plus in main hall

Featured on SHS
broadcast

Special recognition in
yearbook

ALL

Jeans and Tiger stripes
shirt the last Wednesday
of every month

Special Reward &
Recognition at each
Honor Roll Breakfast

Special Recognition in
the yearbook

1st NINE WEEKS

Tiger Stripes Shirt
Gold/Silver ID Cards

2nd NINE WEEKS

Tiger Stripes Lanyard

3rd NINE WEEKS

Field Day or Movie Gala

4th NINE WEEKS

Silver & Gold status get a
paw pin to wear at
graduation

30 + status get cords to
wear at graduation



2026-2027 DISTRICT CALENDAR

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All Students Attend School

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Last Day of School

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1/2 Day for Students

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April 19 - 30

Except Lee Road Junior High & Fifth Ward Junior High

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ACT Testing Dates TBD

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IMPORTANT DATES

Aug. 3	Teachers' Professional Development	Jan. 5	1/2 Day Prof. Development, 1/2 Teacher Work Day
Aug. 4	Teachers' Professional Development	Jan. 6	No School for Students
Aug. 5	Teachers' Day	Jan. 18	School Reopens for Students
Aug. 6	Smart Start Day: Last Names A-L	Feb. 8-12	Martin Luther King Holiday*
Aug. 7	Smart Start Day: Last Names M-Z	March 12	End of Third Grading Period
Aug. 10	All Students Attend School	March 26-Apr. 2	1/2 Day for Students, 1/2 Day Record Keeping
Sept. 7	Labor Day Holiday*	April 5	Spring/Easter Break* #
Oct. 2	Parish Fair Day*	April 6	Professional Development
Oct. 5	Fall Holiday*	April 25	No School for Students
Oct. 9	End of First Grading Period	May 26	All Students Return to School
Nov. 3	1/2 Day for Students, 1/2 Day Record Keeping		End of Fourth Grading Period
Nov. 23-27	Election Day		End of Second Semester
Dec. 18	Thanksgiving Holidays*		End of Session
	End of Second Grading Period		1/2 Day for Students, 1/2 Day Record Keeping
	End of First Semester		Teachers' Day
Dec. 21-Jan. 4	1/2 Day for Students, 1/2 Day Record Keeping		
	Winter/Christmas Break*		

The School Board requires an appropriate program for Veterans' Day (Nov. 11). School Administrators are asked to avoid scheduling activities on the following days when possible (observance begins at sundown the day before the date listed): Sept. 11 (Rash Hashanah); Sept. 20 (Yom Kippur)

* In case of emergency, student make-up days will be taken from existing holidays in the above schedule.

It is understood should state testing conflict with the proposed Easter/Spring Break holiday that the Easter/Spring Break holiday will be adjusted accordingly.