Welcome Back to School



Hello Middle School!

We are so thrilled to welcome you to our new Middle School. We're looking forward to the year ahead and working together with our students, families, and community to make this an outstanding school year.

Upcoming events

- **Back to School Night**- Wednesday, August 26th from 5-8. The schedule is attached below.
- **Picture Day** for all students and staff will be held during Back to School Night on Wednesday, August 26. Two cameras will be set up at all three buildings from 3PM - 8PM. Students can take their picture at any location regardless of grade level! An alternate date is scheduled for Thursday, September 24 beginning at 7:30 a.m. with photographers at all three sites. Order Form
- **First Day of School**- September 1st
- **Homecoming Week**- October 19th
- School Calendar can be found here.

Things to know

- School start/end times: 8:20-3:05. **Doors will open at 7:55 am.**
- BASE is available for 5/6th grade.
- You can find the school supply list here
- Students will receive one breakfast and one lunch free. If students would like to purchase seconds they will need to have money in their account.
  - Pay online: Login to your JMC account and select the "Lunch" tab. This feature will be up and running later this month.
  - Or Drop off cash/check at the office
- Recess every day for all students.

Activities kick-off

There is an information meeting on Monday, August 17 at 6PM in the auditorium for all students and parents/guardians in grades 7-12 interested in participating in ANY & ALL Hawley Activities this year. This is a great opportunity to learn about all the activities that Hawley Public Schools has to offer and to learn about the mission and goals of our programs.

Athletic Physicals

- A reminder that all students (7-12) need a physical used within the last three years before participating in a practice or game.
- Each student must still complete the annual health history questionnaire.
- Any student who had not previously participated and who does not have medical clearance to participate will be required to have a physical and be cleared to participate.
- Find a Physical Form here or on the Activities website

NEW INFORMATION

Bound: Activities Information
All activity schedules, pass purchases, registration, and more have moved from Arbiter/rSchool to Bound. Bound is our new all-in-one activities platform, serving as your hub for athletics, fine arts, activities, and Community Education. Families can use Bound to view schedules, register for activities, purchase event passes and tickets, receive updates, and stay connected with everything activities related happening throughout the school year. Check it out here!

JMC REGISTRATION

Note from the District

Welcome to the 2026-2027 School Year!

Please click the "Register for 2026-2027" to update the following information for your family:

-Contact Information
-Internet Agreement
-Media Agreement
-Allergies/Medications

This is **required** for the upcoming school year.

INSTANT ALERTS - JMC

We utilize the JMC platform to send instant alert emails, text messages and phone calls. Please make sure your contact information is current.

When you login for the first time under the 2026-2027 school year..

- Select the "Register for 2026-2027"
- Start/Continue the Registration Process. You will be prompted to verify your contact information.

TRANSPORTATION INFO

Renewal emails were sent to all families of returning bus riders in mid-July. If you have not already done so, please complete your renewal so we have an accurate count of seat availability.
Registration for new bus riders opened on August 3.
Bus routes and pickup information will be shared with families during the week of August 24.

DROP OFF/PICK UP INFO



JMC INFORMATION

JMC (student information system) The link is school district specific and can be found on our school website under "For Parents"

- View grades
- Check attendance
- Set alerts for grades and attendance
- Check lunch balance and add money to lunch account *(for seconds)*
- JMC Tutorial

MUSIC CHOICE

You may notice a missing period on your schedules. This is for your Music Choice. Please fill out this survey so we have an accurate count of students in band for this coming school year.



BELL SCHEDULE

Period 1	**8:20-9:07**
Period 2	**9:11-9:53**
Period 3	**9:57-10:39**
Period 4	**5th: Lunch 10:43-11:13, Recess ~ Homeroom 11:17-11:59** **6th: Lunch 10:43-11:13, Homeroom ~ Recess 11:17-11:59** **7th & 8th: Class 10:43-11:25, Lunch 11:29 - 11:59**
Period 5	**12:03-12:45** **5th & 6th: Class** **7th: Homeroom~Recess** **8th: Recess~Homeroom**
Period 6	**12:49-1:31**
Period 7	**1:35-2:17**
Period 8	**2:21-3:05**

COURSE OFFERINGS

5th	6th	7th	8th
• Math • Social Studies • Science • Language Arts • Music/Band • STEM • PE • ART	• Math • Social Studies • Science • Language Arts • Music/Band • STEM • PE • ART	• Math • Social Studies • Science • Language Arts • Choir/Band/IPC • Art • AG • PE • Health	• Math/ Inter. Algebra • Social Studies • Science • Language Arts • Choir/Band/IPC • Art • FCS • PE • AG

PHONE POLICY

To give our students more time to focus and enjoy true face-to-face connection, our school operates as a phone-free learning environment from the first bell to the last bell. Personal devices will be safely tucked away during school hours.

If you need to get ahold of your child, please email or call the school Thank you for helping make this a great learning environment!

GO NUGGETS!!

CONTACT INFO:

Please feel free to contact the office anytime during the school year.

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Back to School Night August 26th, 5-8pm

Last Name	A-D	E-K	L-P	Q-Z
3:00-5:00	School Pictures	School Pictures	School Pictures	School Pictures
5:00-5:40	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms	Student/Parent Meeting in Cafetorium	School Pictures	School Pictures
5:40-6:20	Student/Parent Meeting in Cafetorium	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms	School Pictures	School Pictures
6:20-7:00	School Pictures	School Pictures	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms	Student/Parent Meeting in Cafetorium
7:00-7:40	School Pictures	School Pictures	Student/Parent Meeting in Cafetorium	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms
Families unable to attend during their time slot may also come later in the evening for open house.				
7:40-8:00	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms	**Open House:** Lockers, Building, Classrooms

Schedules and Teachers are now available on JMC

some schedules may shift slightly before back to school night

