

Elementary Flexible Learning/Data Days 2026–2027 Information for Families

What is a Flexible Learning/Data Day?

Columbia Heights Public Schools (CHPS) will hold two Flexible Learning/Data Days during the 2026-2027 school year, on October 8, 2026, and February 5, 2027.

On these days, CHPS staff work with students in the morning and spend the afternoon engaging in Data Workshops. The purpose of the Data Workshop is to provide time for teachers to review student data in order to monitor progress and adjust instruction as needed to best meet student needs.

Students will learn from home through a combination of live Zoom sessions with teachers, completing work on Seesaw, and/or asynchronous work.

Preparing for a Flexible Learning/Data Day

Prior to each Flexible Learning/Data Day, students in grades 1–5 will be sent home with labeled chargers and devices. Kindergarten families will be surveyed at the beginning of the year to determine device needs. Devices and chargers **must** be returned upon students' return to school.

What Does a Flexible Learning/Data Day Look Like?

PreK	Kindergarten (K)	Grades 1–5
PreK students will receive asynchronous work to complete. Teachers are available during the school day via Seesaw messaging, email, or phone. Work must be returned to school the following school day to be counted as present for the day.	8:30–9:00 Morning Meeting Zoom Session Teachers will post Zoom links to Seesaw. K students will receive work to complete for the remainder of the day. Teachers are available during the school day via Seesaw messaging, email, or phone. In order to be counted as “present” for a Flexible Learning/Data Day, K students must join the live Zoom sessions.	Teachers connect live with students on Zoom and take attendance: • 8:30–9:00 Morning Meeting • 9:05–9:45 Math or Literacy • 9:50–10:30 Literacy or Math Teachers will post Zoom links and daily assignments to Seesaw. In order to be counted as “present” for a Flexible Learning/Data Day, students in grades 1–5 must join the live Zoom sessions.

What if My Student or I Have Questions?

- Students and families can reach teachers via Seesaw messaging, email, or phone.
- For assistance with technology, call (763) 528-4595.
- Families can contact the school.
 - Highland Elementary Main Office: (763) 528-4400
 - North Park School for Innovation Main Office: (763) 528-4300
 - Valley View Elementary Main Office: (763) 528-4200