

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 12/1/20

HARRISON UPDATES

Please continue to visit our school district's Learning Everywhere website at https://www.cobblearningeverywhere.com/for updated information.

Also please remember that our local school information is located at the following link on our school website at <u>Harrison Remote Learning &</u> <u>Reopening Plan</u>. We will continue to keep our updated reopening details on this page of our school website.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Nov 30	1	2 (Remote Learning	3	4
	Am Lit	Day)	Am Lit	Am Lit
	Section1		Section 2	Section 3
	(F2F & Remote	Remote Student		
	Students)	Testing		
		- <mark>Am Lit</mark> Sec 2&3		
		-Biology Sec 1&2		
		(*schools closed to		
		F2F students)		
7	8	9 (Remote Learning	10	11
US History	Biology	Day)	Algebra 1	Algebra 1
Sections 1 &	Sections 1 & 2		Section 1	Section 2
2		Remote Students		
		Testing		
		-US History		
		Sec1&2		
		-Algebra I Sections		
		1&2		

EOC TESTING

		(*schools closed to F2F students)		
14	15	16	17	18
EOC	EOC Makeups	(Remote Learning	Early Release	Early
Makeups		Day)		Release
				Last day of
				S1

REMOTE STUDENTS ONLY:

TESTING TIMES

Testing for remote students will begin at **8:20** (**including Wednesdays**) each day despite what block they have that EOC course normally. A list of remote students testing that day will be sent to teachers each morning. These students will be able to make-up any missed work due to EOC testing.

Check-In Locations:

- Remote students that have elected to participate in testing on Wednesdays will check-in for testing in the Attendance Building (Freshman Building) Lobby.
- Remote students that have elected to participate in testing M, T, Th, F will check-in at the Hoya Center (New Gym) Lobby.

TRANSPORTATION: STUDENT DRIVERS

- All remote student drivers will leave campus as soon as their EOC group is done testing.
- Remote student drivers that have elected to participate in testing on Wednesdays will park in the main lot on these days (No decal required).
- Remote student drivers that have elected to participate in testing on M, T, Th, F will park in the student parking lot (behind the new gym) on these days (No decal required).

BUS RIDERS:

• Remote students riding the bus to school for testing will use the link <u>here</u> for instructions on how to find their bus number, bus stop, and bus arrival times.

- If a remote student is riding the bus home, that student will remain in the computer lab where they tested that day. They will attend classes virtually from there until dismissal.
- Buses will depart from Harrison at 12:30 P.M. on Wednesday 12/2 and 12:00 P.M. on Wednesday 12/9 to take students home that chose this option.

CAR RIDERS

- Remote student car riders that have elected to participate in testing on Wednesdays can be dropped off and picked in front of the Attendance Building.
- Remote student car riders that have elected to participate in testing on M, T, Th, F can be picked up and dropped off in front of the main building. The student would need to walk to the Hoya Center (New Gym) Lobby due to school buses using the bus lot.
- All students that will be car riding home after testing will be released as soon as their room is done with testing.
- Remote student car riders being picked up at the end of the school day that have elected to participate in testing on M, T, Th, F will remain in the computer lab where they tested that day. They will attend classes virtually from there until dismissal.

If you have any additional questions, please email Mr. Figueroa, Assistant Principal at <u>Robert.figueroa@cobbk12.org</u>.

FINAL EXAMS

All students will be taking their final exams virtually during students' scheduled exam time. The final exam schedule can be found below. Exams will begin on Thursday, December 17, and end on Friday, December 18. We cannot give exams early, so please make sure you plan accordingly. Make-up exam days would be scheduled when we return in January.



HARRISON HIGH SCHOOL-FALL SEMESTER 2020 FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

ALL STUDENTS WILL TAKE EXAMS VIRTUALLY THIS SEMESTER DURING THEIR SCHEDULED EXAM TIME GIVEN BELOW

Thursday, December 17, 2020 8:20-9:50 1st Period Exam 9:50-10:00 BREAK 10:00-11:30 2nd Period Exam Friday, December 18, 2020 8:20-9:50 3rd Period Exam 9:50-10:00 BREAK 10:00-11:30 4th Period Exam

Final Exams:

During the two days of final exams, students should make every effort to be fully prepared. All courses will have a final assessment, to include those classes that took an EOC Test. The year-long math classes will have a mid-term exam, which will follow the final exam schedule above.

- All students will complete final exams virtually during the scheduled exam time listed above.
- · Final exams will not be given early, per Cobb County School District policy.
- Students who miss a final exam will receive a zero (0) on the exam.

Please note additional important information:

- Report cards will be available via PARENTVUE and STUDENTVUE on Tuesday, January 5, 2021.
- Students will receive instructions on textbook return from their teachers. A drop-off bin will be placed
 outside the Attendance Building on Monday December 14th and Tuesday December 15th. Virtual students
 will use this bin to return their textbooks. Students will NOT be issued their Spring Semester books if there
 are any books that have not been turned in or there are any outstanding fines.
- School is back in session for all students on Wednesday, January 6, 2021.

ATTENDANCE

Please note: Once a family makes a learning environment selection, the expectation is that this selection will remain for the entire semester.

Any absence or early-dismissal notes MUST be sent electronically to the attendance office: HarrisonHSSupport@cobbk12.org

Students who are leaving school early will check out from the attendance office (in the attendance building) and meet their rides in front of the attendance building.

If you need assistance with your Parent Vue account, please email stephanie.gardner@cobbk12.org

PARENT VUE

Want to see notifications for your student regarding attendance and grades? Parents can set their student's attendance notifications in Parent Vue using the directions below.

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In the Auto Notify area, check the box next to Attendance to receive email notifications.

Grade and Grade Book notifications may be added, if desired.

Click the Update Account button at the top of the screen to save selections.

ParentVUE Attendance

Starting Thursday, 11/12, the attendance module in ParentVUE was activated for all schools. Parents who have set up automatic email notification for attendance have begun to receive these email notifications. The system reviews attendance entries hourly and sends out notification emails based on the settings in each ParentVUE account.

ParentVue Attendance Detail

In ParentVUE, absences entered while all students were engaged in remote learning will look slightly different than absences recorded since face-to-face learning has resumed. Absences recorded prior to November 5 will be indicated only in period 20, CTLS Attendance. Beginning on November 5, absences are recorded for <u>every</u> class period for both face-to-face and remote learners.

If you have a student who is F2F and they show up remotely they will be coded as AVP. This will show the parents and others that the student was not in the building but did log onto CTLS. It does not make it excused but we can see what is happening better with the students. **AVP**(*Absent – Virtually Present – Unverified*) AVP code lets the teacher and parent know that the student participated in the lesson remotely. AVP absences are considered unexcused until the parent/guardian supplies appropriate documentation to the PPO Clerk.

VPE(*Virtually Present – Absent Excused*) changes AVP absence to an excused absence once documentation has been received.

VPQ (*Virtually Present – Quarantined*) changes AVP absences, these are not weighted and do not add to the total number of absences for the student. Please remember these codes are changed after the teacher takes attendance and the PPO clerk gets verification, might take a day or two for changes to show in ParentVue.

PSAT

An email with all the updated information on the rescheduled PSAT went out to all 11th grade and 10th grade parents on November 6, 2020. Please make sure to check the <u>PSAT link</u> on our website if you have any questions about the PSAT on January 26, 2021. If you have any further questions, please email Dr. Sitten at <u>mandy.sitten@cobbk12.org</u>.

For additional PSAT/College Board Covid-19 updates, please click here.

STUDENT PICTURES

Virtual students can pick up their yearbook pictures or proofs in the front office on the following dates:

Freshmen 12/3-12/4

Sophomores 12/7-12/8

Juniors 12/10-12/11

If you have students in multiple grades, you can come on whichever date is convenient for you.

SENIOR INFORMATION

Seniors: The deadline to purchase your cap and gown, which is REQUIRED to participate in the graduation ceremony is Dec 5th. Don't be left out! **www.herffatlanta.com**

Senior Parents: Graduation Information Forms are online this year. All enrolling adults should complete the grad info form found in Parent Vue BY Dec 10th. This information is vital and required to receive a diploma from Harrison HS. Below is a link to the instructions for parents to follow – please read them carefully, and if you have any questions, please contact either Jason1.Evans@cobbk12.org or Christi.Osborne@cobbk12.org Click here for instructions for completing the graduation form.

HOYA NEWS!

TEACHER OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to our awesome Teacher of the Month, Ms. Herndon! Thank you for all you do! Well-deserved recognition!



STAFF MEMBER OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to our wonderful Staff Member of the Month, Ms. Webb! Thank you for all you do! Well-deserved recognition!



GOVERNOR'S HONORS PROGRAM

Congratulations to the following 15 Harrison students for being nominated to apply for the Governor's Honors Program in the areas of academics, fine arts, and/or career technology.

The students selected through Cobb's interview process this year were:

Student First	Student Last	Nomination Area:	Concentration (If applicable):
Name:	Name:		
Angelina	Lemon	Communicative	
		Arts	
Caroline	Conrad	Mathematics	
Gibson	Akin	Music	Strings: Violin
Sophie	Caveney	Music	Voice: Treble
David	Champion	Music	Voice: Bass
Blake	Dwelle	Music	Piano
Масу	Kiger	Music	Strings: Double
			Bass

lan	Koontz	Music	Strings: Cello
Austin	Smith	Music	Strings: Cello
Donovan	Webster	Music	Strings: Cello
Sophie	Van Herik	Science	Chemistry
Sydney	Cole	Social Studies	
Lily	Coston	Social Studies	
Jack	Lakis	Social Studies	
Gabriella	Smith	Social Studies	

COUNSELING NEWS

COUNSELING CALENDAR

Please check the Counseling Calendar frequently for important dates including Virtual Parent and Student Q&A sessions, Virtual College Visit information, and much more! Click here <u>Harrison Counseling Calendar</u> or go to the Counseling page on <u>www.harrisonhigh.org</u>.

VIRTUAL COLLEGE VISITS

We have several Virtual College Visits set up for our Harrison Students. Please check these out here: <u>Harrison Virtual College Visits</u> and on the Counseling Website.

UPCOMING VISITS

LAST COLLEGE VISITS OF THE SEMESTER
12/2 @ 11:00 AM: LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
12/8 @ 5:30 PM: UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA
12/9 @ 11:00 AM: LIFE UNIVERSITY

JUNIOR ADVISEMENT

It is time for junior advisement! Junior advisement is an individual meeting with your student's counselor to discuss progression toward graduation and post-secondary plans. Parents and students can book their 20-minute virtual meeting by following the steps below! We look forward to seeing you and supporting your student as they reach their goals!

NEXT STEPS

Visit the junior advisement website with your student: <u>Website</u> Access the junior advisement packet with your student: <u>Packet</u>

YOUR STUDENT: Complete the state's junior required activity: Log into Naviance: <u>Here</u> Go to "My Planner" & click "Tasks" Complete the Junior Bridge Law Survey

- Go to "My Planner" and click "Tasks"
- Select: "11th Grade Bridge Law Survey"

- Select "take this survey" on the right side of the screen. Look for the pink diamond with a white arrow!
- Click "Start"
- Answer the questions and select "Save and Finish"

Head to your counselor's Bookme website and book an appointment that works best for you and your student!

Students face-to-face starting November 5th are encouraged to book on Wednesdays if available

Ms. Schmit, Last names A- CL: Book me!

Ms. Moody, Last names CM-G: Book me!

Ms. Campbell, Last names H-L: Book me!

Mr. Evans, Last names M-R: Book me!

Ms. Hoptroff, Last name S-Z: Book me!

ONCE YOU HAVE BOOKED

You will receive a booking confirmation email. You will receive the virtual meeting link the week of your meeting.

SPRING SCHEDULES

The drop/add period for spring semester schedules ended November 6th. The administration is working diligently to process all requests submitted.

COLLEGE TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

All transcript requests for colleges with a January 1st deadline must be processed through My Payments Plus by December 9th. Please <u>click here</u> to request your transcript.

WORK PERMIT

When the student has been offered a position, the student will access <u>Work Permit Datasheet</u> to complete the first section (Section A) of the work permit datasheet. The student's new employer will complete Section B of the permit datasheet and provide the student with an **MSK** # that the student will submit to Harrison High School via email: <u>harrison@cobbk12.org</u>. The information will then be verified and the work permit issued and sent back via the email address provided. Please allow 48-72 hours for completion.

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https://twitter.com/hoyaprincipal https://twitter.com/hhshoyasports



JOIN PTSA

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