

### **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 10/27/20**

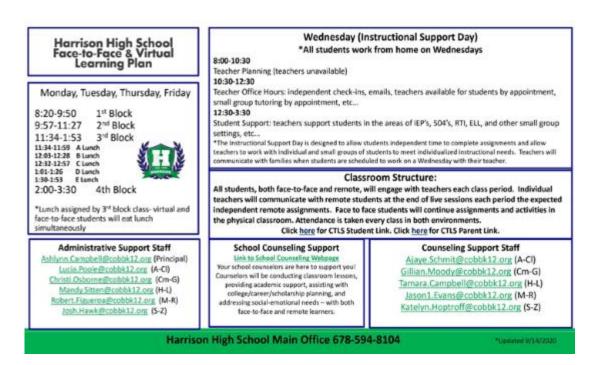
### **WELCOME BACK, HOYAS!**

### SEE BELOW FOR UPDATES TO HARRISON'S REOPENING PLAN:

We are looking forward to seeing our face to face Hoyas on Thursday, November 5! This eblast includes some updates and reminders for Harrison's reopening plan.

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

Please also continue to visit our school district's Learning Everywhere website at <a href="https://www.cobblearningeverywhere.com/">https://www.cobblearningeverywhere.com/</a>. This website provides additional details for the safety protocols that Harrison will follow.



Please click **here** to view the above image in a larger format.

### **Before You Leave Home:**

- Take your temperature. Stay home if you have a fever. Self-screen for symptoms or exposure to Coronavirus. Stay home if you have been exposed or have symptoms.
- Make sure you have your mask as they are required by CCSD. All face masks or face coverings should fully cover the nose and mouth and secure under the chin. Masks should also fit securely against both sides of the face.
- Create a small supply pack with bandaids, Tylenol/Advil in the original packaging, personal hygiene products, etc. This will reduce the number of visits to the clinic.

### **Arrival to Harrison:**

- Before entering the building, please put your mask on properly.
- Please practice social distancing whenever possible!
- When you arrive, you must go to 1st period.
- Please use alternative routes that take you outside or away from high traffic areas.
- Lunch procedures and expectations will be communicated to students on November 5th during all lunch periods.

### **Additional Resources:**

**Daily Self-Screening Checklist** 

**GA DPH Guideline for Schools** 

**CCSD Mask Guidance** 

**Freshman and New Student Campus Tour** 

### **CONGRATULATIONS, HOYAS, ON SAT AND ACT SCORES!**

Congratulations to our Hoyas for the positive trends on the 2020 SAT and 2020 ACT! Harrison's 2020 SAT score is 1125 (up from 1123) and the 2020 ACT score is 23.7 (up from 23.4). These positive trends are a testament to our hardworking students and teachers. Keep up the good work, Hoyas! We are proud of you!

### **BUS INFORMATION**

Please read through the following important information that will help ensure everyone's health and safety when running the bus.

- Hand sanitizer will be provided on the bus for drivers and students.
- Masks are required for bus drivers and students on the bus.
- Continue the practice of assigned seats for students to facilitate safe and efficient loading and unloading.
- Ventilation and fresh air will circulate weather permitting.
- Field trips are suspended until further notice.
- Due to new Covid-19 protocols, students will not be allowed to ride buses other than the one zoned for their residence.
- Bus routes will run as scheduled. You can find your child's bus information at Bus Route
   Finder: http://transportation.cobbk12.org/livewqweb/webquery/

The link provided will allow you to view the routes and pickup times for your student's bus.

### A School Bus Tracking App for Parents:

Download Here Comes the Bus app or visit herecomesthebus.com:

Google Play:

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.synovia.herecomesthebus&hl=en\_US

App Store: <a href="https://apps.apple.com/us/app/here-comes-the-bus/id981902595">https://apps.apple.com/us/app/here-comes-the-bus/id981902595</a>

### **CAFE INFORMATION**

We are very excited about the new renovations made to our Main Café. These updates include a more modern look and feel to the space, with serving line enhancements that will allow for an improved flow to the daily traffic during our lunch periods. As you may have already seen on our updated bell schedule, we have included an additional lunch period each day to help with social distancing in the Café. Please read through the following important information and student expectations that will help to ensure the health and safety of everybody in the Café during lunches:

- Students will enter the Café at the doors located on the 400 Hall (across from the Hole-In-The-Wall and Learning Commons). Students will exit the Café at the doors leading out to Main Street (next to the Faculty Dining Room).
- Touchless hand sanitizer stations will be placed at all doors to the Café. Students are strongly encouraged to utilize these stations each day when entering and exiting.
- Seating will be spaced out as much as possible. Students will need to sit in this spaced out format and will not be allowed to move chairs around to different tables.
- We will not assign students to specific seats, but we do ask that students please try and sit in the same general location each day.
- Students will be asked to keep their masks on in the Café when not eating.
- As always, seniors are encouraged to utilize the senior courtyard located outside the 400
   Hall exterior doors for outside seating when weather permits.
- We will also review this important information listed above, as well as general safety procedures with students in the Café upon return.

Lastly, please see some additional important information listed below from Food & Nutrition Services:

- Masks will always be worn by FNS workers.
- Serving lines will be set up to allow for social distancing as much as possible, and all transactions will be touchless to ensure a safe and sanitary process.
- Enhanced cleaning, sanitizing, and disinfecting procedures will be implemented in addition to regular stringent cleaning measures for food safety.
- Pre-order meals for remote learners will still be available.

### **FACILITY INFORMATION**

As we prepare for students to be back on campus, here are some reminders of the things we have in place to help maintain a safe and healthy environment:

- <u>Hand-Sanitizer Stations</u> In addition to the wall-mounted pumps located throughout the facilities, we have placed touchless hand sanitizer stations at the building entry points and in other higher-traffic areas throughout campus.
- <u>Plexiglass Screens</u> We have installed plexiglass screens in the reception areas of our higher-traffic offices, as well as other commonly-used spaces around campus.
- <u>Disinfectant Foggers</u> This may be the best defense effort put into place. We are very fortunate to have been able to purchase multiple disinfectant foggers in addition to the single one provided by the district, as well as a specialized mixing unit which will allow us to produce sanitizing solutions for the foggers on-demand. All of our facilities are being cleaned on a daily basis with disinfectant foggers to help maximize our sanitizing efforts.

### **LEARNING COMMONS**

# Guide to the Learning Commons

- · Printing is free ( school assignments only)
- Please bring your own supplies.
- Social distancing guidelines will apply and cleaning will take place in between classes.

# **Books**

Please request books using https://bit.ly/2QLJ8h7

Books will be delivered to 1st period, digital learners can pick up in the attendance office.
Once books are returned they will be unavailable for 72 hrs.

For tracking purposes you will be required to sign in and out using LibraryTrac.

# Signing In

We will also have QR codes posted for quick access.

After signing in please check in with one of the staff to get a assigned computer or table.

## **Contact Tracing**

You will need to remain in your location until you sign out. We will have spots open for 15 students to come in during each lunch period. The first 15 students to bring a piece of paper for us to stamp as a pass will be allowed in.

## **Lunch Passes**

The Books have missed you and so have we!

### **ATTENDANCE UPDATES**

1. Our new attendance office is now located in the Attendance Building. This building is formerly known as the Freshman Academy. Our attendance clerk is still Kim Greaves at Kim.Greaves@cobbk12.org.

- 2. Due to COVID protocols, the process for check-ins, check-outs, and tardies to class will take longer than normal. Please plan accordingly and allow for extra time in your schedule to accommodate these delays.
- 3. All class tardies will require the student to obtain a tardy pass from the attendance office (in the Attendance Building). Students must wait in line and following guidelines for social distancing. Students should use the seven minutes between classes efficiently, as the revised tardy process will take away from instructional time.
- 4. Due to COVID protocols, no non-essential visitors will be allowed at CCSD schools. Please plan accordingly so that you have all necessary items for the school day: lunch, homework, books, gym shoes, etc... Our attendance office has limited parent volunteers and no student aides to assist with deliveries, so students must bring necessary items for the day.
- 5. Parents will email an early check-out note to the attendance office at <u>HarrisonHSSupport@cobbk12.org</u>. Early check-outs will be verified by the attendance office, and students will be picked up from in front of the attendance office at their designated check-out time. Parents may remain in their vehicles to wait for their student or in the foyer of the attendance building.
- 6. Excuse notes following an absence must be emailed to the attendance office at <a href="mailto:HarrisonHSSupport@cobbk12.org">HarrisonHSSupport@cobbk12.org</a> within 3 days of a student's absence. If no documentation is emailed, the absence will be unexcused, and students will not be allowed to make up work they may have missed while absent.
- 7. Parents/students requesting a certificate of enrollment for purposes of obtaining a driver's permit or driver's license should pay the \$2 fee at <a href="https://www.mypaymentsplus.com/welcome">https://www.mypaymentsplus.com/welcome</a>. Once the fee has been paid, the certificate will be ready to be picked up by the student within 24 hours at the attendance office.

### **CLINIC NEWS**

Please note that the clinic is now located in the Attendance Building. This building is formerly known as the Freshman Academy.

# WHAT WILL THE CLINIC LOOK LIKE THIS YEAR? ( PARENT COMMUNICATION)

- Only one child will be allowed in the clinic at a time. Students taking daily medication will be given an assigned time to come to the clinic.
- . The clinic will be disinfected before treating each individual student.
- Minor complaints, accidents and minor injuries will be handled in the classroom. Each classroom has been provided with a first aid kit for treatment.
- · Extra clothing will not be provided for unforeseen accidents.
- If you have been contacted to pick up your student with an illness, please pull
  up to the front of the Attendance Building. The nurse will walk your student
  to the vehicle. The parent does not need to enter the building.

### How can you help?

- Please do a daily screening on your child every morning before school (feeling ill, cough, sore throat, fever, etc.). KEEP THEM HOME IF THEY
- · Mask up: students are required to wear a mask while on campus.
- Complete and return the clinic card and make sure the emergency contact information is listed correctly in Parent Vue.
- Please adhere to the medication drop-off procedure. Contact the school nurse if you have a conflict with the drop-off dates and /or times.
- Morning medications and once-per-day medication should be given at home.
- Have your student create a personal hygiene bag to keep in their backpack (extra mask, hand sanitizer, Chapstick, band aids, snacks, etc.).
- · The clinic welcomes any donations.
- · Get vaccinated for the Flu

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### **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 <a href="Harrison">Harrison</a>
<a href="Harrison">Counseling Calendar</a> or go to the Counseling page on <a href="hwww.harrisonhigh.org">www.harrisonhigh.org</a>.

### **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**



### 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

- 1) Visit the junior advisement website with your student: Website
- 2) Access the junior advisement packet with your student: Packet
- 3) YOUR STUDENT: Complete the state's junior required activity:
  - 1. Log into Naviance: Here
  - 2. Go to "My Planner" & click "Tasks"
  - 3. 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"
- 4) 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: <u>Book me!</u>
Ms. Moody, Last names CM-G: <u>Book me!</u>
Ms. Campbell, Last names H-L: <u>Book me!</u>
Mr. Evans, Last names M-R: <u>Book me!</u>
Ms. Hoptroff, Last name S-Z: <u>Book me!</u>

### Once you have booked

- 1) You will receive a booking confirmation email.
- 2) You will receive the virtual meeting link the week of your meeting.

### **VIRTUAL COFFEE WITH THE COUNSELORS**

Parents: Virtual Coffee with the Counselors, October 30th, 9:30 am – 10:30 am to discuss our Drop/Add process. Please use the below link to register for this event.

**Coffee with the Counselors** 

#### **SPRING SCHEDULES**

Spring schedules will be available via StudentVUE/ParentVUE on Friday, October 23rd. Students who have a scheduling error due to misplacement may submit a drop/add request using the following link: <a href="Spring 2021 Drop/Add">Spring 2021 Drop/Add</a>. Requests for elective changes are not considered errors and should not be submitted. Students are only allowed one submission and should communicate all issues on one form. The deadline to submit a drop/add request is Friday, November 6th at midnight.

### **FINANCIAL AID PARENT NIGHT**

If you could not attend the Financial Aid presentation, please use the below links to access information.

https://www.gafutures.org/resources/quick-guides/outreach-webinars/financial-aid-101/ (webinars)

https://www.gafutures.org/resources/marketing-materials/ (brochures)

Please connect with Georgia Futures @GAfutures on IG and Twitter.

Marcus Hilliard is our contact MARCUSH@GSFC.org

Click here to schedule a <u>free 30min phone consultation</u> and be sure to connect with him on Twitter @HilliardMarcus2.

### **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: <a href="https://harrison@cobbk12.org">harrison@cobbk12.org</a>. 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.

### **HOYA NEWS**

### **VOLLEYBALL**

We are so proud of our Lady Hoyas! They are on their way to the Elite Eight tonight against Alpharetta. Please come out and support your volleyball team at Harrison at 6:00 pm.



### **SOFTBALL**

We are so proud of our Lady Hoyas! They are on their way to the Elite Eight tonight against Etowah. Please come out and support your softball team at Etowah at 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm.



### **CROSS COUNTRY**

We are so proud of our Boys Cross County team! They are Region Champs and will be heading to the state championship in Carrollton on November 7th. Good Luck!



### **PSAT**

Registration for the 11th grade PSAT has closed. For all 11th graders that signup up to take the PSAT, please click <u>here</u> for all the information that was sent out on 9/25/20. If you have any questions, please email Dr. Sitten at <u>mandy.sitten@cobbk12.org</u>.

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

### **SENIOR INFORMATION**

Senior Class: Here are a few important dates that are coming up! #rocksolid21

The deadline for SENIOR ADS is Monday, November 2nd!

Use the link below to recognize your 2021 senior.

https://www.jostens.com/apps/jcom/router.mvc?affiliateId=1159762

November 5th – First day back face-to-face – Senior dress up day

November 6th – student "comfy day" (seniors wear your PJ's)

**December 5th** – deadline to order graduation announcements & cap and gown from Herff Jones (herffjonesatlanta.com) \*Remember that students get to keep their cap and gown this year!

### **STUDENT PARKING UPDATE**

All students who were awarded parking for the remainder of this fall semester have already been emailed parking decal payment instructions. We will be distributing decals to those students who have paid next Wednesday, November 4th. Please see below for your scheduled parking decal pickup time.

- 8:00 am 9:30 am (Last names beginning A to D)
- 9:45 am 11:15 am (Last names beginning E to K)
- 12:15 pm 1:45 pm (Last names beginning L to R)
- 2:00 pm 3:30 pm (Last names beginning S to Z)

Decals will be distributed from the Athletic Office (NEW LOCATION à RM 801). Please park in the bus port and enter the building at the breezeway 800 hall entrance. The office will be the first door to the right once you enter the building. We will also place signage out to help guide you to the right place.

If you did not receive the decal payment communication or if you have other parking questions, please reach out to Lisa Cronon (Email: <a href="mailto:lisa.cronon@cobbk12.org">lisa.cronon@cobbk12.org</a> | Phone: 678-594-8104 ext. 019) for assistance. Thank you!

### **PICTURES**

We are now offering 9th-11th grade yearbook photos to be taken in the Presidential gym. Please use the appropriate link for the Sign Up Genius for your student's grade. The dates are as follows...

9th grade-10/21 Freshmen Sign Up Link

10th grade-10/28 Sophomore Sign Up Link

11th grade-11/4 Junior Sign up Link

Protocols must be followed to ensure the health and safety of our staff and students. Students will enter from the bus lanes. Parents will wait in their cars. Students will enter the Presidential gym where a staff member will direct them to a camera. Social distancing will be strictly enforced. Students must wear a mask except when taking their photo. No props will be used and students will give their student number to identify themselves to the photographer. All Harrison and Lifetouch staff will wear masks. Please only come at the time you sign up for so we can ensure social distancing. If you have any questions, you can direct them to the yearbook sponsor, melody.madray@cobbk12.org.

### **SPORTS AND CLUBS**

### **BASEBALL**

<sup>\*</sup>Please make sure to come during your scheduled pickup time slot.

Players and Parents: If you are interested in trying out for the 2021 Baseball Team this year, please visit the following link to sign up. Questions? Reach out to Coach Elkins mark.elkins@cobbk12.org

BASEBALL SIGN UP: https://coachelkins10.weebly.com/baseball.html

### **BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER**

We are excited for Spring soccer season to get started. If you are interested in being a part of our team please **CLICK HERE** and complete our interest form.

You can also contact Head Coach Jonathan Gross at <a href="mailto:jonathan.gross@cobbk12.org">jonathan.gross@cobbk12.org</a>.

#### **GOLF**

All interested in trying out for Golf for the 2021 Season, Please contact Coach Farmer Travis.farmer@cobbk12.org

There will be a virtual parent meeting coming up in the next few weeks. Please look for the date to come soon!

#### **LADY HOYA TENNIS**

If your student is interested in participating on the 2020-2021 Lady Hoya Tennis Team, please complete the information form by clicking on the link below or use your camera phone to upload the form on your phone using the QR Code.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-x3OL5-ROEmquMR\_D8kYLQxdfkxjF\_NAq1OnDwxu32xUOTBOSzhLMUE3Nk5DVFNWNlpSQU1ZU0FOTi4u

use your phone camera to upload the form



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https://twitter.com/hhshoyasports



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### **JOIN PTSA**

https://harrisonptsa.membershiptoolkit.com/home