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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 9/15/20



MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL ASHLYNN CAMPBELL

Dear Harrison Families.

Just a reminder that the deadline to choose between face to face classes or remote instruction is this Sunday, September 20. Please click <u>here</u> to make your selection. To help parents make this decision, our school district is continuing to update resources. Below are items of information for you to review as we look ahead to the high school tentative return date set for Thursday, November 5.

- Reminder that CCSD has posted a FAQ link at the Cobb Learning Everywhere site which will answer questions for daily cleaning procedures for our offices, clinic, restrooms, café, classrooms, buses, and other areas on our campus. Information for the instructional day is also located at this link: https://www.cobblearningeverywhere.com/faqs/.
- Reminder to continue checking CCSD's reopening plan which can be found at https://www.cobblearningeverywhere.com/. This website has several tabs where many of your questions can be answered, so I would encourage you to continue to check the page for updates.
- Our school district has purchased PPE equipment and cleaning supplies that will be delivered to schools in the coming days/weeks. The supplies are not unlimited, but they are things like hand sanitizer and stations, masks, alcohol wipes, etc...
- Our school district has also provided new signage that has already been
 placed at entry points and various locations in the building. Additional
 safety signage will be posted in individual classrooms as well. The signage
 reminds students and staff of health and safety precautions.
- Just as busses will have assigned seats for students, we will need seating charts in classrooms once our students return for face to face instruction. This process will assist with contact tracing. Group work and sharing of materials will be minimized as much as possible.

- Wednesdays are still instructional support days as detailed in our virtual learning plan. All employees (except custodians) will work remotely on Wednesdays so the building can be "deep" cleaned.
- Please see Harrison's adjusted bell schedule below. This schedule will begin
 on November 5. We have increased transition time between classes for
 cleaning and added a fifth lunch to allow for students to spread out
 more. The bell schedule is also attached to the link at the end of this
 newsletter.

Fall 2020 Bell Schedule - Mon./Tues./Thur./Fri.

Warning bell 8:15

1st Period 8:20 - 9:50

2nd Period 9:57 - 11:27

3rd Period 11:34 - 1:53

A 11:34 - 11:59

B 12:03 - 12:28

C 12:32 - 12:57

D 1:01 - 1:26

E 1:30 - 1:53

A lunch students to return to class by 12:03.

B lunch students released at 11:59 to lunch; return to class by 12:32.

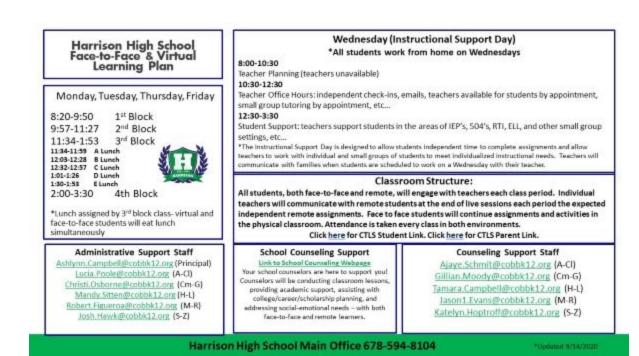
Clunch students released at 12:28 to lunch; return to class by 1:01.

D lunch students released at 12:57 to lunch; return to class by 1:30.

E lunch students released at 1:26 to lunch and dismissed at 1:53 to 4th period.

4th Period 2:00-3:30

• Please see Harrison's updated virtual learning plan below. The "Classroom Structure" section defines the basic elements of how a teacher's classroom will work while teaching students both face to face as well as virtual. Harrison's virtual learning plan is also attached to the link at the end of this newsletter.



- Every teacher will receive a blue tooth microphone and camera to use with the new interactive flat panels that were installed this summer. These two items are integral as teachers balance face to face and remote instruction.
- Social distancing is not 100% possible in classrooms, hallways, or the cafeteria. To the greatest extent possible, we will have procedures in place to mitigate high traffic areas where students typically congregate.

Please know that our primary focus when students return will be how do we create the healthiest and safest learning environment possible for our students and staff. For families who choose in-person instruction, we want to make sure that we are taking every precaution not only when it comes to cleaning surfaces in the building, but also rethinking the logistics of how Harrison has operated on a day to day basis in the past.

Also, we recognize that our 9th graders as well as families that are new to Harrison, never had the opportunity to walk the building prior to the start of the school year. Before November 5, we are planning to have an opportunity where 9th grade/new students will be able to make sure they know where their classes are located. More information is forthcoming.

Finally, as we begin week five of virtual learning, please continue to monitor your student's progress so he/she is staying engaged with the learning process and prepared for class every day. Please stay in contact with your student's teachers

and remember that our counselors serve as a great resource as well. Please do not hesitate to reach out to our staff to make sure your student is progressing academically.

Sincerely,

Ashlynn Campbell

Principal

REMOTE LEARNING INFORMATION

We have included everything you need during remote learning for all of our Hoyas. We have links on the page with the most up-to-date details related to Cobb's 2020/2021 Reopening Plan at www.cobblearningeverywhere.com. We have also included links to the following resources:

- CTLS down detector
- District-wide COVID-19 weekly case report
- Parent Support: Parent.Support@cobbk12.org
- Student Support: Student.Support@cobbk12.org

We will continue to update this page as new information becomes available, so we encourage you to check back often. http://www.harrisonhigh.org/Remote-Learning-Information

ATTENDANCE

We will continue to monitor school attendance each day based on students accessing the CTLS platform in a 24-hour period. If your student has an excused absence or technology issue which prohibits their attendance in the live CTLS session, please email excuse notes to Kim Greaves at HarrisonHSSupport@cobbk12.org

CLINIC NEWSLETTER

As most of you have heard, our superintendent has announced the start dates for the district's plan to open schools face to face. High School is scheduled, tentatively, to return on Thursday, November 5th.

This is the perfect time to start thinking of health forms that may be needed for the school year and may require a physician's signature. I have included the link for the health forms to make it easier to access.

https://www.cobbk12.org/page/11005/medical-forms-and-care-plans

Completing these forms, prior to the November start date, will assist the clinic in preparing to receive students. Please email or fax the completed forms to my attention.

- Confidential # Fax 678-594-8962
- Shannon.keely@cobbk12.org

If you have any questions, I am available via email, **Shannon.keely@cobbk12.org**, or by phone **678-594-8104 ext. 020.**

As we get closer to our start date, I will send out the plan to schedule a day and time to drop off supplies and medication to the clinic. This will be done by appointment and with authorization forms completed in advance.

I look forward to seeing the students on campus, soon! In the meantime, continue to social distance, avoid large gatherings, and mask up.

Shannon Keely, RN BSN

Harrison HS School Nurse

2020 HOYA FOOTBALL

Hoya Nation, welcome back to another exciting week of football! We are all set to host the Langston Hughes Panthers this Friday, September 18th, at Cobleigh Stadium. The stadium entry gate will open at 6:00 pm for a 7:30 pm kickoff. Given the current environment in which we are living, please make sure that you read carefully through the following information because there are several changes to our typical gameday operations.

Due to the 30% stadium capacity restriction in place, we, unfortunately, have a very limited number of tickets available for purchase. If you are unable to get a ticket, we encourage you to tune in to the Hoya Nation broadcast for outstanding coverage and entertaining commentary from our very own Adam Freeman and Terry Kemp. Additionally, you can stream the game on the NFHS Network for live video coverage.

http://www.hoyanationsports.com/



TICKETS → CASHLESS EVENT, DIGITAL TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED VIA GOFAN

ALL tickets are \$8 and sales will open for general purchase on Wednesday of each home game week at Harrison's GoFan site – **gofan.co/app/school/GA5056**. We strongly recommend that all spectators pre-purchase tickets prior to arriving at the event on Friday evening. However, the opportunity to purchase digital tickets at the gate using a cell phone or other internet-capable wireless device will be available if the event has not sold out beforehand. We will heavily communicate any sold-out events as quickly as possible using multiple methods (Harrison eBlast, Athletic Twitter @hhshoyasports, Due West marquee, etc.) to avoid anybody being turned away at the gate. Please make sure you are connected with our various communication channels to stay updated.

STUDENT SECTION Please note that student section tickets must be purchased using a specific link that will be shared privately. Seniors will have the opportunity to purchase these tickets first. Any unsold student section tickets will be opened up to underclassmen after seniors have had the opportunity to purchase.

PASSES

The following passes will be allowed free entry at the gate, and must be presented by the pass holder:

- GHSA/GISA/GICAA Pass (admits the holder plus one)
- CCSD Retiree Lifetime Pass (admits the holder only)
- CCSD ID Badge for Harrison Employees (admits the holder plus immediate family members)
- CCSD ID Badge for non-Harrison employees (admits the holder only)
- Employee ID badges from other districts will not be accepted for free entry

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

In addition to the restricted venue capacity and digital ticket sales, we have put in place the following measures to help ensure the safety of all players, coaches, officials, and spectators at the game:

- All spectators will be screened (COVID health-related questions posted and temperatures checked) upon entry to events on campus. Please note that spectators who do not pass this initial screening will not be allowed entry into the event.
- Spectators are required to wear a mask at all times while attending events on campus.
- Spectators are asked to follow all posted and announced guidance about social distancing and other health-related directives while attending events on campus.

SEATING

We understand that it is unrealistic to space every individual inside the stadium six feet apart at all times, especially while viewing the event from the bleachers, but we ask that you please do your best to practice social distancing. There will be plenty of signage posted around the stadium and consistent announcements to help remind us about this important task. If you are attending with members of your immediate family, then it is acceptable for you to sit or stand close together. Otherwise, please make sure and space yourself appropriately away from others around you. For us to continue with this football season and see it to the finish, it is vitally important that we all work together and do our part to maintain a safe and healthy environment at the game.

PARKING

Please reference the Campus Aerial View Parking Diagram for important information about parking on campus. We will not have a shuttle bus running this season, so all event parking will be on campus. There will be a limited amount of free parking available on a first-come-first-serve basis in the West Parking Lot, and a \$5 parking fee for all other general parking on campus.



Thank you, and Go Hoyas!!

PSAT

Registration for 10th and 11th grade PSAT has closed. For all of the 10th and 11th graders that signup up to take the PSAT, more information will be email as we get closer to the testing date.

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

AP EXAM

Fall AP Exam Registration is Now Open- Students enrolled in fall AP courses may now pay for their exams through <u>Total Registration</u>. The **deadline to** pay for exams for students enrolled in fall AP courses is Friday, September 25th. More information can be found <u>here</u>. Students who are taking fall AP exams through one of our online partners, either CVA or GaVS, can find more information on how to register and pay for exams <u>here</u>.

WE KEEP EACH OTHER SAFE

In 2019, the District launched a school safety video campaign entitled "We Keep Each Other Safe." The intent is to familiarize students with their role and responsibilities in a school crisis. Every student in the District should view the

video created for their grade level. Students should view the video by Friday, September 18, 2020."

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TEqBJPoPSkk&feature=youtu.be

WOULD YOU LIKE A BOOK?

If your child would like to check out a book. Please fill out the link below by 9 a.m. on the day of pickup. Note: Dates have changed, so read carefully.

• 9/22-from 10-2:45- pick up in attendance building

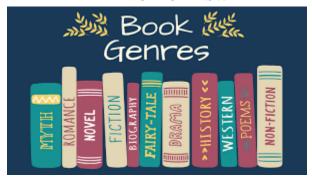
Instructions to access Destiny from home to search for a book

- Go to cobbk12.org
- Under the Parents tab
- Click on Cobb Digital Library
- Click on cobb.mackinvia.com
- Do a search for Destiny/ Click Open now
- Click catalog at the top left
- Search for book- if the book is in- fill out the form attached and we will have it ready for pick up.

If your child would like to check out a book, please fill out the form link by 9 a.m. on the day of pickup. Please click <u>here</u>

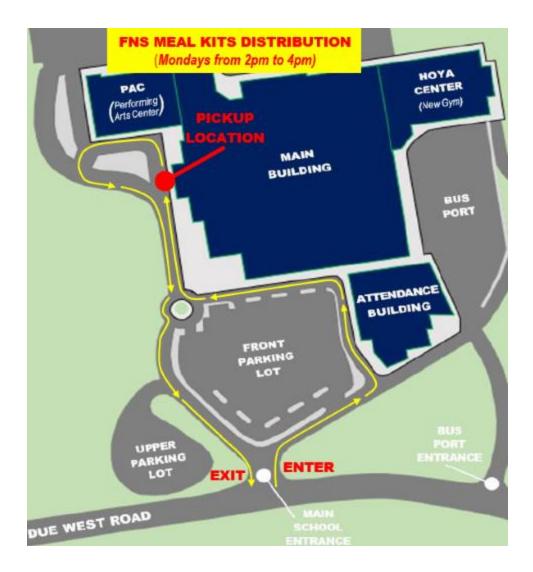
If you have a Library book- please return during these times as well.

HAPPY READING HOYAS!!



FOOD DISTRIBUTION PLAN

Remote Learning Meal Plan for Harrison students: Here is the latest information regarding Cobb County Food & Nutrition Service Virtual Feeding Plan for Harrison High School. Please share and continue to follow us for additional details. http://www.cobbk12.org/centraloffice/foodservices/



SENIOR PORTRAITS

The last day to have senior portraits taken for the yearbook will be September 16, 2020. Go to https://local.prestigeportraits.com/ga/marietta/200-cobb-pkwy-n.html and click "For in-studio photography" to set up your session!

SENIOR INFORMATION

Seniors, please review the following video.

Senior Class Meeting Video

Parents, please review the following video.

Parents Video

We will ship all senior items ordered (minus cap and gown and announcements) to the student's home after a 72 hour production time. We will deliver caps, gowns, and announcements in the spring.

All seniors need to place their orders by the deadline of December 4 to ensure they receive this custom gown for graduation.

If you would like to order or you need more information, please <u>visit the Herff</u> <u>Jones website.</u>

YEARBOOKS

Order your yearbook today for \$75. The price will go up on 9/19. http://jostensyearbooks.com?ref=A01045963

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 STUDENT AND PARENT NIGHTS

 Virtual 9th Grade Parent Night – September 16th at 6:00 PM: Register for 9th Grade Parent Night

SENIOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS

Please review the **Senior PowerPoint Presentation** and Sign off on the last slide verifying that you have viewed it.

SENIOR SIGN UP

Sign up for important updates for the Class of 2021 from Dr. Osborne and get information right on your phone! Please sign up by texting the message @hoyasr21 to 81010

VIRTUAL COLLEGE VISITS

UPCOMING VISITS

<u>Virtual</u>	College	e Visits
9/15/2020	2:00pm	Shenandoah University
9/17/2020	2:00pm	Georgia Gwinnett College
9/21/2020	2:00pm	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical - Daytona Campus
9/22/2020	2:00pm	University of North Carolina - Charlotte

The University of North Georgia is offering webinars for Spanish-speaking students and families, covering topics like Admissions, Financial Aid, and much more. The first webinar is scheduled for 9/17/2020 at 6:00 PM. Please register here: https://enroll.ung.edu/register/LatinxTH.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Prudential Spirit of America

http://spirit.prudential.com

11/10/2020 - Deadline

Submit online; Inform Counseling before the deadline

\$1,000 for State Level \$5,000 National

9-12 Grades, 2 HHS Nominee.

*Must see a counselor with confirmation of application and resume once application completed. Spirit of volunteerism and community. Nomination Process, Counselors must be informed.

Carson Scholarship

http://www.carsonscholars.org/scholarships/aboutour-scholarships

12/4/2020 Deadline to Counselors

Several \$1,000 scholarships awarded 9th-11th Grades. 1 HHS Nominee. Academic/Humanitarian /Community Svc. 3.75 GPA (See guidelines) Not based on financial need.

* Must submit 100-250 word essay, "How have I portrayed being a strong humanitarian" to Counseling office with resume.

For additional scholarship opportunities please visit the counseling website for updated information: **Scholarship bulletin**.

WHAT IS A SAFE PLACE?

Safe Place is a national organization for youth under the age of 18 that are experiencing homelessness or who may be in crisis. The program is designed to provide youth with immediate shelter, resources, and other basic needs. For youth located in the Cobb County School district, Safe Place can be accessed at the local YMCA's and all Quik Trip store locations. Additionally, your school counselors can assist you with accessing the Safe Place program. Designated Safe Place locations display the black and yellow Safe Place signs, the universal symbol of youth safety.



A youth needing immediate assistance can also access a Safe Place location using the Text 4 Help feature. To access this feature, simply text the word "Safe" to the number 44357, and put in your location to find the closest Safe Place site near you. This feature also allows you to interact with a licensed counselor if you feel you are in crisis. This is a helpful tool to have if you are experiencing a crisis outside of school hours. Text 4 Help is free, quick, safe, and confidential. The goal of the Safe Place program is to ensure that all youth feel safe and are educated on resources that are available to them in their community.

WORK PERMIT

Parents: The Georgia Department of Labor (DOL) has revised the process for filing work permit applications during school shuttering. To begin the permit application process, a copy of the student's birth certificate and the *Intent to Homeschool* form found at Intent to Homeschool form must be submitted to the DOL by faxing the documents to 404-232-3264 or e-mailing .pdf files to childlabor@gdol.ga.gov (during the mandated school shuttering, the DOL has defined all students as homeschooled). When the student has been offered a position, the student will access Work Permit Datasheet 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 the Child Labor division of the DOL by calling 404-232-3260. For more information regarding filing a work permit application online, please access Online Youth Work Permit.

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