



Newark Community High School District No. 18

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August 13, 2020

Dear Parents and Students:

We are excited to welcome you back to school for the 2020-2021 school year. We know this year will be a different, challenging and an ever-changing year, but together we can provide an engaging and quality educational experience for your child(ren). We ask for your patience and understanding during this time.

Here is what the first week of school will look like:

Wednesday (Odd Classes) – August 19 – Students A-Ma will attend NCHS in-person while students Mb-Z will attend school remotely. (ODD DAY)

Thursday (Even Classes) and Friday (Odd Classes) – August 20 and August 21 – Students Mb-Z will attend NCHS in-person and students A-Ma will attend school remotely.

An August calendar and our bell schedule are included for your information.

Remote learning daily expectations are:

- Students will log into their class during the assigned day and time to Zoom with their classmates and teacher.
- Student's face must be visible during the Zoom session (no blank or black screen)
- Students should be in a quiet learning environment and follow the school dress code.
- Behavior expectations are set by the teacher.
- Absences or appointments during remote learning days should be reported to ckala@nchs18.org by 10 a.m. Phone calls are also acceptable.

In-person learning daily expectations are:

- All parents should self-certify that their student is symptom and fever free prior to the student leaving for school. If your student is unable to attend school, an e-mail should be sent to Christi Kala at ckala@nchs18.org or Mr. Still at jstill@nchs18.org
- Students will be allowed to enter the building at 7:45 a.m. All students will have their temperature taken prior to going to class. Students will report directly to the 1st or 2nd period class.
- Hall lockers will not be utilized this year, so students should use their backpacks to carry their books. Chromebook and supplies to classes.
- For safety reasons, lunches will need to stay with students at all times. If a student needs to utilize the microwave during lunch, the lunchroom supervisors will assist students. Please bring plates, eating utensils, condiments etc. as we will not be providing these.
- Students are required to wear a mask while on the bus or when entering the building. These masks must be school appropriate. If a student doesn't have a mask, one will be provided to them.
- Students will honor social distancing and following all signs in the building.
- Absences or appointments during in-person learning days should be reported to ckala@nchs18.org by 10 a.m. Phone calls are also acceptable.

We understand that parents and students will have several questions during these challenging times. We will do our best to keep your students safe and healthy while attending NCHS.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Still or Mrs. Smith.
Thank you.

Amy B. Smith
Superintendent

Jim Still
Principal

"Success is achieved by cooperation in teaching and learning."



NEWARK

Community High School

Our Vision:
Learning Drives Success

Our Beliefs:
Educate for Tomorrow
Interact with integrity
Respect Diversity

Regular Daily Odd and Even Bell Schedule

ODD periods are on one day, EVEN periods are the next day.

Period	Time
Period 1 / 2	8:00 a.m. – 9:27 a.m.
Period 3 / 4	9:30 a.m. – 10:57 a.m.
Period 5A / 6A	11:00 a.m. – 11:27 a.m.
Period 5B / 6B	11:30 a.m. – 11:57 a.m.
Period 5C / 6C	12 noon – 12:27 p.m.
Period 5D / 6D	12:30 p.m. – 12:57 p.m.
Period 7 / 8	1:00 p.m. – 2:27 p.m.
SRT	2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

1:30 p.m. Early Dismissal Odd and Even Bell Schedule

Period	Time
Period 1 / 2	8:00 a.m. – 9:13 a.m.
Period 3 / 4	9:16 a.m. – 10:26 a.m.
Period 5A / 6A	10:29 a.m. – 11:04 a.m.
Period 5B / 6B	11:06 a.m. – 11:41 a.m.
Period 5C / 6C	11:43 a.m. – 12:18 p.m.
Period 7 / 8	12:20 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
NO SRT or “D” LUNCH	

11:30 am Early Dismissal Odd and Even Bell Schedule

Period	Time
Period 1 / 2	8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.
Period 3 / 4	8:53 a.m. – 9:43 a.m.
Period 5 / 6	9:46 a.m. – 10:36 a.m.
Period 7 / 8	10:39 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
NO SRT or LUNCH	

2020

August

Teamwork

"A team is not a group of people who work together. A team is a group of people who trust in each other."

Simon Sinek

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

*** Dates listed with a black box are scheduled to be an ODD day. ***

02	03	04	05	06	07	08
			Schedule changes 9:00AM - 3:00PM, by appt only	Schedule changes 9:00AM - 3:00PM, by appt only Fall Sport Parent Mtg 6:00PM	Schedule changes 9:00AM - 3:00PM, by appt only	
09	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Schedule changes 9:00AM - 3:00PM, by appt only Fall Sports Practice Begins	Student Registration 2:30PM - 6:30PM New Student Registration 9:00AM - 3:00PM		Board Mtg 6:30PM	Fall Sports Team Pictures	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Teachers' Institute	Teachers' Institute Freshmen Orientation 8:30AM - 12:30PM	First FULL ODD day of student attendance. A - Ma are present Mb - Z are remote	Even School Day Mb - Z are present A - Ma are remote	Odd School Day Mb - Z are present A - Ma are remote	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	Even School Day A - Ma are present Mb - Z are remote	Odd School Day A Ma are present Mb - Z are remote	Even School Day Remote Learning for all students	Odd School Day Mb - Z are present A - Ma are remote Open House 6:30PM	Even School Day Mb - Z are present A - Ma are remote	SAT Test
30	31	NOTES				
	Odd School Day A - Ma are present Mb - Z are remote	* IWC Students: In person attendance dates are August 20, 24, 26, 28; Remote learning days are August 21, 25, 27, 31				

2020

September

Courage
"Fear tricks us into having a boring life."

Donald Miller

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30 Dates listed with a black box are scheduled to be an ODD day.	31	01 Even School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	02 Odd School Day Remote Learning for all students	03 Even School Day Mb-Z are present A-Ma are remote	04 No Students in Attendance Remote Planning Day for Staff	05 SAT Test
06	07 Labor Day No School	08 Odd School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	09 Even School Day Remote Learning for all students Senior Parent & Student Mtg 6:30PM	10 Odd School Day Mb-Z are present A-Ma are remote	11 Even School Day Mb-Z are present A-Ma are remote 9/11 Memorial Service 8:30AM	12 ACT Test
13	14 Odd School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	15 Even School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	16 Odd School Day Remote Learning for all students	17 Even School Day Mb-Z are present A-Ma are remote Board Mtg 6:30PM	18 No Students in Attendance Remote Planning Day for Staff	19
20	21 Odd School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	22 Even School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	23 Odd School Day Remote Learning for all students	24 Even School Day Mb-Z are present A-Ma are remote	25 Odd School Day Mb-Z are present A-Ma are remote	26 SAT Test
27 Homecoming Week	28 Even School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote Financial Aid Mtg 6:30PM	29 Odd School Day A-Ma are present Mb-Z are remote	30 Even School Day Remote Learning for all students	01	02	03
04	05	Notes:				

* September 4 & 18, 2020: Remote Planning Days for Staff, no students in attendance

* IWC Students: In person attendance dates are Sept 1, 3, 8, 10, 14, 16, 18, 22, 24, 28, 30;

* IWC Students: Remote learning days are Sept 2, 4, 9, 11, 15, 17, 21, 23, 25, 29