Shiloh Glance

August 28, 2020

Dear Shiloh Families:

Welcome back to the 2020-2021 school year that officially starts on Tuesday, September 8, 2020! I look forward to working with you this year to support the needs of our students and families. This Shiloh Glance includes the latest information regarding Back-to-School Activities, Virtual Daily Attendance Instructions for Parents and Students, and a few other reminders. I have also attached another copy of the Student Daily Schedule for virtual learning. It is also posted on our Shiloh website for easy access.

6th Grade Orientation Thursday, September 3, 2020
Parents are encouraged to join the Microsoft Teams Live Event by clicking on the link below.
- Instructions for viewing a Microsoft Teams Live Event: [https://support.office.com/en-us/article/Attend-a-live-event-in-Teams-a1c7b989-ebb1-4479-b750-c86c9bc98d84](https://support.office.com/en-us/article/Attend-a-live-event-in-Teams-a1c7b989-ebb1-4479-b750-c86c9bc98d84)
- 6:00 Team Presentations using Microsoft Teams

This is a continuation of the 6th Grade Orientation for Team 1 or Team 2 presentations. Please join the Microsoft Teams events by clicking on the Team 1 or Team 2 link below.

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7th & 8th Back-to-School Nights
The 7th grade Back-to-School Night is scheduled for Wednesday, September 9, 2020 and 8th grade is scheduled for Thursday, September 10, 2020 using Microsoft Teams Live Event at the following times.
- 5:00 – 6:00 Admin. using Microsoft Teams Live Event
- 6:00 – 7:00 Team presentations using Microsoft Teams

Virtual Daily Attendance – Student and Parent Directions
Students will have a class in their Google Classroom Called “Daily Attendance”. They log in each day, anytime between 6am and 5am the following day, and answer the question “Are you here?” There is one choice: “Yes”. Students answering this will confirm that they had access to learning and therefore marked present.

Please review the attached directions for students and parents on the process to account for daily attendance. The directions include an embedded video as well as step-by-step instructions with screenshots. Note: Attendance is OPEN from 6:00am the day of through 5:00am the following day (e.g. 6:00am Tues, 9/8 through 5:00am Wed, 9/9). Each day has a 23 hour window for students to mark themselves present.
Loaner Laptops/Connectivity Support for Virtual Learning
The distribution of loaner laptops will take place at Shiloh on Thursday, September 3rd in the bus loop area. Families should have received an email confirming the request for a loaner laptop and next steps for distribution. CCPS will be reaching out to families directly about connectivity support.

Reminder - Immunizations for Your Family
Parents/Guardians should have received an email recently regarding immunizations offered by the Carroll County Health Department. Even though school is virtual for now, all students enrolled in Maryland schools must be up to date with vaccinations. Please take advantage of this opportunity at the CCPS sites below to keep your family safe:

**Tuesday, September 1, 2020**
- 8:00am-11:00am AND 12:00pm-3:00pm
- Elmer Wolfe Elementary School
- Mount Airy Middle School
- West Middle School

**Thursday, September 3, 2020**
- 8:00am-11:00am AND 12:00pm-3:00pm
- North Carroll Middle School
- Northwest Middle School
- South Carroll High School

These clinics will be drive-thru to help keep us all safe. You must accompany your child to this clinic. The vaccinations will be given at no cost to you. You will NOT be charged a deductible or copay. If you want your child to be vaccinated, please register online at [www.vaccineconsent.com](http://www.vaccineconsent.com). This link will be open until August 24th.

That’s all for now! Stay safe and healthy and I hope to see you soon! It is my privilege to serve as your child’s principal!

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Mr. Watkins, Principal