

Hello MSCS Families,

We are getting close to our official first day of school for the 20-21 school year.

School begins Monday, August 10th online. Thank you to those of you who have picked up a chrome book for your student(s). Our first two weeks, Aug. 10-20, will be online learning. Yes, that is different from my last message. We are waiting for the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS) to provide us with benchmark metrics that we will use to determine when we may open for in-person instruction.

This year's online instruction will be quite different from the spring state-wide closure. Students will be required to log in to Google Classroom with their teacher at 8am, Monday - Thursday. Teachers will be taking attendance at that time. A student not in attendance will be marked absent. The daily schedule will be as follows, but could change:

8:00am Google Meets for morning attendance and announcements

8:10am-12pm Teacher instruction and class lessons

12:00-1:00pm Lunch

1:00pm Google Meets for afternoon attendance and instructions

1:05-3:00pm Students work on daily assignments and teachers are available for individual and small group help - Office hours

Teachers will provide instruction and lessons in Reading, Math, Science, and Social Studies. Each class will have a 20 minute PE session with Ms. Solon, our PE teacher, sometime during the day.

We understand this is a difficult time and school is not what we are used to. We are all going to get through this together. Remember to be flexible, understanding, and kind. This is an

ever changing time. We are here to help. Please contact the school if you have needs that we can help with.

Stay tuned for more information regarding on-site support services and in-person instruction.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Gonzales and Staff

## On-Site Support Services

MSCS Families,

You were contacted this past week regarding our on-site support services that will begin on Monday, August 17.

These support services are not in-person, face-to face instruction with a classroom teacher. Students will participate in their online distance learning while being supervised by MSCS staff in the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR).

Students may be dropped off beginning at 7:50am at the MPR, but no earlier due to no staff being on duty prior to 7:50am. School begins at 8am. All students will have their temperature taken prior to entering. Please do not send your child if they are ill, running a fever, or have had a fever in the past 72 hours. Students will have breaks and recess. We will be participating in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and serving Grab-n-go breakfast and lunch. If you were an MSCS family last year, you will be the same determination for the first 30 days. If you are new to MSCS, you may pick up an NSLP application Monday morning. All families must submit an application within 30 days. Breakfast is \$0.30/reduced and \$2.00/full price. Lunch is \$0.40/reduced and \$3.00/full price. Students may also bring their own lunch.

Students will need to bring their Chromebook, charger, headphones or earbuds, a face covering, water bottle, snacks, and any other school supplies that will be needed each day.

You may pick up your child(ren) anytime after the 1pm check-in with their teacher and no later than their normal dismissal time; K-3rd 2:30pm, 4th - 8th 3:45pm. Please notify the office when you are on your way so we can have your child(ren) ready to go.