

August 13, 2020

RE: Alternative Scheduling for August 17-28

Dear Millard North Community,

I am writing to follow up on a communication you received from MPS Superintendent, Dr. Jim Sutfin, regarding a change to an alternative schedule beginning August 17th through 28.

Due to the high concern of student volume at the **high school level**, along with the high number of coronavirus cases, the Millard school district is dividing high school students into two groups that would alternate days of attending school “in person” or attending from home through remote learning. It is imperative that we do this in order to be proactive in containing the spread of COVID-19. This plan gives students the chance to meet our goal of 100% attendance.

Under this plan, **every student will attend class everyday - some in person and some on Zoom. Attendance will be taken and recorded.** All classes will provide synchronous learning for the days students are at home. Students will attend in real time, and the lessons will be recorded and made available to students to watch at any time if needed. Students in the Alternative Curriculum Program (ACP) will attend 5 days a week. For these two weeks, Academy students will follow the Millard North schedule for their Academy classes (i.e. attend academy classes in person on days assigned to Millard North classes in person)

Here is the A/B schedule for the two weeks starting August 17:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week of August 17	A Group (A-K) IN PERSON B Group (L-Z) ZOOM from HOME	A Group (A-K) ZOOM from HOME B Group (L-Z) IN PERSON	A Group (A-K) IN PERSON B Group (L-Z) ZOOM from HOME	A Group (A-K) ZOOM from HOME B Group (L-Z) IN PERSON	A Group (A-K) IN PERSON B Group (L-Z) ZOOM from HOME
Week of August 24	A Group (A-K) ZOOM from HOME B Group (L-Z) IN PERSON	A Group (A-K) IN PERSON B Group (L-Z) ZOOM from HOME	A Group (A-K) ZOOM from HOME B Group (L-Z) IN PERSON	A Group (A-K) IN PERSON B Group (L-Z) ZOOM from HOME	A Group (A-K) ZOOM from HOME B Group (L-Z) IN PERSON

Additionally, **MNHS will be modifying our bell schedule moving forward in order to increase social distancing at lunch. Starting next week, we will move to a new 4 lunch schedule with only one student per table.**

On the days students are assigned for remote learning, teachers will send students instructions through Google Classroom or by Synergy mail. Here is the bell schedule so students know what times to be joining remotely:

Monday Modified Schedule Starting August 17

Mustang Time Advisement - 8:45-8:55 AM

1st period 9:01-9:37 AM

2nd period 9:43-10:21 AM

3rd period 10:27-11:03 AM

4th period 11:09-11:45 AM

5th period 11:51-1:51 PM

1st Lunch - 11:51 AM - 12:21 PM

2nd Lunch - 12:21 PM -12:51 PM

3rd Lunch - 12:51 PM - 1:21 PM

4th Lunch - 1:21 PM - 1:51 PM

6th period 1:57 PM - 2:33 PM

7th period 2:39 PM - 3:15 PM

8th period 3:21 PM - 3:57 PM

Tuesday-Friday Starting August 18

0 Hour - 7:00-7:54 AM

1st period 8:00-8:46 AM

2nd period 8:52-9:41 AM

3rd period 9:47-10:33 AM

4th period 10:39-11:25 AM

5th period 11:31-1:31 PM

1st Lunch - 11:31 AM - 12:01 PM

2nd Lunch - 12:01 PM -12:31 PM

3rd Lunch - 12:31 PM - 1:01 PM

4th Lunch - 1:01 PM - 1:31 PM

6th period 1:37 PM - 2:23 PM

7th period 2:29 PM - 3:15 PM

8th period 3:21 PM - 4:07 PM

Please know we are doing our best to navigate through these difficult times. We appreciate your help in keeping our schools open and slowing the spread by adhering to the CDC guidance of wearing masks, social distancing, and avoiding large gatherings.

Sincerely,

Brian Begley, Principal
Millard North High School

