



Ashby Public School

Preparing Students for Success

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Good evening Ashby families:

Should this message get cut off or you would like a copy of the information presented, you can access it on our school website under COVID-19.

We are already in the midst of week four of the 2020-2021 school year. There have been some adjustments that have been made and a large learning curve, but with each day the process is becoming clearer and the adjustments that need to be made moving forward are becoming more evident.

A couple of points we want to touch on over the next couple of weeks are the following:

1. We have made some adjustments to our lunch programming and are now able to have distance learning meals prepared and ready for pick up by 10:30 in the office Monday through Friday.
2. As many of you now know, elementary pick up has changed a little to make the pickup process safer for our students and families. Please remember to get out of the car to pick up your child from their teacher so students aren't running into the parking lot unattended.
3. The transition from distance learning last spring to hybrid learning has been smooth for some but challenging for others in our middle school and high school. As grades are starting to come in we are seeing the challenges associated with being gone for five months. We are giving middle school and high school students through MEA break to get the support they need during their time here in school and on Fridays. Beginning the week of October 19th, if a student is failing in a class, they will be required to come to school on Fridays to work with that teacher until they are caught up.
4. A specific message will be going out to 6th-grade families regarding 6th-grade students attending school Monday through Thursday starting next week on October 6th. We are able to bring this grade in safely and maintain social distancing throughout the day.

Each day brings on new successes and challenges. We will continue to celebrate our successes and work through the challenges. Thank you again for your continued support and hard work in keeping our kids safe, healthy, and well educated.

Until then, be happy and be healthy.

Respectfully,

Jon Moore

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