

Info for Parents

Return to classes – March 6, 2018

Car Rider Drop-off/Pick-up

- ☛ **Andrew Jackson High – Grade 8**
 - **Drop-off** – Front door of school beginning at 7:30 a.m.
 - **Pick-up** – Front door of school. Begin lining up for pick-up **no earlier than 3 p.m.**
- ☛ **Heath Springs Elementary – Grade 6**
 - **Drop-off** – Enter first driveway – students will enter cafeteria. Begin dropping off at 8 a.m.
 - **Pick-up** – Pick up on gym side of school. Begin lining up for pick-up **no earlier than 3 p.m.** to avoid causing problems for parents picking up elementary students.
- ☛ **Kershaw Elementary – Grade 7**
 - **Drop-off** – Enter driveway on Blackmon Circle – students will enter cafeteria. Begin dropping off at 8 a.m.
 - **Pick-up** – Enter driveway on Blackmon Circle – students exit from cafeteria. Begin lining up for pick-up **no earlier than 3 p.m.** to avoid causing problems for parents picking up elementary students.

Emergency information

- ☛ **Drills**
 - Students and staff will receive information the first day on safety procedures for storms, fire and intruders.
- ☛ **Student medicines**
 - Host school nurses will have list of student medicine needs.
 - Medicines left at Andrew Jackson Middle will be at the host schools. The medicines were taken to a local pharmacy this weekend and were checked to be sure they were not harmed by the heat or smoke.
- ☛ **Student emergency contact info**
 - Your child’s emergency contact info will be with the Andrew Jackson Middle staff members assigned to host schools.
 - If your child will be picked up by someone other than the normal pick-up person, please call an Andrew Jackson Middle staff member at the host school.

Instructional supplies

- ☛ **Supplies/Textbooks**
 - Supplies and instructional materials students will need will be in their temporary classrooms at the host schools.
- ☛ **Chromebooks**
 - Chromebooks for students will be in their temporary classrooms at the host schools.

School dress code

- ☛ Students are required to follow the school dress code. Having our students follow the school dress code will help faculty and staff from the host schools identify our students.
- ☛ The dress-down days scheduled for Friday, March 9, and Monday, March 12, will be postponed and rescheduled.

Meals

- ☛ Students can use their pin numbers at the host schools.
- ☛ Meal prices will remain the same.
- ☛ Breakfast will be served until 8:30 a.m. at hosting schools.
- ☛ **Lunch times**
 - Grade 6, Heath Springs – 12:55-1:20 p.m.
 - Grade 7, Kershaw – 12:55-1:20 p.m.
 - Grade 8, Andrew Jackson – 12:20-12:50 p.m.

Extracurriculars

- ☛ **Sports practices**
 - **Practices** – In the afternoon, Andrew Jackson Middle bus riders at Heath Springs and Kershaw will be bussed to Andrew Jackson High to catch their buses home.
Students who have practices can remain to go to practice areas.
- ☛ **Other activities**
 - Sponsors of other activities will communicate schedules.

How long before return

- ☛ It now appears Andrew Jackson Middle will not be ready for return for at least two weeks.
- ☛ More than two 10-hour shifts of 100 persons per shift are working each day to clean the school.
Our school district maintenance staff as well as painting, electrical and other construction firms are also working to get the school ready.

Making up days missed

- ☛ Days missed must be made up unless waived by our school board. State law allows the board to waive up to 3 days.
- ☛ The board is in favor of waiving the days if those waived-days aren’t needed for future days missed for bad weather.

Phone numbers

- ☛ Andrew Jackson High..... 803-475-2318
- ☛ Heath Springs Elementary 803-273-3176
- ☛ Kershaw Elementary..... 803-475-6655