Clark News

August 12, 2022

School Starts August 18, 2022

We are excited to see all the students next week and get them settled into the school routine!



Schedules

Currently, families are able to see student requests in Q. Beginning August 16th schedules will be available online

Bussing Changes

I am sure you have all heard in the news about the ASD shortage of bus drivers. Because of this, a plan has been developed, which includes three-week blocks where some buses will be running, and others will not. In a nine-week period, all buses will miss 6 of the weeks. This will require families to find alternative transportation for **six weeks**. You can look on Parent Connect for bus information and most of the bus routes have changed - look on Parent Connect over the weekend to see your bus information.

- Cohort means the group of buses receiving transportation for the assigned three weeks
- Clark is part of Cohort 1
- Cohort 1 will receive bussing August 18 September 9 (no bussing Sept. 12 Oct. 20 for General Education students)

Bus Information

https://www.asdk12.org/busroutes

All general education routes will be divided into three cohorts and provided bussing on a planned rotation. Each student cohort will receive three consecutive weeks of transportation. This means there will be six weeks between bus service for each cohort of routes.



Chromebooks

Incoming 6th graders who do not have Chromebooks and new to ASD 7th & 8th graders will be issued Chromebooks in the first few days of school.



School Hours

Classes are from 8:15-2:45 daily. Students, may be dropped off as early as 7:00 and may be picked up no later than 3:00 unless they are in a sport/activity.

Walking or Riding a bike to school

As always, if students are going to walk or ride a bike to school, we would recommend coming up with a group of students within the neighborhood to walk together. There are bike racks in the front of Clark and even though they are monitored on the security camera we highly recommend that bikes be locked to the racks.

