

Good Morning Jaybird Families,

We had a great time visiting with families and students who came to registration this week, but sure missed the smiles from those of you who didn't need to come. We are looking forward to seeing everyone on the first day of school!

As promised, here is this week's communication regarding our re-entry plan; we will continue to communicate every [Friday](#) for the next several weeks.

Many of the details we want to share can be found in the [District's Re-Entry Plan](#).

Today's communication will be: A Day in the Life of a Jaybird Student

Getting to School

Buses:

- Any student not registered prior to this week may not have a spot on the buses for a few days until routes can be evaluated for capacity.
- All students riding buses must wear masks.
 - If the student does not have a mask, a disposable one will be available on the bus while supplies last.
 - Failure to wear a mask may result in not being allowed to ride the bus.
- Students will be required to sit in assigned seats; seating assignment will be in order of loading students (from back to the front).
- When unloading students, buses will exit from front to back to ensure social distancing.
- Buses will drop off students on Union Street.
- Due to JCHS being closed until 8:10 am, students will not be released from the buses until 8:10 am each morning.

Drivers:

- Students can apply for a parking spot by filling out the [Parking Spot Request form](#).
- If a student has not purchased a spot, they can park on the city streets of Lafayette, Stadium, or Jackson. Union Street is no longer free parking.
- Student entrances are either on Union Street or on Jay/Jayette. JCHS students may NOT enter through the Nichols Doors; you will be sent to the appropriate entry(s).

Students Dropped Off:

- Parents dropping their student off for school can do so on Jay/Jayette Drive or on Lafayette.
- Student entrances are either on Union Street or on Jay/Jayette; JCHS students may NOT enter through the Nichols Doors.

Doors Open at 8:10 am Daily

To ensure that teachers are in their rooms to supervise students in the classrooms, the doors to JCHS will not open until 8:10 am unless arrangements are made in advance to be with a staff member.

Thermal Cameras at Entries:

Thermal Cameras have been installed in our two student entrances.

- All Students and Staff will enter through these areas.
- In order to get a good read, the infrared sensor must be able to scan the skin of the forehead of every person that enters the building.
- Students and staff will be asked to remove any item that would be blocking their forehead from the scanning camera.
- Any person (student or staff) that has a temp of 100.4 or higher will be directed to the health room.
- Upon entering the building every person will be required to have a mask on until they are seated in their classroom.
 - There are a limited amount of masks for those who do not have one.
 - Failure to wear a mask in common areas (hallways, restrooms, library, tech center, etc) may result in being sent home or being assigned to alternative placement.

Where to Go Once Inside for the Day

- All students will report to their first period class as soon as they enter the building unless they have other business such as; Breakfast, Library, Tech Center, etc.
- If a student needs a school issued breakfast, they will get a grab and go bag from the connector before heading to their first period classroom.
- Hanging out or sitting in commons areas will not be allowed.

When Arriving to Classrooms

- As soon as students arrive in the classrooms throughout the day (including first period) they will wipe down their own assigned desk and chair with district provided cleaning supplies.
- Hand sanitizer will be provided as well for any student before and after using community items such as calculators, lab equipment, etc.
- Once a student is done cleaning their station and has been seated, it is then that they can remove their mask.

Hallway Traffic: From 8:10 am - 3:50 pm

- Traffic in hallways will be monitored to ensure students are in motion for their destination, and that no one is stopping to hang out.
- The stairwells will be designated for directional flow to eliminate close quarter passing of people. These directions will be given on the first day of school and signage will be displayed.
- Administration will monitor these processes to see if they are offering adequate social distancing. If further measures need to be taken, processes will be communicated at that

time. We have the best kids at JCHS and we believe our level one measures will be adequate.

Lunch

- Students will eat in the classroom with their teacher as the supervisor whenever possible. If their 4th period class does not provide them a horizontal surface to eat on, then a select number of classes will eat in the cafeteria at assigned seats.
- Classes will take turns going to the cafeteria for students and staff to pick up their pre packaged prepared meals and will return to the classroom.
- Even if a student brings their own meal, they will still travel with their class to the cafeteria.
- Lunch time will still be a time in their day to relax, use the restroom facilities, and check in on their phones.

End of the day: The last bell rings at 3:40 releasing students for the day.

All hallway/stairwell traffic processes are still in place for dismissal.

Buses Riders:

- Buses will pick up on both Union Street or Lafayette Street.
- Students ride the same bus home they rode to school on.
- A Pro-tip here is to have students either leave the union street doors or the Lafayette Street doors and go down the line reading the bus number on the side to see where their bus is located. The buses are about in the same order everyday, but this is not guaranteed.
- If a student is not assigned to a bus, they will not be allowed to ride a bus.
- We do not give permission for buses to take friends home that do not typically ride the bus.

Car Riders:

- Students can be picked up on Jayette Drive, or on Jackson on the backside of NCC after school.
- Keep in mind for your student's safety that Union Street and Lafayette Street (on the block that the building is on) will be full with busses and students trying to get to their cars.
- Students will not be permitted to be in common areas (cafeteria, library, etc.) after the 3:40 bell, but can be with a designated staff member at a club, or at tutoring.

Drivers:

- Students that drive will need to go directly to their cars and leave for the day.
- Loitering in the parking lots is a direct violation of the Parking Spot agreement.

Thank you for reading our "A Day in the Life of a Jaybird Student". We are looking forward to being rejoined by our students and staff soon.

JCHS Administrative Team