



Nestucca Valley Elementary School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to Hybrid 2021! I am so excited to have the students back. This school experience will be something far different from anything we have experienced in the past, so please read the following information.

General Information

1. First Day of Hybrid - First day of in-person instruction for **A Cohort grades K - 6 is Tuesday, March 30, 2021**, Cohort B and Comprehensive Distance Learning (CDL) students will have school online that day. **First day of in-person instruction for B Cohort grades K-6 is Wednesday April 1, 2021**. Cohort A and CDL Students will have school online that day.
2. Cohorts - Cohort A students will be in person at school on Mondays and Tuesdays. Cohort B students will be in person at school on Wednesdays and Thursdays. CDL students will be in on-line school Monday through Thursday.
3. NO SCHOOL FRIDAY - Nestucca Valley School District has scheduled Friday as a no school day for students for the duration of Hybrid Learning. Teachers and staff will be using Friday as a day to plan, have office hours and ensure the cleanliness of our facilities.
4. Masks - Students are expected to wear masks during the school day including on the bus.
5. Personal Items: Students should bring the following items clearly marked with their names. The items should not be shared between students: a jacket, an empty water bottle, back pack, school computer and charger, kleenexes, extra mask, and headphones. Individual teachers will direct students as to which books or other school materials students should bring to school. Students should not bring extraneous items, i.e. toys, etc.
6. Buses: Students need to be masked on the bus. Also, student seating on the bus will be different than usual, students will be physically distanced pursuant to ODE (Oregon Department of Education) guidelines. Also, pursuant to ODE guidelines bus windows will be open to provide for ventilation on the bus, so please dress students appropriately.
7. Start of Day - The school day starts for all students in-person and online promptly at 8:00 am for morning meeting with your student's teacher.

8. Monday-Thursday - We provide supervision between 7:45 AM and 3:05 PM Monday-Thursday. We know that some parents prefer to drive their child to and/or from school, we can only guarantee supervision during these hours. Therefore, please DO NOT DROP THEM OFF early or pick them up late. Breakfast will be available for students in their classroom at 7:45 AM.
9. School Lunch - This year NVES is able to provide all students free breakfast and lunch. Breakfast and lunch will be delivered to and consumed in the classroom. Students may bring their own breakfast and/or lunch if they prefer. Students in Cohorts A and B will be provided lunch only on the days they are in-person at school. Students who are in CDL will be provided two lunches and two breakfasts in the weekly deliveries on Friday.
10. Recess - Students will have several opportunities for recess during the day. Students will be required to wear masks, maintain physical distance from each other and take turns on the equipment.
11. CDL - CDL students will be attending virtually beginning at 8:00 am and ending at 2:45 pm. Your students will have a number of breaks throughout the day. Individual class schedules will be communicated by the classroom teacher.
12. Parent Drop Off - Drop off will begin at 7:45 am. When dropping off your student please enter only at the south entrance to campus. DO NOT attempt to drop your student off at the old main entrance. Follow the signage which will take you around the perimeter of the parking areas. You will be dropping off your student at the north door of the old section of the building. Staff will be present to assist your student. Please do not drop student anywhere but in the designated area. Do not leave your vehicle and attempt to enter the building. The building is closed to everyone except for NVSD Staff, Contractors and students. This is to maintain student health and safety.
13. Parent Pickup - Will begin at 2:45 pm. When picking up your student please enter only at the north entrance to campus. Follow the signs to the pickup area which is the north door of the old section of the building. Staff will be at the north entrance to assist in the dismissal of students. The building is closed to everyone except for NVSD Staff, Contractors and students. This is to maintain student health and safety.
14. Tardy Drop Offs and Early Pickups - Please do your best to avoid dropping your student off late for school. However, we do understand there will be circumstances that are unavoidable causing tardiness. If you are dropping off your student late, after 8:00 am, please call Barb at (503)392-3194 x-301. If you need to pickup your student please call Barb at (503)392-3194 x-301. You will then be able to pickup your student at the north door of the old section of the building.
15. Sick students - Students must stay home if they have COVID-19 symptoms. COVID-19 symptoms are as follows:
 - a. Primary symptoms of concern: cough, fever (temperature of 100.4° F or higher) or chills, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, or new loss of taste or smell.
 - b. Note that muscle pain, headache, sore throat, diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, new nasal congestion, and runny nose are also symptoms often associated with COVID-19. More information about COVID-19 symptoms is available from the CDC.

- c. Emergency signs that require immediate medical attention: trouble breathing; persistent pain or pressure in the chest; New confusion or inability to awaken; Bluish lips or face (lighter skin); greyish lips or face (darker skin); other severe symptoms.

Student must also stay home if they exhibit other communicable diseases specified in District Policy these include but are not limited to: chickenpox, diphtheria, hepatitis A, measles, mumps, pertussis, rubella, Salmonella enterica serotype Typhi infection, scabies, Shiga-toxigenic Escherichia coli (STEC) infection, shigellosis and tuberculosis disease.

If your student is sick please contact Barb at (503)392-3194 x-301

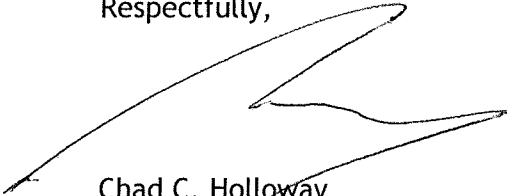
If your student is sent to school sick or becomes sick you will be contacted immediately to come and pickup them up. The student will be placed in isolation and monitored by staff until they are picked up or otherwise taken from school pursuant to OHA (Oregon Health Authority) Guidelines. Please ensure your contact information and emergency contact information is up to date so we are able to reach a responsible adult in a timely manner.

16. An Important Safety Note - **Visitors and volunteers are not allowed in the building.** Only NVSD Staff, contractors and students are allowed in the building until further notice.
17. Parent-Teacher Meetings - All parent meeting will not be held in District Buildings. The meeting will continue to be conducted either virtually or by phone.
18. Attendance - It is very important your child attends school, unless they are sick or have a doctor's appointment. Regular attendance is essential for children's learning. If your child cannot come to school, please call Barb in the school office. You may also email Barb at barbd@nestucca.k12.or.us. Attendance is still required on those days your student is online.
19. Bond - Our facilities have undergone tremendous changes since we were last together on campus. These changes are continuing but are in their final phases. Any changes that may occur due to the Bond project will be communicated.

If you have further questions please plan on attending the virtual K-6 Town Hall where I will be discussing Hybrid. The link for the town hall is available on Nestucca Valley School District's splash page at <http://nestucca.k12.or.us>.

It has been a long and challenging year since we were last together in person as a school community. Although the Hybrid experience will not be like anything we are used to, we are nonetheless excited to begin to see students in person again. The staff and I look forward to working with your students in person. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chad C. Holloway', written over a white background.

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