

PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

T. WINGATE ANDREWS HIGH SCHOOL

AUGUST 11, 2020

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Marcus D. Gause- Principal
Darell Baker- Assistant Principal
Cammie Cummings- Assistant Principal
Ternale Robinson- Dean of Students
Rod Pitt- Athletic Director



SCHEDULE UPDATES

- Schedules were mailed home on Friday, August 7^{th.}
- I have not received my child's schedule, what should I do?
 - Please contact the school at 336-819-2800



OPEN HOUSE

We are currently working through a virtual Open House option.



REMOTE LEARNING

Remote learning means that all students will be working from home. GCS has announced that remote learning will be in place for the first nine weeks of school.

REMOTE LEARNING EXPECTATIONS

Week 1-3

- Student Orientation Sessions
 - Pre-Assessments, Navigating Canvas, Participating in Live Instruction, Submitting Assignments, Parent Conferences. Etc.
- Pre-recorded content for core content areas
- Teachers will spend 2 hours daily meeting with students in small groups, individually, etc.

Week 4-9

- Teachers will deliver live instruction in all courses 4 days a week
- Small group check-ins
- Request individual support from counselors
- Work independently on assignments

ATTENDANCE

- Attendance will be taken daily.
- Students are expected to login.
- Students that do not login will be contacted by the school each day.
 - We will ensure we have made attempts to contact parents before marking student absent.



SERVICES

• Students that receive any type of service (EC, English Learners, 504 Plans, Students with Disabilities) will still receive services during remote learning.



TECHNOLOGY/STUDENT RESOURCES

- We will ensure all students in need of a laptop will receive one who does not currently have a school issued laptop.
- You will receive a call this week regarding laptop pick-up.
- Students enrolled in certain courses will have workbooks to complete remotely.



ANDREWS STUDENT SCHOOL DAY

- 9:00am 3:00pm School Day
- Students will be respected to login during each block
- CANVAS Remote Learning Instructions
- Login Assistance Video

Q & A
Responses



- I. What time should students be logged in for online class? **Student work hours are 9:00am-3:00pm**
- 2. Will students play basketball? At the moment sports are scheduled to restart September 1st but are under continuous CDC guidance
- 3. When is the first day of school? August 17th
- 4. Will transportation be provided to students? School will start remotely for the first 9 weeks. The district will provide an update regarding the transportation plan when face-to-face instruction resumes
- 5. Will students be required to be online a specific time each day or can they login and work on assignments on their own schedule? Students are provided work hours of 9:00am-3:00pm. Students will have the autonomy to complete assignments outside of the work time.

- 6. If coming from another school, will login information be the same for Canvas? Yes it will be
- 7. Are 11th and 12th graders having class in-person or online? All students will start classes remotely for the first 9 weeks. The health data will be re-evaluated and the board of education will make a determination regarding a return to face-to-face or continuation of remote learning.
- 8. When will laptops be distributed and how many per household? We are in the process of developing a laptop distribution plan. We will post a link to our school website for families to request a laptop. We will be in contact with you to schedule a time to retrieve your laptop. Right now it is I laptop per a household.
- 9. How do we request laptops? There will be a link provided on the school webpage
- 10. Will there be an open house? We are currently working on a virtual open house plan! We still would love to have our wonderful families meet the amazing teachers at Andrews

- II. When will there be plans/decisions made in regard to marching band? Currently band is following the same restart plan as Athletics.
- 12. How can students drop a class on their schedule? A counselor will be in contact with students accordingly to review their current courses and compare their adjustment against the need courses for graduation and post high-school goals.
- I3. How is drivers ed being handled? Driver's Ed is a entity of the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles. **Unfortunately we do not control the Driver's Ed schedule but you can visit the website below to obtain assistance and guidance.** http://ncdrivingschool.com/



14. Will all student work be received through NCED Cloud? Yes it will be. Students will receive updates daily from their teachers in Canvas

I5. My child is in the Aviation Academy and supposed to take two classes at Weaver Academy. Is this standard procedure? What happens if students go back into the building? Yes, if classes are not offered at their homeschool, we provide them the opportunity to take them at Weaver academy. If students return to the building, your child will still be able to attend classes at weaver. All schools in GCS are remotely.

