

August 21, 2020

Welcome to the New School Year

We have a week to go! We are excited to see students for laptop distribution and for the first day of school, even if it is virtual. Enjoy your last week of August.

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**Laptop Information:** Click on the link to a document with the schedule (the schedule is based on the first initial of the last name. There is also information to know for those who have inquired about using personal laptops instead of District-issued laptops. The bottom line is that we expect students to have District-issued laptops so they can access all programs and software because that will not be the case if you choose to only use personal devices.

**Bell Schedule for JHS:** I am attaching the bell schedule for the first week of school. This is the schedule that all high schools will be following the first week. The second week is still being worked out between our teacher and District leadership to accommodate the short week and our first early-release Wednesday. Here is the bell schedule we will be using after the first two weeks. It will also be posted on our website.

**Student Schedules: Visible in Family Access August 28**

Student class schedules will be released to Skyward Family Access at 3pm on Friday, August 28. Here is the link to the page if you need help using this. <https://www.lwsd.org/help/skyward-family-access>

Students will need to know their schedules prior to the first day of school so they know where to join their class! If you have trouble accessing, we will have hard copies available on Monday, between 8 and 12, but we are trying to avoid people coming onto campus for this reason if at all possible.

**Student Schedule Changes:** There will be a process for changes posted on the JHS Counseling website by the end of the week. Please know that are only a few reasons we will be able to accommodate schedule changes and they will be only for NECESSARY changes.

**LWSD Text Message Approval Campaign :** We have an exciting opportunity for families who would prefer to receive announcements from the LWSD via text. If you are interested in this option, read on:

Text the letter "Y" to the number 67587. If your phone number is already on file at your child's school, or in Skyward for staff members, this text will confirm that you want to receive text messages on your cell phone. LWSD cannot text you important updates unless you have confirmed that you want to receive these messages. If you aren't sure what phone numbers are on file, visit your Skyward Family Access account, then go to "Skylert" to see the list of phone numbers and email addresses we use to contact you.

You should receive the following message back:

*You're registered 4 SchoolMessenger notifications. Reply STOP to cancel, HELP for help. Msg&data rates may apply. Msg freq varies. [Schoolmessenger.com/txt](https://www.schoolmessenger.com/txt).*

**¿Es usted un padre/tutor del Distrito Escolar de Lake Washington o un miembro del personal del distrito que desea recibir anuncios de LWSD por mensaje de texto?**

Si es así, envíe un mensaje de texto con la letra "Y" al número 67587.

Si su número de teléfono ya está archivado en la escuela de su hijo, o en Skyward para miembros del personal del distrito, este texto confirmará que desea recibir mensajes de texto en su teléfono celular.

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no puede enviarle mensajes de texto importantes a menos que haya confirmado que desea recibir estos mensajes. Si no está seguro de qué números de teléfono están en el archivo, visite su cuenta de Skyward Family Access y, a continuación, vaya a "Skylert"

para ver la lista de números de teléfono y direcciones de correo electrónico que utilizamos para ponerse en contacto con usted.

Debe recibir el siguiente mensaje después de mandar el texto:

*You're registered 4 SchoolMessenger notifications. Reply STOP to cancel, HELP for help. Msg&data rates may apply. Msg freq varies. [Schoolmessenger.com/txt](http://Schoolmessenger.com/txt).*