

Greenbrook Gator Newsletter

October 23, 2020



From Mr. G's Office: Our Kindergarten and 1st Graders have done a great job transitioning back to school. Now we are so excited to welcome our 2nd and 3rd graders on Monday, October 26. It is important that all students who are attending in-person learning are certified at home everyday before they come to school. Parents must certify by answering the 3 questions on the certification cards and then sign their name each day before your child goes to school. If your child is not certified when they get to school, they can not go to class until we have a certification from you. Please read the questions every day and make sure you sign your child's card everyday so they can get to class on time. Your child will receive a new card every Friday in their pouch. Remember if the answer to any of the questions is YES, they must stay home that day.

All students are now on a half day schedules with live instruction (either in-person or remotely) in either an AM or PM session. The other half of their day takes place as remote instruction which may consist of remote specials (art, music, P.E. & STEM), related services, intervention, EL services, enrichment and independent work. Please reach out to your child's teacher if you do not have a schedule of your child's day. We are looking forward to having students back in person and continuing phase 2 of our Return to Learn Plan!

As always please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions.

Watch the short videos below to prepare to return to in-person learning at Greenbrook!

Click on the links below to watch the videos:

- [Welcome back from Mr. G & Mr. D](#)
- [What is Daily Health Certification?](#)
- [Arrival at Greenbrook for Walkers, Bus Riders & Car Riders](#)
- [A Peek into the Classrooms in Greenbrook](#)
- [Dismissal at Greenbrook for Car Riders & Walkers](#)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

This year our “Harvest Day” activities will look a little different than in years past. On Friday, October 30, 2020 students that are in-person in grades Kindergarten through 3rd grade may participate in our “Superhero vs. Villain Day”, Green Gator Wear Day or wear other Halloween costumes that are appropriate for school. If students are participating in any of these, they still **must wear a mask**. Please make sure we do not do any face painting or costumes with blood or gore. The teachers may choose to have small parties within their classrooms during the school day. To keep our parties safe this year, we are asking that you **do not** send any treats or food to school. If your child is a remote student, they may participate as well when they join the class through Zoom on Friday. This applies to all of our K-3 students who are remote and all of our 4th and 5th grade students. If you have any questions, please reach out to your child’s teacher.

Greenbrook Material Pick-up

*Material pick-up is very important and will continue during Phase 2 of our Return to Learn Plan. **Students who are remote, will still need to come to supply pick-up. Students who are hybrid (in-person) will receive their supplies at school and will not need to attend pick-up.*

Drive-up Material Pick-up

Monday, October 26 from 12:00-5:30

Supply pick-up times are shorter due to dismissal of in-person students. Please do not arrive to pick up supplies prior to 12:00 PM on Monday, October 19.

Grades K, 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Remote Students ONLY
ALL 4th & 5th grade students.

****Please wear a mask while picking up materials****

Important Dates



Monday, October 26 - Hybrid (in-person) learning begins for 2nd & 3rd Grade

Monday, October 26 from 12:00-5:30 - Material Pick up from 12-5:30 for Grades K, 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Remote Students ONLY & ALL 4th & 5th grade students.

Friday, October 30 - "Superhero vs. Villain Day", Green Gator Wear Day

Monday, Nov. 2 - Asynchronous Learning Day for 4th and 5th Grade (No live Zoom except specials)

Tuesday, Nov. 3 - No School for all grades

Wednesday, Nov. 4 - Hybrid (in-person) learning begins for 4th and 5th grades

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FOOD SERVICES
KEENEYVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT 20

FREE SCHOOL BREAKFAST & LUNCH FOR ALL KIDS UNDER 18

Students & families can pick-up meals at each school during scheduled hours or from one of the bus stops below. Distribution of multiple days of meals will be available on:

MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS + FRIDAYS

LOCATION		SPRING WOOD	GREENBROOK	WATERBURY
At School Building		7:15 to 7:45am	7:15 to 1:00pm	8:00 - 8:30 am
BUS #1	STOP 1: Bear Flag @ Freemont	10:00 - 11:30	10:00 - 11:30	N/A
	STOP 2: Windfield Way @ Ashley	N/A	N/A	11:45 to 12:45
BUS #2	STOP 1: Spring Wood MS	10:00 to 11:15	10:00 to 11:15	N/A
	STOP 2: Catalina @ Arlington	11:20 to 12:30	11:20 to 12:30	N/A
BUS #3	STOP 1: Andover @ Beverly Dr	10:00 to 10:45	10:00 to 10:45	N/A
	STOP 2: Celebrity Cir @ Turner Lane	10:55 to 11:30	10:55 to 11:30	N/A
BUS #4	STOP 1: Webster Ave @ Cloverdale	N/A	N/A	11:45 to 12:45
	STOP 2: Waterbury Elementary	N/A	N/A	11:15 to 11:45
BUS #5	STOP 1: Waterbury Elementary	N/A	N/A	11:15 to 11:45
	STOP 2: Bryn Mawr @ Middleton	N/A	N/A	11:50 to 12:45

School Menus

<https://www.esd20.org/for-parents/food-services>



RED RIBBON WEEK- October 26-30

Monday, Oct. 26 - REDdy, Set, Go! Dream, Believe, Achieve....Be Drug Free, Wear RED!

Tuesday, Oct. 27-Team Up Against Drugs! Wear your Favorite Team Gear!

Wednesday, Oct. 28-Color my World Drug Free! Wear Bright Colors!

Thursday, Oct. 29-Sock it to Drugs! Wear Crazy Socks!

Friday, Oct. 30-Superhero vs. Villain Day”, Green Gator Wear Day, Gators are Drug Free!



Greenbrook School Zoom Class Expectations

STAY FOCUSED

- Eat & drink only during snack time, breaks & lunch
- Turn off TV, phones, games etc.

BE IN A QUIET PLACE

- Find a quiet place to work
- Avoid distractions

BE PREPARED

- Computer charged
- Camera on
- Materials ready

FOLLOW DIRECTIONS

- Raise your hand to speak
- Listen to your teacher

PRESENTATION

- Be dressed appropriately
- Be ready to learn

PARTICIPATION

- Be focused
- Eyes on your teacher
- Mute yourself when not speaking

BE RESPECTFUL

- Be kind
- Use polite words

BE AWARE

When your camera or microphone is on, everyone can see and hear everything in the room you are in.

Other helpful hints:

- Remember to use your 5 nonverbal signals
- Say "please" & "thank you"
- Be patient
- Have fun!

Parent Tips:

- We know this is not easy, we appreciate your patience and support while working with teachers.
- Remember when your children are on Zoom, everything around them could possibly be seen or heard (even from a distance).
- Please give your children the opportunity to try and complete tasks on their own, before assisting them. Our goal is to build student's problem-solving skills and lead to independence.