



## School Information and Updates Friday, December 11, 2020

### **DECEMBER 14 – DECEMBER 22**

Reminder! The following learning models are planned for December 14-22:

- Grade PK-4 will be full onsite daily.
- Grades 5-12 every-other-day A/B Hybrid ([SCHEDULE](#))
- TVL (Temporary Virtual Learning): Continue through January 15<sup>th</sup> as planned
  - Dec. 22: Final Roster Determined for 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester
  - Jan. 19: Begin 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester TVL

### **FOOD AND NUTRITION**

**December 14-22:** Curbside grab and go meals will be available for hybrid and virtual students Monday-Friday 10:30AM-12 Noon from the west staff parking lot drive through at Prairie Hill Elementary.

**December 23 & December 28:** Curbside grab and go meals will also be available for pick up on Wednesday, December 23rd and Monday, Dec 28th from 10:30AM-12 Noon. Meals for the entire week will be available for one time pick up.

The December menu can be found [here](#). Curbside meals will continue to be a variety of items based on product availability. Thank you for your participation in our meal program!!

### **PARENT AND CAREGIVER SUPPORT DURING THE PANDEMIC**

WorldMaker International, a nonprofit agency based in Mt. Vernon and focused on building resilient communities, is hosting a virtual pandemic parenting program that is available at no cost to local families, funded by the 2020 ECR CARES Act.

Check out this link for additional information and to register. You can choose the most helpful place to start and each module takes less than 20 minutes:

[Pandemic Parenting | Worldmaker International.](#)

Do you want to connect more about parenting in the pandemic but have limited time? Here are some brief clips of tools to help provide more immediate support:

- Pandemic Fatigue: <https://youtu.be/MGXBxrnTnIU>
- Self Beliefs: <https://youtu.be/Muveyc3OyNQ>
- Sense of Control: <https://youtu.be/-cA9bn-y-XE>

CCSD staff are available to help connect you to resources during the pandemic as well. Please contact your building principal, school counselor, school nurse or building facilitator for additional information. District staff is also happy to assist you in locating needed resources. Contact information is available [here](#).

## **TRANSPORTATION NEWS - UPDATED ROUTES**

Starting Monday, December 14, PK-4 will be full onsite daily. We have been busy updating some of our bus routes. Please check your portal account for updated busing information as some routes have been eliminated. Please make sure to review all of the information listed - bus number, AM time, PM time, and location.

We will also be entering "Hard Surface" busing information in the fields toward the bottom of your portal page. There will only be information listed there if your student is affected on "Hard Surface" days. This will be mainly for families that live on a gravel road.

Please remind your students of the following rules:

- Students will have assigned seats and are required to sit in them
- Siblings will be required to sit together
- Masks must be worn over the mouth and nose at all times while on the bus
- No eating or drinking while on the bus

Thank you for your support. If you have any questions, please contact the Transportation Department at 848-5204.

## **PRAIRIE WINTER SPORTS (9-12) SPECTATOR GUIDELINES - COVID-19**

Based upon guidance received from the Governor's Office of the State of Iowa, the Iowa Department of Education, the Iowa Department of Public Health, the Iowa Girls High School Athletic Union, and the Iowa High School Athletic Association and the Mississippi Valley Conference, the Prairie Activities Office has released its guidelines for spectator admission for all 9-12 winter sports seasons.

[Click here](#) for the Prairie winter sports guidelines.