

Pearl River School District

PEARL RIVER MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

I hope that you and your family are enjoying these last summer days. This year most of our summer mailing will be electronic. Please <u>click here to log onto the Parent Portal</u> where you will be prompted to update your contact information including your phone numbers, email addresses and emergency contacts. Additionally on the parent portal, you will be asked to review and acknowledge the following:

- Summer Health update for your child
- Technology Acceptable Use Policy
- Internet-based Instructional Resources Policy
- Consent for Publishing
- Receipt of the District Code of Conduct

The Pearl River Middle School **Student Handbook** is posted on the website.

The 2020-2021 school year will begin remotely on Tuesday, September 8, 2020. Students are to follow their schedule as posted on the portal.

The hybrid model as detailed on the district website, will begin on Monday, September 14, 2020. On that date, students whose last names begin with the letters A-L will begin attending school in person while those students whose last names begin with M-Z will logon and follow their schedule from home. On Thursday, September 17, 2020, students whose last names begin with M-Z will begin attending school in person while those whose last names begin with A-L will log on and follow their schedule from home.

Homeroom begins for all students whether in person or remote at 7:45 a.m. All arrival and dismissal procedures will be sent out next week via school messenger.

Grade 5 Families- Although your child's schedule indicates they are in different classrooms for core subjects, they will be housed in the same classroom. When they come to school, teachers will bring them to their designated rooms in which they will remain for most of the day.

All information regarding Back to School Night, PTA meetings, school photos, etc. will be communicated to you via School Messenger as soon as that information becomes available. To read the Pearl River Middle School PTA Welcome letter, <u>click here</u>.

Student schedules are now available on the parent portal.

Sincerely,

Maria A. Paese Principal



U.S. Department of Education – Pearl River Middle School – 2011 Blue Ribbon Winner

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