

Tuscumbia City Schools

Date: September 17, 2020


To Parents/Guardians,

Tuscumbia City Schools understands that safety is very important during this unprecedented time. When Tuscumbia City Schools made the decision to offer a full-time virtual option along with a full-time in-person option, we understood that there would be a learning curve for both the students and teachers. In order to support our virtual students, we had to increase our usage of technology in ways that we had never before used and this has created obstacles that we hope to alleviate by using the Wednesday as an E-Learning day for all students in grades 6-12.

1. **How will E-Learning work?** All students will have the opportunity to attend school as normal for targeted intervention, tutoring, or in class learning. Students, who have chosen to attend school virtually, will have the opportunity to meet with their teacher virtually for any issues that they may have with the current learning model.
2. **How are assignments given on E-Learning days?** During this time, there will not be any new material assigned to students. This will be a day for students to complete work assigned to them by their teacher prior to the E-Learning day, along with the ability to receive any type of individualized instruction.
3. **How long with this schedule be in place?** Tuscumbia City Schools will utilize this schedule beginning with the week of September 21, 2020 until October 16, 2020.
4. **All students K-12.** In order to help with students who are struggling with virtual learning, Tuscumbia City Schools will also allow any student who is currently virtual to return to their regular school schedule on October 19, 2020. This would waive the one semester requirement that was initially in place. If you would like your student to return to face-to-face learning, you must let your child's principal know by October 8, 2020 to ensure that all teachers will be aware of this change.
5. **Breakfast and Lunch for Wednesdays.** Students who choose not to attend school on Wednesdays may still receive a breakfast and lunch. The student will have to come to the rear of the cafeterias for both schools from 8:30-9:15 a.m. for breakfast and 11:00-11:45 a.m. for lunch.

Reminder that October 12-13, 2020 are currently E-Learning days on our school calendar. Your child will receive assignments virtually for these days. If you have an issue with internet or devices, please let your child's teacher know for an alternate method of delivery.

Thank you for all your support of Tuscumbia City Schools,



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