

Dear Hagginwood Families,

Welcome back to the 2020-21 school year. I am fortunate to be principal of such an amazing school. I acknowledge that we are starting off the year with a different set of challenges than any other year but I'm very optimistic. While COVID-19 has shifted our schools to start in distance learning, our staff is committed to providing excellent teaching and learning opportunities. Here are some frequently asked questions from families and students to help guide us through the beginning of the year.

When does school start? School begins on Tuesday, August 18th at 8am.

Will attendance be taken everyday? Yes, attendance is taken each day in the morning.

When will my student receive his/her laptop and textbooks? Another distribution day is scheduled at Hagginwood on Monday, August 17th from 8am to 2pm. If you haven't received your items, stop by anytime between 8am and 2pm.

What will distance learning look like this year? Students will be following the teacher's schedule which will include whole class or small group instruction during this time (synchronous instruction). The afternoon will consist of additional tasks/assignments provided by the teacher (asynchronous instruction). Assignments may be provided and expected to be returned according to the teacher.

How will I find my teacher online? Each backpack (grades 1-6) has a tag with the teacher's name and the student ID#, this information is helpful to login on to the apps portal and checking student's email. Please check backpacks, your emails, or text messages to see if the teacher sent you a message with a zoom link. You may visit our website on Monday, August 17th (under "Distance Learning" dropdown on the red menu bar) to find zoom links to each classroom. You may also call the office and we can help provide you with access and passwords.

Will my child receive lunch and breakfast? Yes, lunch will be provided every school day at Hagginwood between the hours of 11:30am and 1pm. Your child will receive a "grab and go" lunch as well as a "grab and go" breakfast for the next morning. Food will be consumed off campus.

What if my child's chromebook needs service? Please contact Hagginwood to make arrangements for service or contact the Help Desk at (916) 566-7802

What if I still need to enroll/register my child? Please contact Hagginwood school office or Student Services at (916) 566-7801 or visit their webpage at <https://aeries.twinriversusd.org/onlineenrollment/>

Hopefully these will answer some of your questions. If you have additional questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact Hagginwood school office. Together we can work as a community to support our students and each other through this pandemic. Be safe, be strong, and I look forward to when we may meet in person.

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