

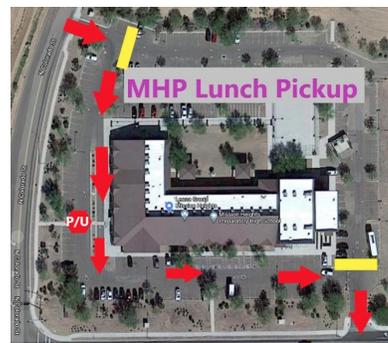


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Dear Mission Heights Families,

School starts this week on **Friday, July 31st!** Albeit remotely, we are excited to get started and connect with our students once again. We are getting lots of questions, so I wanted to send another update on my **TOP 10 QUESTIONS!**

1. **Drive Through #2:** This is tonight from 5-7 p.m. Drive by the East side of the school building (bus loading and unloading zone) to pick up your student's agenda and a folder with the **2020-2021 Orientation Packet Checklist**. Thank you to the 350 students who showed up Friday!!!! WOW!!! We are so sorry for the wait times and that we weren't as prepared as we should have been. We were not ready to have so many come on the first night! It was amazing to have so many participating! This tells me you are getting my emails - YAY - and it also tells me you are ready for the school year to start - EVEN BIGGER YAY!!!
2. **Chromebooks/Returning Packet Items:** For those who are needing to pick up a chromebook, please return your packets of signed information and bring them by the school tomorrow, **Tuesday, July 28th and Wednesday, July 29th, from 5-7 p.m.** If you do not need a chromebook, you can return the information in two other ways. You can either scan and send them to us, or you can bring them by our front office between 8-4 p.m.
3. **Student Schedules:** Student schedules and credit analyses are being sent to student school emails. We still have some to do as we continue to grow in numbers. Please be patient with us as we want to make the best personalized schedule for each student as possible. All schedules will be in the student's email and/or in their StudentVue by Friday if not already. If a student wants to change anything, please fill out this [Schedule Change Request Form](#). **Students have until the end of day on Thursday, August 6th, to make schedule changes.**
4. **Student Daily Schedules:** We are asking that all students do their best to check in daily with their classes for live help and instruction. **We are required to take attendance for the state, so PLEASE do your best to attend daily with your teachers to check in and/or receive live instruction.** Teachers will be available every day during these times of our [MHP Remote Learning Phase 0 Student Daily Schedule](#).
5. **School Lunch:** Thank you to all the families who responded to our School Lunch Survey. Due to these results, **school lunch will be provided on Mondays and Wednesdays between 2-3 p.m. at MHP** through our Nutrition One food provider. On Monday, families will pick up meals for Monday and Tuesday, and on Wednesday, families will pick up meals for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. This service starts on Monday, August 3rd. Please pre-order your food each week for the following week, so we can plan on having enough for your student. [Attached is the pre-order form for meals](#). Food will be served at the West entrance (see map).



6. **Class Log-in Information:** **On Friday morning, an email will go out from each teacher with Google Classroom log-in information for each class.** In their Google Classrooms, students should expect to find a video from each teacher that will provide a lecture of the syllabus and class information. Parents, I encourage you to watch these as well, so you know exactly what your students' expectations are for each class. On this first day, teachers will only be reviewing syllabi and perhaps sharing participation assignments for the first day. That is all. Then on

Monday, August 3rd, students should log into the appropriate meetings (see student daily schedule above). Links for these meetings will be provided in Google Classroom for each hour. Teachers will be available daily during this time. Also on Mondays, all materials for the week will be posted in Google Classroom, giving students the freedom to work ahead (just for each week).

7. **Sports:** Although CAA is stating that sports can resume practices on August 17th, MHP is still awaiting instruction from our district office on whether we will be participating for this fall. We will update you ALL as soon as we know. We want our sports to take place, but want to make sure we are doing so safely according to CDC guidelines and when we are ready.
8. **CAVIT:** As soon as CAVIT opens its doors, MHP will be providing transportation once again to the CAVIT facilities. We are proud of all of our CAVIT students for continuing on with this program.
9. **Central Arizona College:** This fall we are offering English 101 and Math 141 on our campus for our juniors and seniors. Classes for this don't start until August 17th in alignment with the college. We will hold a registration meeting online the week before it starts, so if you are taking one of these classes, please watch for an email with these times. If you wish to enroll in one of these classes and have not spoken with me about it, please email me.
10. **When will MHP open its doors?** As of right now, we are being told there will be an update on "DATA" not a "DATE" for an executive order from the state on when we can open on August 7th. We are waiting to get more clarity at that time. As always, as soon as we know, we promise we will share with our schools. Due to Casa Grande's elementary district choosing to do fully remote for Quarter 1, we are receiving concerns from families about needing their high school siblings at home. There is the possibility that we will choose to align with the elementary district in order to support our families better. Again, we will update you more after August 7th's executive order is received.

These are the TOP 10 Questions I am receiving. If you have any other questions I did not answer, please don't hesitate to ask. We are slammed right now with preparing for Friday, but we will do our best to answer as soon as we can. Thank you for your patience, and, as always, for choosing MHP.

In this together,

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