

Instructional Expectations for our Mustangs

Accessing Schedules on PowerSchool & Classes on Canvas

On Friday, Aug. 21, the MMS Advisory Course walks students through the process of finding their schedule in PowerSchool and following their schedule. ***Login info on the last page of this document.*** All courses will be present on Canvas when students log in on Monday, Aug. 24. Please refer to your child's schedule and plan to have them logged in at the beginning of each class time for maximum engagement. Times for students to log in to classes will be different than times noted in PowerSchool. Please use the times on the schedules seen below.

Meet Each Teacher

On Monday, Aug. 24, your child will have the opportunity to meet their teachers in each class period. Teachers will share expectations for remote learning, explore canvas, and model how to access both daily lessons and recorded lessons, in the event of an absence.

Core & Encore Canvas Instruction (Weeks 2 & 3)

During Weeks 2-3 (Aug. 24-Sep. 4), students will work mainly in Core & Encore instructional Canvas courses. Just like Week 1, there are assignments to complete even though most classes will contain pre-recorded content according to the GCS timeline. Although we are still gradually increasing the expectations, assignments are tied to each Core or Encore class. Weeks 2-3 will help provide stability and consistency so students may acclimate to their schedules and become accustomed to logging in to each course daily.

Core & Encore Canvas Instruction (Weeks 4-9)

During Weeks 4-9, teachers will be live in each course every day, providing in-class support along with office hours at other parts of the day. Office hours for teachers are posted in the Weeks 4-9 Student Schedule. Teachers may pre-record parts of their daily lessons in order to avoid potential technology problems and potential background interferences. However, the teacher will be 'live' in each period, each day, on their computer, engaging with and providing support for students during class time.

Core Schedule for Weeks 2-9

Core Schedule times, as shown below, will begin Monday, Aug. 24, and will remain the same while students are learning from home.

Encore Schedule for Weeks 2-3 & Weeks 4-9

Please the important information below regarding Encore Schedules. See all times for classes outlined in schedules below.

Important: While our students are attending virtual classes, they will have a simpler Encore schedule to follow and will not switch back and forth each day between A/B classes. Students will first find their specific Encore classes on their schedule in PowerSchool. Students will meet in classes according to the schedules shown below. If a student accidentally attends the wrong class, Encore teachers will help students understand which one they should attend.

Students in ESL and in the Music Department will attend Band, Orchestra, and Chorus classes **every day** for the whole quarter.

Students in Art, PE, Spanish, or one of the 3 CTE classes (taught by Ms. Ivey, Ms. Wiggins, and Ms. Shaw) will see their classes listed as A day/B day alternating classes schedules on their PowerSchool Schedule. However, students who are scheduled in one of these classes **will follow the schedule below:**

Weeks 2-3 (August 24-September 4):

- Only during the first two weeks, students will go to A day on Monday and Wednesday and B day on Tuesday and Thursday.
- Teachers will be live with their A day class on Monday, Aug. 24th and B day class on Aug. 25th. Friday will be a flex day.

Weeks 4-6 (September 8-25):

- Students will follow their A day schedule every day. They will **NOT** go to their B day classes.

Weeks 7-9 (September 28-October 16):

- Students will follow their B day schedule every day. They will **NOT** go their A day classes.

Daily Class Period Schedule

Weeks 2 & 3: Aug. 24–Sept. 4

*This schedule (times classes are held) will remain consistent but Teacher Office Hours will be added to Weeks 4-9 (see next page).

6 th GRADE	
9:00-9:40	Core 1
9:45-10:10	Encore
10:15-10:40	Encore
10:45-11:25	Core 2
11:30-12:30	Lunch/Physical Activity
12:30-1:10	Core 3
1:15-1:55	Core 4

7 th GRADE	
9:00-9:40	Core 1
9:45-10:25	Core 2
10:30-11:30	Lunch/Physical Activity
11:30-11:55	Encore
12:00-12:25	Encore
12:30-1:10	Core 3
1:15-1:55	Core 4

8 th GRADE	
9:00-9:40	Core 1
9:45-10:25	Core 2
10:30-11:10	Core 3
11:15-12:15	Lunch/Physical Activity
12:15-12:55	Core 4
1:00-1:25	Encore
1:30-1:55	Encore

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Daily Class Period Schedule

Weeks 4-9: Sept. 8–Oct. 16

*This schedule (times classes are held) will remain consistent but Teacher Office Hours were added to Weeks 4-9 (see below).

6 th GRADE	
8:00-8:45	Teacher Office Hours for Conferences/Support
9:00-9:40	Core 1
9:45-10:10	Encore
10:15-10:40	Encore
10:45-11:25	Core 2
11:30-12:30	Lunch/Physical Activity
12:30-1:10	Core 3
1:15-1:55	Core 4
2:00-3:00	Teacher Office Hours for Conferences/Support

7 th GRADE	
8:00-8:45	Teacher Office Hours for Conferences/Support
9:00-9:40	Core 1
9:45-10:25	Core 2
10:30-11:30	Lunch/Physical Activity
11:30-11:55	Encore
12:00-12:25	Encore
12:30-1:10	Core 3
1:15-1:55	Core 4
2:00-3:00	Teacher Office Hours for Conferences/Support

8 th GRADE	
8:00-8:45	Teacher Office Hours for Conferences/Support
9:00-9:40	Core 1
9:45-10:25	Core 2
10:30-11:10	Core 3
11:15-12:15	Lunch/Physical Activity
12:15-12:55	Core 4
1:00-1:25	Encore
1:30-1:55	Encore
2:00-3:00	Teacher Office Hours for Conferences/Support

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