

Good Afternoon MVMS,

Big changes are on the horizon and we are excited to make some progress towards getting students back to school. In today's message, you will find the following information:

- Hybrid Learning update from Principal Weis
- Daylight Savings reminder
- Class schedule for 3/18 and no school 3/19
- 9th grade registration information for current 8th graders
- 7th/8th grade soccer starts Monday – it's not too late to join and start later in the week

MVMS parents,

Spring is right around the corner!

Our staff is working hard to prepare for our shift to concurrent teaching that begins March 29th for 6th graders. Our concurrent model has allowed us to keep students with their same teachers and classes regardless if families chose remote or in person hybrid.

This has been a huge lift for us, but I have been encouraged and inspired by the growth mindset of our staff and their Arms Locked/Hearts Full approach. We also appreciate the tremendous support and grace the Maple View community has shown for one another as we work to support each other through this historic school year. **Here are few items to highlight:**

- **Email received:** All families should have received an email this week that identified which model and cohort your child has been assigned. If you can't find the **email contact Tahoma Updates**. Expect more communication to come out the following days/weeks.
- **Asynchronous lessons:** Teachers are in the process of learning new ways to deliver instruction combined with enacting strong safety-protocols throughout the systems and structures of our building. You may notice some asynchronous classes as our teachers are working together to prepare for this shift.
- **Staggered start:** March 29th is the official start date to our instructional model. We will be transition to in-person learning with a staggered start. **Only 6th graders will be in-person, March 29th and 30th.**
- **Next steps:** We will be messaging out more details next week.

William A. Weis

Principal

Maple View Middle School

Daylight Savings

Daylight savings time will begin at 2:00am on Sunday, March 14th. At which time, we turn our clocks forward an hour.



Class schedule for 3/15-3/19

Friday, 3/19, is a scheduled inclement weather day to be used as needed for missed school days. Since, we don't have to make-up any school days at this point, this is a day off for students and staff. To keep our Blue/Gold classes balanced, Thursday the 18th, will be a 1-6 period schedule day. [Blue/Gold Calendar](#)

9th Grade Registration information for current 8th graders:

THS 2021-22 Registration Update: Registration for high school is a very exciting and important task, so each week you will receive communication to aid you in this process. Last week you reviewed the Future Freshman tab on the THS Registration website as you help prepare your 8th grader for THS virtual registration. Thank you for doing this with your student! This week you are encouraged to review the THS Course Catalog with your student. The exploration of the THS Course Catalog will arm your student with the necessary information to successfully register for the 2021-22 school year. You can easily access the THS Course Catalog by visiting the THS website and clicking on 'Registration for 2021-22'.

7th and 8th Grade Soccer

[Registration Info for Spring Soccer](#)

Soccer practice will begin on Monday, March 15th for boys and Tuesday March 16th for girls. Boys who were cleared through FamilyID by Friday at 12:00 pm, March 12th are able to attend the first practice, March 15th. Girls will need to have been cleared by 12:00 pm on March 15th to participate the following day. This is due to the time it takes to upload athletes into the online health attestation system. After you receive the attestation in your email or through a text message, you will know your child is eligible to attend practice. **Registration will remain open for athletes interested in participating.**

For registered soccer players:

- You will receive the attestations every day, but remember boys practice on Monday and Wednesday and girls practice on Tuesday and Thursday.
- Upon arrival, pull up to the front of the school by using the bus lanes. Wait to be greeted by a coach who will check each athlete's attestations. *Please complete the attestation in the morning, as it will make this process much quicker. Athletes must NOT get out of their cars until they are cleared by a coach. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.
- Athletes must bring their own water bottle as we cannot provide anything to drink to athletes.

As always, feel free to reach out to us with any questions or concerns: mvoffice@tahomasd.us, 425-413-5500.

Have a great weekend and GO BEARS!