



October 27, 2020

Dear Fletcher Hills Families,

I wanted to reach out this week to share some new information and give a few reminders.

This Friday, October 30th, we invite students to wear their Halloween costumes to their classes on Zoom. Students who are enrolled in ESS may wear their costumes to ESS that day also. In addition, that afternoon we are hosting a drive by event where your child can drive by school and wave to teachers and staff and get a treat bag provided by our PTA at the exit to the Little League field. All students are invited to dress up and you are also welcome to decorate your cars for this event. Please follow the directions that are provided in the flyer for how to enter the lot and pick up your treat bag. A big thank you to our PTA for helping coordinate this event and for buying the treats and goodie bags.

All families have had a chance to resubmit their selection for online or hybrid learning for their children. That survey is now closed. We have 4 teachers who will be teaching online. There will be one TK class taught online, one Kindergarten class online, one 1st/2nd Grade combination class that will be online, a 3rd/4th combination class and a 5th/6th Grade online combination class. I will be sending you updates in the coming weeks with regard to which teachers will be teaching those online classes.

If your child's current teacher will be teaching the online group and you chose hybrid learning, your child will be reassigned to another class in his/her grade level. If that is the case for your student you will receive a letter from me the week of November 2nd. If you are remaining in an online class but your child's current teacher will be teaching hybrid cohorts here on campus, you will be getting a letter from me indicating your child's new teacher. Following that, if you selected hybrid learning for your child, you will get a letter from me the week of November 9th indicating which cohort your child has been assigned to and who his/her new teacher is (if a change of teacher was needed). If no change of teacher was needed, your letter will only indicate their assigned cohort.

During the week of November 16th, your child's new teacher will be reaching out to you with information about how to access their Google Classroom or SeeSaw account and welcoming you and your family to his/her class. During the week of November 9th and the week of the 16th, I will host zoom events for families who are choosing the hybrid model where I will share information about procedures and routines for opening our campus to students. You will receive information regarding health screenings upon arrival to school, where students should go when



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they arrive, masks requirements, dismissal procedures, our plans for recess and lunch and much more.

One thing I believe is important for you to know now is the expectation around what we are required to do if a child shows any symptoms of COVID-19. If your child has a chronic health condition such as allergies, migraines, asthma etc. where he/she might present with symptoms similar to COVID-19 you may wish to get a certification of chronic medical condition completed by your child's doctor. We are not allowed to take a parent's word for the fact that your child has a chronic health condition, we need it documented by a doctor prior to the incident. If you want more information on this please reach out to our Health Tech, Marli Flores via email or by calling the school. Her email address is marlena.flores@lmsvschools.org.

We are very excited to begin the process of reopening our school and are looking forward to our first day with students back on campus. Please continue to check your email and read these messages so you are informed in the weeks to come. Things will move quickly in these last few weeks before reopening and I want everyone to feel informed.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Cotter, Principal