



Dear Parents and Students:

As the new school year quickly approaches, we will be sending out quite a few emails, all with different items. Please be diligent in reading your AHSJ emails.

During the first couple weeks of school, we want to keep everyone safe and healthy. Drop off will be different this year. We will have the lower grade teachers, PreK-5th, stationed outside along the drop off area and near the playground. There will be signs as to where each teacher will be. Your student should be dropped off by their teacher and once teachers have all their students, they will take them into the school.

On the first day of school, if you would like to have a picture taken with your student's teacher, please park your car and take you student to their teacher. The AHSJ Parent Association is making "First Day of School" signs for each class. You are welcome to take a picture with your student, teacher and their sign. We will need to keep this process short, in order to accommodate all parents. As always, we want to keep traffic flowing and the parking lot as uncongested as possible.

Middle and upper grade students will be allowed to enter the school and report to their homeroom class. Students should already have a print-out copy of their schedule to reduce traffic in the office. Please check with the office before the first day of school if you have questions about your student's schedule.

Due to Covid-19, this year we are asking that no students/parents wait in the lobby, either in the morning or after school. That being said, it is important that students are dropped off and picked up at the appropriate times. You will see in our new procedures document that students will get a temperature check each morning. Families should arrive between 8:10 AM and 8:25 AM, in order to ensure there is enough time for the temperature check before students head to class. Parents will need to follow the drop-off map that will be sent out next week, in order to see where temperatures will be taken and students should be dropped off.

We are excited for this school year to begin. Please help us keep everyone safe by following these guidelines.

Thank you,

AHSJ Administration

