

2020-2021 “Restart” Orientation Week and Intake Conferences for Grades 7-12 Wrenshall High School Students

Basic Information

Before the start of classes, each student in grades 7-12 will meet one-on-one with a teacher, or “**Restart Advisor**” (different than grade level advisor), to discuss the details of the coming school year. This will ensure that each student knows how this school year will be different from “normal” and from last spring. **It will also allow students to establish a face-to-face relationship to start the year and allow students to ask questions.**

Dates

Restart Orientation Week will take place September 8th-11th. We will delay the start of our classes (delivering content) until each student has had a chance to meet with their Restart Advisor. **Therefore, teachers won’t begin posting content on Google Classroom until Sept. 14th.** Since the elementary is in the building during that week, the High School Intake Conferences will be from 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Students will be scheduled in on the following dates:

- Tuesday 9/8: 10th and 11th grade
- Wednesday, 9/9: 8th and 12th grade
- Thursday, 9/10: 9th grade
- Friday, 9/11: 7th grade

The Re-Start Advisor will be contacting the parent/guardian September 1-September 3 to get the intake conference scheduled. Parents/Guardians may choose to attend the intake conference with their child. The intake conference can be face to face at the school or virtually on the Google Meet platform.

Social Distancing/Safety Protocols

Restart Intake Conferences will need to be spaced out over the week to minimize students in the building. Students/parents who come in for their intake conference must be masked and social distance from the teacher (six feet). They must leave the building as soon as their conference is over.

Please make every effort to have your child attend the Re-Start Intake Conference. It is essential that every student has the needed information to be able to be successful in school during the pandemic. The District feels strongly that additional adult support be provided to every student.

Seventh Grade Orientation

There will be two different virtual orientation meetings provided to seventh grade students and their parents/guardians.

The meetings will be on Thursday, September 3. There is a 9:00 a.m. meeting or a 2:00 p.m. meeting.

The meetings will allow for every seventh grade teacher to give an overview of their class with the seventh graders. Ms. Belcastro, Superintendent, Mr. Holter, Guidance Counselor and Mr. Wargin, Dean of Students will be on the call as well to go over basic school information and be able to answer questions that students and parents/guardians might have.

If you want to attend one of the two orientation meetings please email Josie Hlava to reserve your spot. Josie can be reached at jhlava@isd100.org