

# Kirk Middle School Virtual Open House

October 1, 2020



# Agenda

1. Welcome
2. General Overview of Remote Learning Model (Current)
3. Introduction to Hybrid Learning Model
4. Teacher Open House Videos (Schoology Tour)
5. Questions

# Welcome



- Thank you for attending tonight's presentation and for your support during the remote learning model.
- Thank you and welcome to the teachers who are in attendance tonight.
- We are here to support and answer questions you have along the 2020-2021 school year no matter what learning model we are in.

# General Overview of Remote Learning

- **Schedule**

- Blue and White Days
- Daily schedule - 8:00-1:30
- Teacher office hours daily 1:30-2:30
- Wednesday Schedule
  - Additional office hours
  - Possible small groups
  - Activities to complete
  - **Live Zoom lesson from 1:00-1:30** during Enrichment, Academic Support/Intervention

- **Attendance**

- We expect students to attend all classes daily for the live Zoom lesson
- Attendance Codes
  - Present Synchronous - PS
  - Present Asynchronous - PA
  - Absent Unexcused - AU
  - Change from AU to PA once work is completed

- **Grades**

- Normal district grading policy with percentages and letter grades A, B, C, D, F
- Check grades in Schoology or Home Access Center (HAC)

# Hybrid Model

- **Planning, Planning, Planning**
- **6 week evaluation from start of school**
- Student Population **divided** by alphabet to create small class sizes
- Gradual progression of students enter back into the building across the district
- **Two days per week (M-T) or (TR-F)**
- **Wednesday** is synchronous and asynchronous learning day to complete activities on Schoology and obtain support from teachers during office hours.  
**(School Cleaning Day)**
- **A detailed plan will be sent out by the school district and by schools once it is approved and finalized by the school board.**
- **COVID - 19 School Response Team**
  - Procedures created for student movement, student safety, and overall cleaning

# Teacher Open House Videos

- Each teachers has created a folder on their Schoology “Materials” page called “OPEN HOUSE”
- Each folder contains a welcome video and the course syllabus
- Take time with your child to explore each teacher’s video and information to gain a better understanding the course requirements and to get to know each teacher a little more
- Be sure to check-out the [KIRK VIRTUAL FAMILY](#) slideshow on the Kirk Middle School website: [www.kirkms.org](http://www.kirkms.org)
- **School Forms Link**



# Guidance Counselors



- Reach out to the guidance counselors for information about schools
- The final 7th grade report card and the first marking period of 8th grade is VERY IMPORTANT so keep up on the work!
- Guidance Website:
- <https://sites.google.com/christina.k12.de.us/kirkguidancecorner/home>
- **Contact us:**
- [kathryn.bailey@christina.k12.de.us](mailto:kathryn.bailey@christina.k12.de.us)
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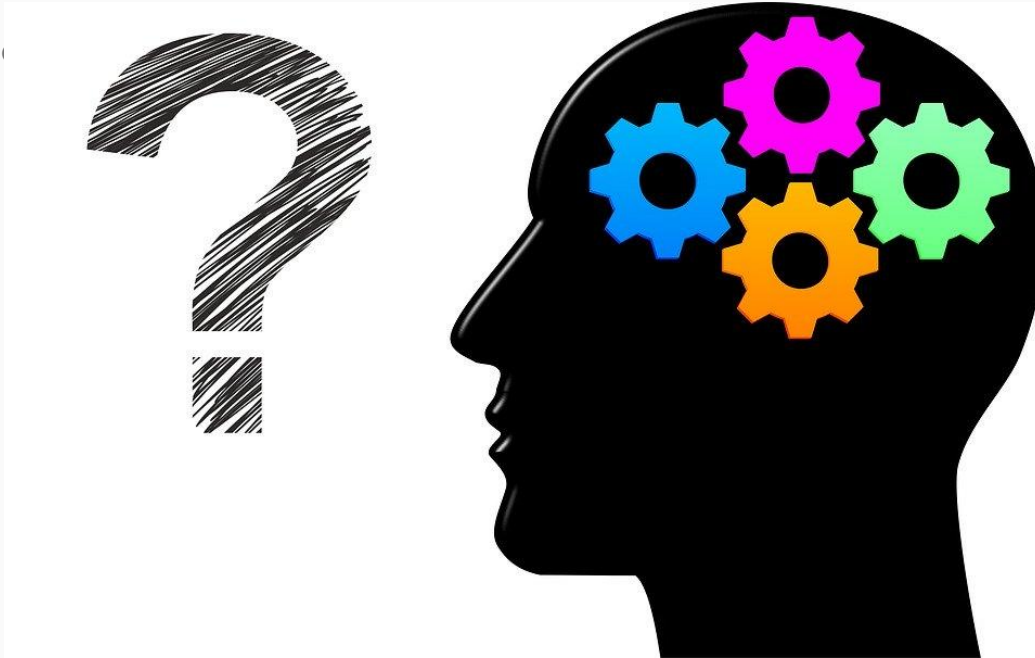
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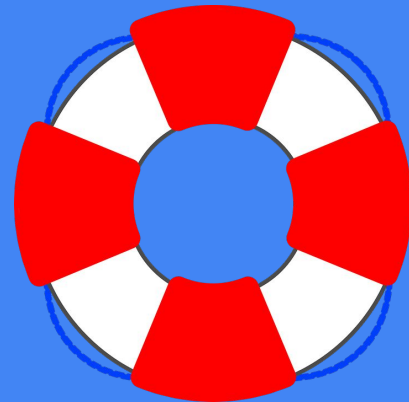
- **Choice Period: Nov. 2 - Jan. 6**
- Choice Applications will go live online and is submitted online
- All 8th grade students will get a vo-tech application in the mail automatically. You can also get this online or through the school.
- Special programs such as the Christiana Honors Academy requires an application
- Reach out to the guidance counselors for information about schools
- The final 7th grade report card and the first marking period of 8th grade is VERY IMPORTANT so keep up on the work!
- Plan AHEAD for teacher recommendations
- Guidance Website:
- <https://sites.google.com/christina.k12.de.us/kirkguidanecorner/home>
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# Questions



We are here to  
support you  
along the  
2020-2021  
school journey!



Our main objectives  
are to keep everyone  
safe and students  
actively learning.



Thank you and  
good night!

Contact us:

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