



Griswold Public Schools

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October 30TH, 2020

Dear GPS:

Please scroll down. Thank you!!!!



HAPPY HALLOWEEN GPS!!!

**LET'S ALL REMEMBER TO WEAR
OUR MASKS, TO WATCH OUR
DISTANCE, AND TO WASH OUR
HANDS TO BE EXTRA SAFE.**





Monday, November 2nd

GES

- **Preschool -**
 - **AM Students ATTEND IN PERSON 9:00-11:30.**
 - **PM Students ATTEND IN PERSON 12:30-3:00.**
- **Grades Kindergarten - 4. COHORT A STUDENTS: Last names A-K ATTEND IN PERSON.**
- **Grades Kindergarten - 4. COHORT B STUDENTS: Last names L-Z PARTICIPATE REMOTELY.**
- **ALL DISTANCE LEARNERS WHO COMPLETED A FORM AND SIGNED UP FOR DISTANCE LEARNING PARTICIPATE REMOTELY.**

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- **COHORT B STUDENTS: Last names L-Z PARTICIPATE REMOTELY.**
- **ALL DISTANCE LEARNERS WHO COMPLETED A FORM AND SIGNED UP FOR DISTANCE LEARNING. THESE LEARNERS WILL PARTICIPATE REMOTELY**

GHS

- **9TH AND 10th grade students will be in-person, and our 11th and 12th grade students will be joining virtually. First class begins at 7:35. This is a full day schedule for all students.**



**To read about the
Atlantic
Broadband
Internet
Offer--[click here](#).
NOTE: This offer
has been extended
to November 1st,
2020.**

**UPCOMING
GRISWOLD
COMMUNITY
EVENTS
10/31**

**FARM TO FAMILIES
EVENT
9:00 AM- 12
NOON**

**WALGREENS FLU
CLINIC
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM**

**FARM TO FAMILIES FOOD BOX DISTRIBUTION
&
WALGREENS FLU SHOT CLINIC**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31TH
Griswold Public Works Highway Garage
1148 Voluntown Rd, Griswold
9:00 TO 12:00 PM**

Box contains 5 lbs vegetables, 5 lbs meat, 5 lbs dairy and 1 gallon of milk.

- Food box is free
- No paperwork necessary
- First-come first-serve or until we run out
- Please remain in your car
- Please open your trunk
- Please wear a mask



For questions, please call Tina Falck at 860-884-5876

Griswold Senior Center
Working For Your Community

WALGREENS DRIVE-UP FLU CLINIC

- **FREE FLU SHOTS WITH MOST INSURANCES**
 - *Regular and Limited Senior Doses*
 - *Bring your insurance card and photo id.*
 - *Please wear a mask*
 - *Please stay in your car until it is your turn*

9:00 TO 11:00 AM



- **UCFS, Drive-Thru Testing Schedule--[Click here.](#)**

We have added a section about local testing to our [School Reopening Website.](#)

There are different local testing sites in the region.

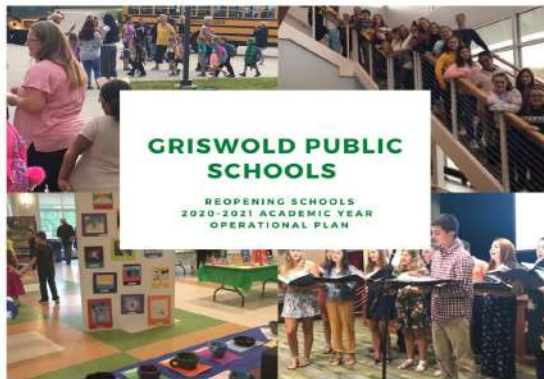


THERE WILL BE AN UPCOMING EPA WEBINAR ON 10/29 FOR ALL FAMILIES ON LEAD. TO PARTICIPATE, [PLEASE CLICK HERE.](#)

SUPPORT



THE GPS TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT IS HERE TO HELP. WE WILL BE OFFERING SUPPORT SESSIONS FOR FAMILIES. TO LEARN MORE, [CLICK HERE.](#)



VERSION 4.0

THE REOPENING PLAN

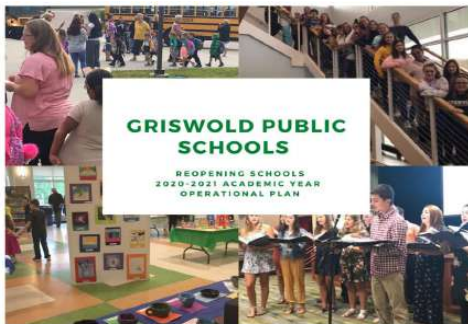
TO STAY CURRENT WITH THE DIFFERENT UPDATES FROM THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT, WE MADE CHANGES TO OUR REOPENING PLAN. THE CHANGES WILL NOT IMPACT OUR CURRENT PROGRAMMING UNDER THE HYBRID MODEL. WE HAVE OUTLINED THE CHANGES ON PAGE 5 OF VERSION 4.0 FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE. [YOU CAN REVIEW THOSE CHANGES AND THE NEW PLAN BY CLICKING HERE.](#)



A REMINDER: ALL SCHOOL MEALS WILL BE FREE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

GRAB & GO WILL BE AVAILABLE MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, AND THURSDAYS FROM 7:45 am - 12 noon. PLEASE REVIEW THIS LETTER FROM TOM O'CONNOR, DIRECTOR OF FOOD SERVICES--[CLICK HERE.](#)

SCHOOL REOPENING WEBSITE

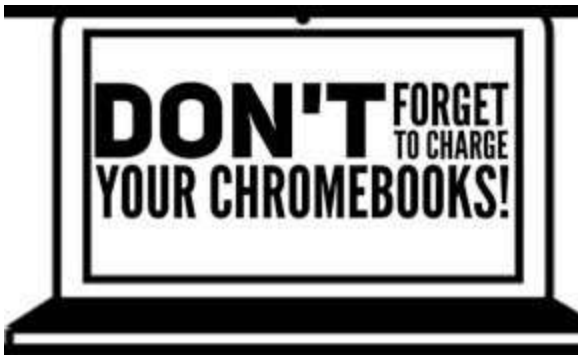


OUR SCHOOL REOPENING WEBSITE HAS LOTS OF INFORMATION, AND WE UPDATE THE PAGE REGULARLY. TO ACCESS THE SITE, [PLEASE CLICK HERE.](#)



ALL STUDENTS WHO OPT TO PARTICIPATE IN FULL DISTANCE LEARNING MUST COMPLETE AND SUBMIT A FORM TO THEIR SCHOOL. [CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE DISTANCE LEARNING FORM.](#)

NOTE: IF A STUDENT WHO ORIGINALLY REGISTERED FOR DISTANCE LEARNING HAS DECIDED TO ATTEND SCHOOL UNDER THE HYBRID MODEL, THEN THAT STUDENT AND FAMILY MUST CONTACT THE SCHOOL AND ALLOW FOR PROCESSING TIME TO MAKE THE SWITCH.



**SUPER IMPORTANT:
WE NEED YOUR HELP GPS STUDENTS!!!
BE SURE TO CHARGE YOUR CHROMEBOOKS EVERY NIGHT!!!!**

School Contact Information

Parents and students should contact their school directly or their school nurse with any questions regarding COVID-19 testing and/or exposure. Thank you!!!!

Please contact our *schools ahead of time*, if you need to visit our main offices.

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We hope that you are all safe and well.

Sincerely yours,

Sean P. McKenna,
Superintendent of Schools