



Full Return to In-Person Learning ~ Important Information

- As of April 5th the DESE is no longer allowing the hybrid learning model. Thank you for responding to the district survey where parents indicated the learning model appropriate for their children. Parents were asked to commit to either in-person learning or to stay fully remote until the end of the school year. *Computers will no longer be going home with students every day and will remain at school.*
- If your child is sick they will take a traditional sick day. The exception will be for students that need to be out for an extended amount of time due to COVID related illness or quarantine. In the event that this occurs, the school will coordinate getting you the necessary materials and your child will be allowed to participate remotely until the quarantine period is over.
- Please plan accordingly on inclement weather days. We will be going outside twice a day for mask breaks. Please be sure that your child has proper rain gear at school.
- If your child would like to eat a snack on their mask break, please pack them something that is easy to consume and does not require utensils (apple, granola bar, chips, banana, etc.)
- If you are picking up your student at the end of the day you will receive a new name sign and directions for pick-up. Parent drop-off starts at 8:55am and dismissal pick-up begins at 3:30pm.
- Breakfast and lunch will continue to be free for all students.
- Busing Information is posted on the district website www.grsd.org. *Please notify the school if your child will be a parent pick-up.*
- We are not physically sending home red folders on Fridays this year. Instead, all information is posted in a "Virtual Red Folder" located on our Chester Elementary Website. Please check for updated information on Fridays.
- We will continue to not allow visitors in the school buildings. If you are picking your child up early, you will be buzzed into the vestibule where you will be able to sign them out and they will come out to you.