

# MARAUDER MEMO



MT. VERNON  
MIDDLE SCHOOL

**August 22, 2021**

**Parents,**

**I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your support this week. We appreciate your comments and feedback. Please read the information below for information about virtual learning and for our weekly announcements. Additionally, your student's teachers will be sharing information with you that we'll follow until we return to in-person learning on September 7th. Thank you again for your support!**

**Information for Virtual Learning - August 23 through September 3**

## **Meal Pick Up during Virtual Learning**

The food service department is going to have meal pick ups at door 11 (kitchen door by the 8th grade pick up line), on Tuesday Aug 24th and Tuesday Aug 31st from 3-4pm for any family interested in picking up free meals for their middle school aged children. We have a sign up link below that will close Monday at 10am. Thanks! [MVMS Meal Pick Ups](#)

## **Technology Support**

If your student needs technology assistance during virtual learning, please contact our technology helplines at the following:

**Phone: 317-482-4111**

**Email: [techsupport@mvcsc.k12.in.us](mailto:techsupport@mvcsc.k12.in.us)**

## **Virtual Attendance**

- Attendance will be taken during period 1 Success and each period afterward.
- Students should be available during the time period the class is scheduled to be in session.

## **Virtual Participation and Instruction**

- Students will have a daily check-in with teachers each period via Google Meet.
- Instruction will be provided via posted links, flipped classroom videos, and/or Google Meet
- Students will be evaluated based on participation in the following areas.
  - Attending class
  - Collaborating with others in group work
  - Quality of work
  - Completion of assignments

## **Virtual Communication**

- Teachers will post information on Canvas or Google Classroom. They will correspond with parents through ParentSquare and email. Teachers will communicate with students through school email.
- Teachers will respond to additional questions during school hours.

**Extra-Curricular Activities and Athletics - August 23 through September 3**

- More information will be provided soon.

## Virtual Daily Schedules

### 7th and 8th Grades

8:45 - 9:00	Period 1 Success - Attendance (Student Check-in)
9:00 - 9:50	Period 2
10:00 - 10:50	Period 3
11:00 - 11:50	Period 4
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch
1:00 - 1:50	Period 5
2:00 - 2:50	Period 6
3:00 - 3:50 (M,T,Th,F)	Student Support Time
2:50-3:05 (W)	Student Support Time

### 6th Grade

8:25 - 8:45	Prep Time
8:45 - 9:00	Success - Attendance (Student Check-in)
9:00 - 10:15	Period 2
10:30 - 11:45	Period 3
12:00 - 1:00	Student Lunch
1:00 - 2:15	Period 4
2:30 - 3:20	Period 5 (6th Grade UA)
3:20 - 3:50 (M,T,Th,F)	Student Support Time

### Homework Help

The MVMS Kitchen Table (aka Homework Help Club) starts Tuesday, September 14th for any student trying to recover from absences, get extra help with challenging concepts, or find assistance preparing for upcoming tests. Students report to Mr. Crouch's classroom immediately after school until 4:30pm. Please plan to pick up your student at 4:30 pm at the Main Entrance to MVMS.

### MV Reads: News from the Library

Parents, now is the time to build a lifelong love for the library. The [Hancock County Public Library](#) serves residents in eight of the nine townships in Hancock County. Vernon Township is served by the [Fortville-Vernon Township Public Library](#). Cardholders from one library may apply for a card at the other. **It is FREE**. Be sure to check out HCPL's "[School Resources](#)" link for reliable homework resources for your teen.

### Attendance at MVHS Athletic Events

Please read the information [HERE](#) regarding attendance at Mt. Vernon High School athletic events.

### How to Report an Absence

If your student will be absent from school please notify us by one of the following methods:

- Call the attendance line at 317-485-3160 (available 24/7)
- Email [elizabeth.blunk@mvcsc.k12.in.us](mailto:elizabeth.blunk@mvcsc.k12.in.us)

### Daily News

Announcements can be found [HERE](#).

**Upcoming Events and Important Dates**

Monday, September 6 - No School for Labor Day

Tuesday, September 7 - Students return to in-school Learning

Monday, September 27 - Picture Retake Day