



Haralson County Middle School

2020-2021 Reopening Plan



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Calendar

- ❖ **Pre-Planning for Teachers begins July 28th, 2020.**
- ❖ **School will officially start on August 4th, 2020.**
- ❖ **August 4th - 7th - “Click to Brick” Days** - School will be officially in session with students and parents consulting virtually or in person with teachers and administrators in groups or by appointment. These days will also be used for the following:
 - Student Orientations/Open Houses
 - New Student Registration
 - Chromebook Distribution
 - Teacher Training
- ❖ **August 11th - Students Return**



Wellness Protocols

- ❖ Wearing masks is strongly encouraged but not required. Masks will be available for those who choose to wear one if they do not have their own.
- ❖ Use of sanitation stations at each entrance
- ❖ Bathrooms will be stocked with soap and paper towels
- ❖ Classrooms will have hand sanitizer
- ❖ Use of disinfectant on desktops and tables between change of classes
- ❖ Equipment used by students will be disinfected in between uses
- ❖ Limited visitors to campus
- ❖ Students should bring a water bottle for personal use; all water fountains will be closed



Facilities

- ❖ Hang signage with precautionary measures
- ❖ Clean hallways and high-touch surfaces throughout day
- ❖ Identify hallway lanes and mark hallways with social distancing reminders on floors
- ❖ All facilities utilize fogging/disinfection prior to teachers and students returning
- ❖ Continuous deep cleaning during weekends or school holidays/breaks to the extent possible



Protocols for Symptomatic Students

- ❖ Schools and school nurses will provide daily reports to district
 - Schools will have waiting areas for sick or symptomatic students and staff
 - Nurses will follow Tanner Medical Center guidelines for interacting with sick or symptomatic students and staff
- ❖ Students who are sent home or confirmed COVID-19
 - Students will be quarantined from school for the minimum 14 calendar day period (total days - not 14 school days)
 - If positive for COVID-19, will need medical clearance to return to school after recovery



Open House

- ❖ An open house will be hosted during *Click to Brick Days* for sixth grade students and new enrollees
 - Social distancing guidelines will be outlined and communicated to guests prior to their arrival
 - Limit guests to student and a guardian
 - Single direction hallways
 - Limit number of families in a teacher's room
 - Arrange specific times for particular student groups
 - Limit time spent in each room to less than 10 minutes to decrease exposure
 - Strongly encourage the wearing of masks and use of sanitizer between visits



Governance

- ❖ Provide consistent updates on the plan and any revisions
- ❖ Monitor implementation on a continuous basis.
- ❖ Communicate any updates to central office and stakeholders.
- ❖ Implement the following operating procedures:
 - Personnel and student admittance only
 - All students and employees enter at designated areas
 - Temperatures are taken for students and employees upon arrival
 - After students have temperature taken, students will report directly to their homeroom
 - No congregation of students in gyms, hallways, or lunchroom



Arrival

Car Riders

- All car riders will have their temperature taken before exiting the vehicle & will enter through 1 of 4 designated entrances at the front of the school
- Car riders can not be dropped off prior to 7:40.
- Students with a temperature of 100.4 or greater or any other symptoms of COVID-19 will not be allowed to exit the vehicle.

Bus Riders

- Temperature checked before getting on bus.
- Students with a temperature of 100.4 or greater or any other symptoms of COVID-19 will not be allowed to board the bus.

All Students

- Will report to their homeroom classroom upon arrival
- Pre-packaged breakfast can be picked up at designated grab & go carts on the way to homeroom

Late Check ins

- Must be accompanied by an adult
- Temperature will be taken at the front office
- Students with a temperature of 100.4 or greater or any other symptoms of COVID-19 will not be allowed to enter.

Employees

- Temperature checked upon arrival.
- Staff with a temperature of 100.4 or greater or any other symptoms of COVID-19 will not be allowed to enter.

Transitional Plan throughout School Day

- ❖ Changing Classes
 - Maintain distancing to the greatest extent possible
 - Hallways will be marked for single direction traffic
 - Teachers will disinfect desks between classes
 - Teachers will monitor hallways to direct flow of traffic
 - Staggered class changes
 - Connection classes will be on rotating schedule to reduce the number of transitions
- ❖ Bathroom Procedures
 - Students will be released from classroom individually
 - Only 5 students will be allowed in the bathroom at a time during the school day
- ❖ Lunch Procedures
 - Pre-packaged lunches will be picked up by students on a staggered schedule
 - Cafeteria floor will have social distancing guides
 - Students will eat lunch in classrooms.

It is strongly recommended that masks be worn in hallways.

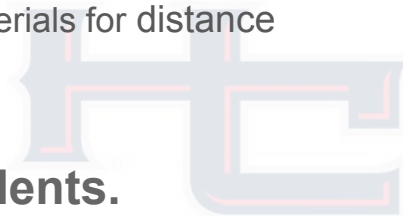


Classroom Instruction

- ❖ Instruction & Technology
 - Limit/eliminate all group & partner work & maintain distancing to the greatest extent possible
 - While school is in regular session, practice using chromebooks with specific computer programs to be used if distance learning is necessary
 - We are offering face-to-face instruction with virtual options for medically vulnerable or quarantined students.

- ❖ District, building and teacher leaders will continually prepare for the possibility of change.
 - Teacher leaders will provide online learning training and professional development
 - Digital collaboration strategies to prevent physical contact between staff
 - Teachers will work with academic coaching staff to develop strategies and materials for distance learning

We are committed to meeting the needs of our students.



Dismissal

Car Riders

- Report to designated areas at 4:05
- 6th Grade
 - Media center hallway
 - Exit out end door & load at the front of the school
- 7th Grade
 - Cafeteria
 - Exit out cafeteria door & load at the front of the school

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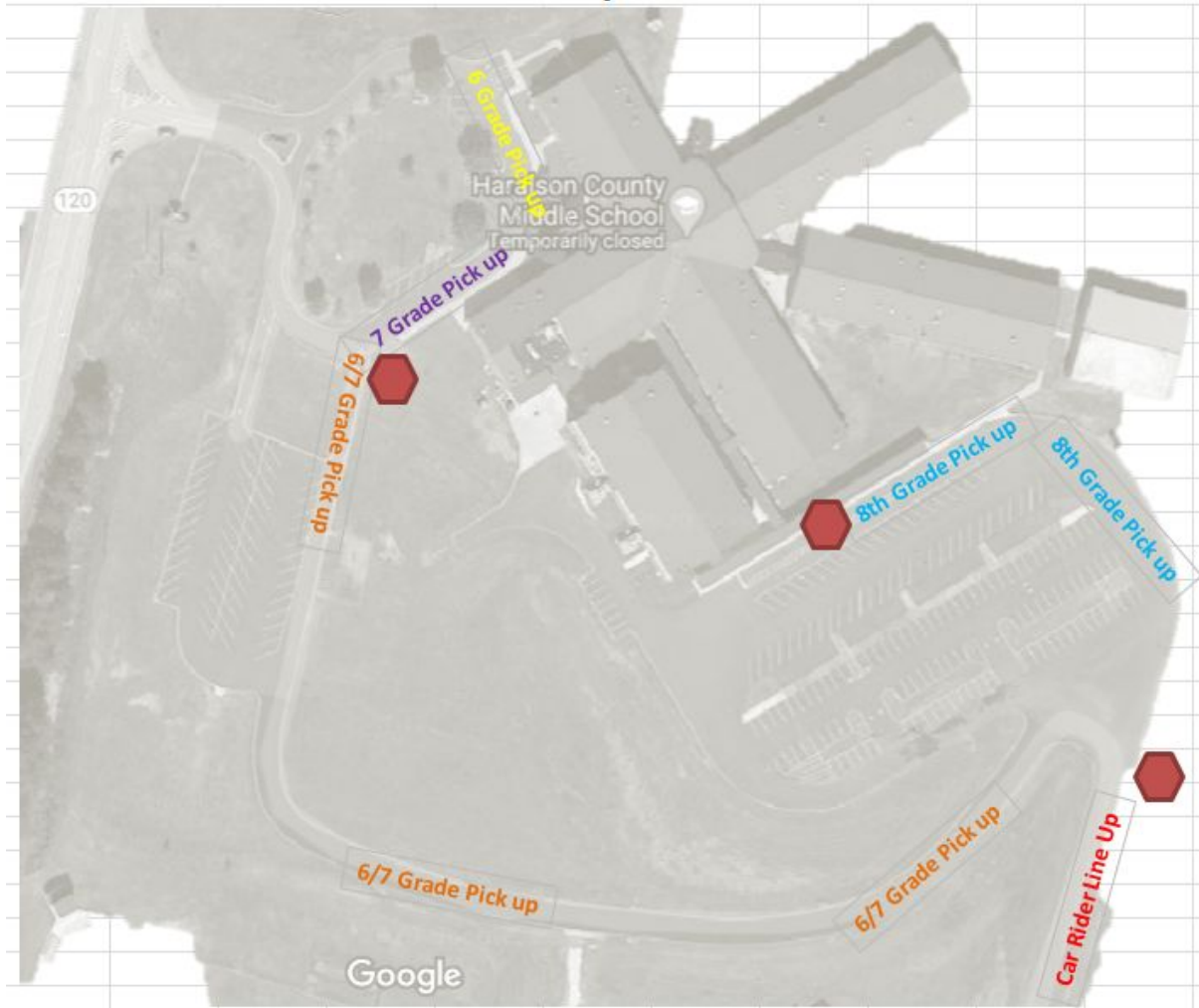
- 8th Grade
 - Top of 8th hallway
 - Exit out breezeway door & load at the back of the school
- Multiple grade levels in same car
 - Report to the designated area for the student in the lowest grade level.

Bus Riders

- Dismissed at 4:00
- Will load in the back of the school



Car Rider Pick-up After Bus Dismissal



Haralson County Middle School is committed to providing a meaningful educational experience while protecting the safety and health of it's students, staff and stakeholders. If you have questions or need more specific information, you can visit our Facebook page or our district website at www.haralson.k12.ga.us

You may also call us at the numbers below. We recommend that parents make their child's school the first point of contact for any issue. Our staff are happy to assist you in any way.

- **Haralson County Middle School** **770-646-8600**
- **Haralson County District Office** **770-574-2500**
- **Haralson County Transportation** **770-646-5532**

Thank You
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