

Good Evening Richey Families,

As we make preparation for the second marking period, the Richey students will experience an asynchronous learning experience on **Friday, October 30th**. Please look for additional details from your child's homeroom teacher. Students **will not** have zoom classes that day. **Thursday, October 29th will be a regular zoom day for all Richey students.**

If you would like to know what your child's "Back to School" experience will be like or have questions regarding Richey's return to school intentions, consider attending our "Parent Back to School Informational" Meeting on Thursday, October 29th from 6:30-8:00.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://redclayschools.zoom.us/j/98804151951?pwd=OFJsZGJnc1BZSHNMcEMzam9mK2MyUT09>

Meeting ID: 988 0415 1951

Passcode: 282280

I want to remind those that are returning to campus that students should not share items. This year's student supply list will be reposted on the Richey website no later than Wednesday, October 28th. The first day of face-to-face school is quickly approaching and the Richey administrative team wants to ensure sure everyone is prepared. There will be an evening parent informational zoom meeting since this year may not look like it has in years past.

Although all of our students will not be physically returning, we are still continuing to prepare students for their "next steps". There will be a zoom choice open house informational meeting for families on Tuesday, October 27th at 6:00 pm. This meeting is particularly important for our current 5th grade students as families determine the best fit for the rising middle schooler. The link for the meeting will be located on the Red Clay website at the beginning of this week. The choice window is from November 2nd-January 13th.

The second marking period will have a staggered start for remote and face-to-face (on campus) students.

Monday, November 2nd	A-G last names
Tuesday, November 3rd	No School/Election Day
Wednesday, November 4th	H-O last names

Thursday, November 5th P-Z last names
Friday, November 6th No School for Students/Offices Open
Monday, November 9th All students A-Z on campus students report to school
Wednesday, November 11th No school/Veteran's Day

Student Covid testing available at the sites and times below. It is open to all Red Clay students. The information is also on the Red Clay home page. Covid testing is optional, but encouraged for those students returning to the building on November 2nd.

NCC will host drive-through testing sites at a variety of locations in your District between Oct. 22 and Oct. 27. You should PRE-REGISTER for your COVID test online using the link below.

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| • Thursday October 22, | John Dickinson School | 2:30-7:30 |
| • Friday October 23, | Conrad School of Science | 2:30-7:30 |
| • Saturday October 24 | A.I. DuPont High School | 9:00-3:00 |
| • Monday October 26 | McKean High School | 2:30-7:30 |
| • Tuesday October 27 | Frawley Stadium | 2:30-7:30 |

Pre-register on the DE Curative website to expedite the testing process and reduce wait time.

[Schedule a COVID-19 test today](#)

Free COVID-19 testing is being provided within the State of Delaware. The test provided through this program are mouth swab tests that do not require assistance.

Please refer to the message from our school nurse sent on Friday, October 23rd. She shared some important return to the building information.

Don't forget to save the date for school pictures on November 17th. There will be evening hours by appointment for Richey's remote students from 4:00-6:00.

Thank you,

Mrs. Armstrong