

Good evening Jaguar Nation this is Principal Wilson at Thurgood Marshall Fundamental Middle School welcoming new families and returning families to the 2020-21 school year.

Here are the weekly updates for August 17th:

Reminder that the first day of school is Monday, August 24th. Please also be reminded that our school hours for this year are 9:40 AM to 4:10 PM. Please see the bell schedule at the end of this message for the specifics of our day. These times are also the same for MyPCS online. Students cannot be dropped off on campus prior to 9:10 AM.

*Our 6th grade orientation will be a virtual "Meet the Teacher" on Friday, August 21st from 8:50 AM to 11:50 AM. On Teams/Canvas instructions will be provided later.

Reminder for all of our MyPCS online students, if you do not have an R2.D2 log in already or if you have forgotten your log in information you will need this before the first day of school. Please reach out to Mrs. Campbell campbellcar@pcsb.org so that she can help you with this. 6th graders will need this information prior to Friday, August 21st.

Brick and Mortar students, if you turned in your electronic device please stop by school to pick up the device.

If you communicated that you need a device for MyPCS online I am still awaiting devices and will communicate when you are able to come in to get the devices.

For parents of our MyPCS online students, if you are in need of school lunch, you will have the opportunity to receive (5) pre-packaged school lunches available for pickup every Friday from 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM in the car circle. If you are planning to pick up these lunches, you must email our cafeteria manager Ms. Simmonds at simmondsr@pcsb.org no later than Wednesday afternoon each week to plan for distribution.

Also, a reminder that all of our Brick and Mortar students are eligible for FREE breakfast each and every day. Please encourage your student to pick up a free breakfast in the morning even if they already had breakfast.

Updates to school and student schedules, due to Learning Option selections are still being made. Please allow school staff the time to complete this process. At this time, schedule changes will not be made until the Master Schedule has been recreated. Once that has been completed schedule changes will only be to accommodate changes needed for middle school progression (not elective changes).

Please note that all Brick and Mortar students as well as school staff are expected to wear a mask/face covering while on campus. Masks/face coverings must adhere to the standards as outlined in the student dress code.

If you need to bring in medication for your child to take throughout the school day please email our school nurse Donna Frazier frazierdo@pcsb.org to set an appointment with the nurse to bring in the medication.

The August parent meeting will be available on our website and social media accounts beginning Wednesday, August 19th. This will be the only meeting for August. Please be sure to view prior to August 24th.

Blocks	Start/End
1/5	9:40 – 11:06
2/6	11:10 – 1:10
3/7	1:14 – 2:24
4/8	2:44 – 4:10