

**HENDERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL**

*Excellent Community. Superior Education.*

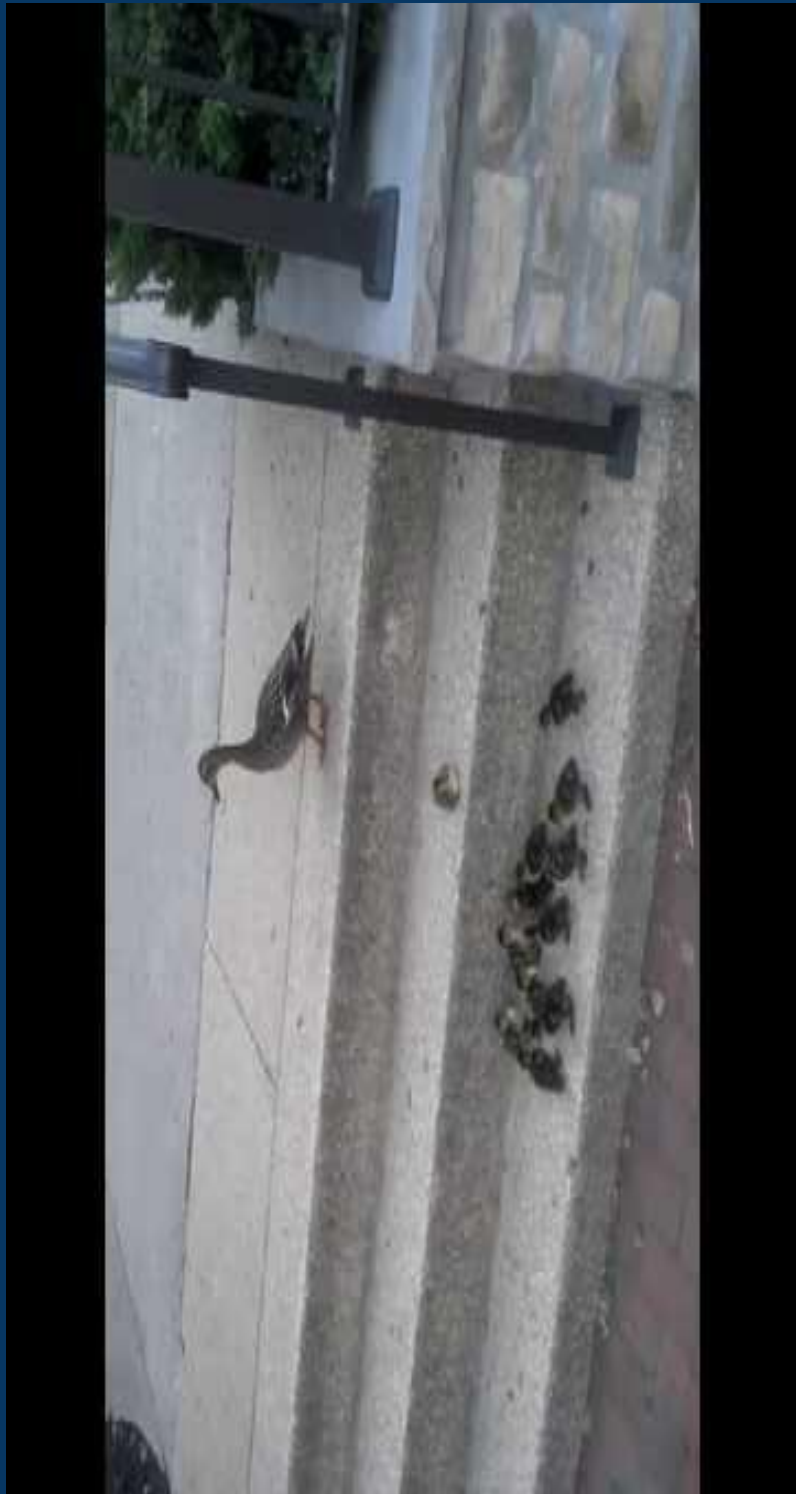
**WELCOME  
INCOMING  
6TH GRADE PARENTS/STUDENTS  
4-26-2022**

## INTRODUCTIONS:

- *Darrell Westfall-Principal*
- *Dawn Bledsoe-Assistant Principal*
- *Hannah Carr-Counselor*
- *Susie Brooks-Media Specialist*
- *Martin Trammel-Band Director*
- *Olivia Gerald-Band Director*

# HMS MISSION STATEMENT

- The mission of Henderson Middle School is to facilitate a diverse education in a supportive environment that promotes self-discipline, collaboration, motivation, and excellence in learning. At HMS, we want to inspire and invest in our students, while unleashing their full potential to become productive citizens who can lead and contribute responsibly in a global community.



## TYPICAL DAY

- 7 class periods
- 4 minute passing periods
- Study Hall
- Three Lunches (6th, 7th, & 8th)
- 7:55-3:25
- Math, ELAR (Honors), Science (Honors), Social Studies (Honors), PE (Pre-Athletics/Lifetime Fitness), General Music/Band, Technology (iLearn)
- Questions about your schedule/ classes for next year?
- Contact Mrs. Carr: [hannahcarr@hjisd.net](mailto:hannahcarr@hjisd.net)

# BELL SCHEDULE

6th grade		
7:20	7:50	Tutorials
7:55	8:45	1st Period
8:49	9:40	2nd Period
9:44	10:36	3rd Period
10:36	11:06	<b>Lunch</b>
11:10	12:02	4th Period
12:06	12:58	5th Period
1:02	1:54	6th Period
1:58	2:23	7th Period (SH)
2:27	3:25	8th Period

## CLASS SCHEDULES

- Schedule changes are extremely difficult after the year begins.
- There will be no schedule changes made after the first five days of the beginning of school and the beginning of the second semester, except in extreme emergencies.
- A written request for schedule changes must be submitted with a parent signature.
- Schedule changes out of Honors classes will only be considered at the end of the semester.

- NJHS
- Texanns
- Cheerleaders
- UIL
- Student Council
- Hawks For  
Christ

# STUDENT CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

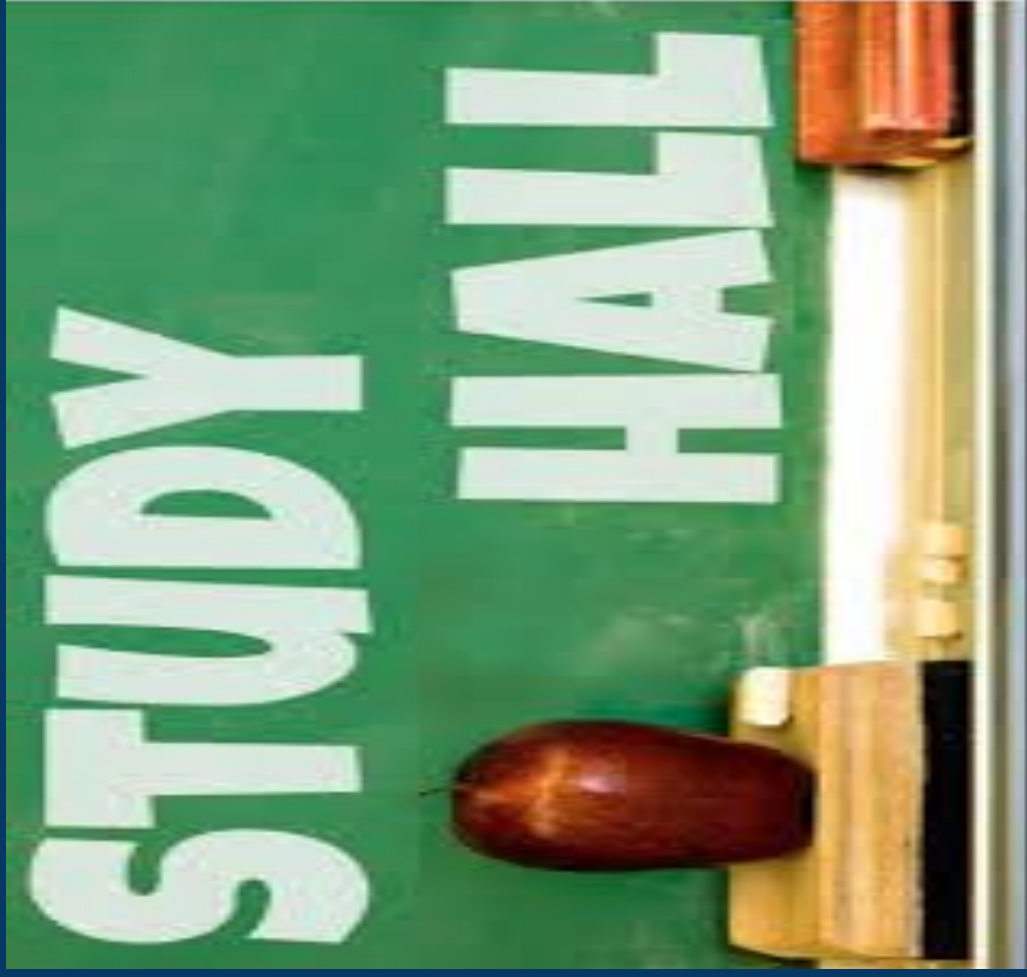




- 6th grade-Reading, Math
- 7th grade-Reading, Math
- 8th grade-Reading, Math, Science, Social Studies



- Study hall
- All subjects



- Every student will have a study hall
- Reading/Math
- HB 4545 Requirements

# Social Emotional Learning (SEL)



## PICKUP & DROP OFF

- Car Riders need to be picked up in front of the middle school
- Car Riders can be dropped off at the front of the Middle School in the morning time.

## Where do students report in the morning?

- 1st period class when they arrive on campus
- Doors open at 7:20 a.m.
- If students need to eat breakfast, they can go to the cafeteria, then report to their 1st period.

# Positive Incentives

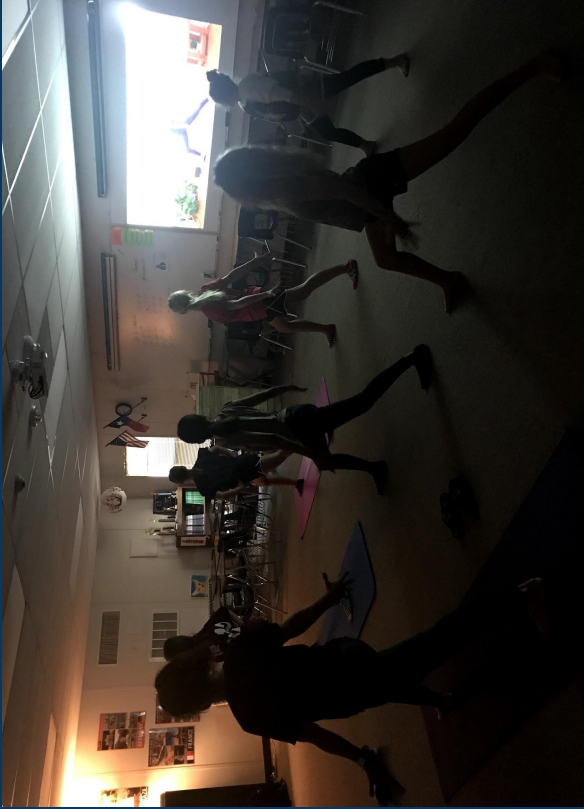
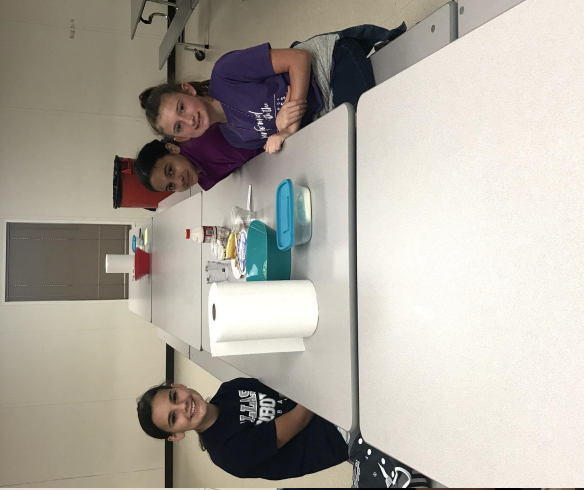
- Discipline, Attendance, No zeroes, Passing all classes
- Bowling, Laser Tag, Movies, Dance, etc.
- Early Release Day End of Semester



# INCENTIVES







# ENRICHMENT

## School Dances

- Beginning of School (Student Council)
- Halloween/Christmas (Cheer)
- Valentines (Texann's)
- 7:00-9:00 p.m.
- HS Cafeteria

## Communication

- Parent Weekly Emails by Principal
- Quarterly Newsletter
- Positive Behavior Reports



## Social Media

- Instagram-hendersonmiddle\_school
- Twitter- @HjhmsMiddle
- Remind 101
  - a. Text @202220236t to 81010
- Facebook-Henderson Middle School HJISD
- Facebook PTO-Henderson Middle School PTO
- Parent Email
  - a. [www.tinyurl.com/22236thgradeparentemail](http://www.tinyurl.com/22236thgradeparentemail)





# GRADING GUIDELINES

- 14 Daily Grades; 10 Honors
- 4 Test Grades; 3 Honors



## Chromebook Basic Information

- Chromebook **rollout** within the 1st 3 weeks of school.\*
- Brand New Chromebooks this year.
- Expected to bring CB to school, charged, ready for use.
- Ask that no stickers or markings be placed on the CB.

## Chromebook Insurance

- Insurance cost \$30\*
- Covers 1st accidental damage
- Covers theft (except from unattended vehicles)  
Police report must be filed.
- Will not cover intentional damage or lost
- Will not cover cost of charger. Replacement cost is \$35.00



## Chromebook Management

- Restricted App Store. Only apps that teachers request are available.
- Go Guardian school monitoring system.
- Google Classroom
- Digital Books
- Off-site district filtering is on all Chromebooks.

## HMS Technology Contacts

- Susie Brooks- [susiebrooks@hjisd.net](mailto:susiebrooks@hjisd.net)

## Attendance for Credit

- To receive credit in a class, a student must attend 90% of the days the class is offered.
- If a student attends fewer than 90% of the days offered, they will be referred to the Attendance Review Committee.
- Students with doctor's excuses still must meet the 90% rule.
- Failure to attain the 90 percent standard will result in the student being obligated to make up the time.
- Multiple opportunities will be made available for students to make up time. Retention is possible for excessive absences.

## Compulsory Attendance

A court of law may impose penalties against both the student and his or her parents if a school-aged student is not attending school. A complaint against the parent may be filed in court if the student:

- is absent from school ten or more days or parts of days within a six month period (a semester) in the same school year,
- or, is absent on three or more days or parts of days within a four week period.

# Dress Code

- Underclothes must be worn and NOT shown.
- Hair must be neat, clean and NOT cover the eyes. Spiked hair will NOT be allowed in excess of 2" in length. Mohawks/faux hawks will NOT be allowed. Well-trimmed sideburns are permissible and must NOT be lower than the ear lobe. Facial hair is NOT permitted at the elementary schools and Henderson Middle School but is permitted at the high school if neatly trimmed and groomed. No offensive lines or designs in hair.
- Hair should not be painted, colored, dyed, or streaked with unnatural colors.
- Appropriate footwear must be worn. No house shoes or slippers may be worn.
- No tight or revealing clothing of any kind. No yoga or jazz pants.
- No tank shirts, muscle shirts, or bare midriffs. All shirts must have a sleeve.

# Dress Code

- Shorts are permitted. Shorts must be an appropriate length. Shorts and pants must be worn at the waistline. No sagging or excessively baggy pants. Underclothing is not to show at any time. Pant pockets must be on the buttocks.
- Shorts, pants or jeans may not have holes of any kind, including strings or frays, regardless if shorts are underneath.
- Warm-up suits, sweat suits, and physical education apparel are NOT appropriate for outside the physical education areas.
- Pajamas (tops or pants) are NOT allowed.
- Hoods, hats, caps, headphones and sunglasses may not be worn at school at any time during the school day. Hairnets, headbands and bandanas are not allowed.
- No large chains or accessories.
- Body piercing jewelry of any kind is NOT allowed at any time. Males may not wear earrings.
- No gang related apparel (hats, headgear, chains, bandannas, spiked accessories etc.)
- No cosmetic dental devices.

We need your

**HAWK** eyes.

To report suspicious behavior, bullying, dangerous student activity, or any other safety concerns please click the button below.



## School ID's

- School IDs do not need to be worn all of that time; however, you must have your ID to purchase food inside of the cafeteria.
- The school will supply the 1st one; however, you are responsible for purchasing the others.
- IDs & lanyards can be purchased in the front office



## ZAP

- The ZAP (Zeroes Aren't Permitted) Program is an additional opportunity for students to make up zeroes on daily work.
- Zeroes must be made up within 3 weeks of receiving a failing grade.
- ZAP will be scheduled on Saturday morning and students will be required to wear their ID, be in full compliance with dress code, and on time to attend.
- Gates locked at 8:00 and no others will be admitted for safety purposes.
- 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.



## ZAP RULES

- No eating, drinking, or talking
- Remain academically engaged for the full time
- No cell phones or electronic devices
- No sleeping or heads laid down on the tables

# After School Detention

- Tuesday & Thursday
- 3:30-4:30



# SATURDAY SCHOOL

- Saturday School is a choice of discipline available to the campus administrators
- Students assigned to SS are expected to be on campus and in the designated area by 9:00 a.m.
- Students will not be admitted late. Students assigned to SS must wear their picture ID and be in dress code. Students are expected to work while in Saturday School.
- Ends at 12:00 p.m.
- Students failing to attend will be placed in ISS the next week.
- Transportation will not be provided.



KAMRYN BUSH 7TH GRADE

# NEW MIDDLE SCHOOL











GYMNASIUM



# CAFETERIA





