



ALPHARETTA HIGH SCHOOL

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Good Morning Raiders,

This week is National School Bus Safety Week! Designed to promote school bus safety, National School Bus Safety Week is a way for our community to highlight the importance of school bus safety. This week, we also celebrate and thank our bus drivers. AHS has 41 bus drivers that serve our community and we are so thankful for their increased safety and cleaning measures related to Covid-19. Please reach out to your child's bus driver this week and show your gratitude. (For more information visit www.napt.org.)

As the weather is beginning to cool down, especially in the mornings, I want to remind all of our students who are walkers and riders that we do not open for students to enter until 7:50 a.m. this year. Students who ride the bus are able to enter from the bus lane and report straight to the cafeteria when busses arrive but **all other students will not be able to enter the school until 7:50 a.m.** Additionally, students must enter through the patio doors located behind the cafeteria. Arriving earlier than 7:50 a.m. will cause the student to have to remain outside in the cold.

Teachers and students, if a student is coming earlier than 7:50 a.m. for a R.I.S.E session with a teacher, it is imperative that the teacher places the student's name on the AHS electronic form for an individual appointment the preceding afternoon. Students who have an appointment prior to 7:50 a.m. should come to the front office doorbell no earlier than 7:30 a.m., tell our Campus Security Associate who your appointment is with and, once verified on the electronic form, the student will be able to go to that teacher's classroom. Otherwise, students will not be able to go to RISE sessions for extra help until 7:50 a.m. through the cafeteria. If you have any questions regarding our morning routines and protocols, please reach out to Assistant Principal Mike Scheifflee at scheifflee@fultonschools.org

Finally, this morning, a reminder that prior to coming to work and school each day, all faculty, staff and students should conduct a self well check. If you are feeling ill in any way, you should not come to school. Please also remember that in alignment with FCS protocols, we conduct random temperature checks on students and staff each day. Any staff member or student exhibiting any symptoms that could be attributed to Covid-19 will be sent home. Additionally, parents please be certain you have received the FCS Covid-19 reporting protocol that was e-mailed directly to all parents last week. If you have questions regarding the obligations and expectations to report, please contact me directly. It is everyone's responsibility to keep our school healthy and safe.

Fulton County Schools has provided each student with two re-usable face coverings. Students may pick up their masks in the cafeteria during lunches this week.

That's all for today, Raiders! Stay Safe!

