

October 30, 2020 - **HAPPY FRIDAY!!**



Dear Millbrook Families,

### **HYBRID IS COMING!!**

As you know, we will be launching our Hybrid Learning Model (AARBB) this Monday, November 2, 2020. We have been very busy preparing for the arrival of students and are so excited to see them. We have missed them immensely!

The upcoming weeks are going to be **very** busy. Our Hybrid Learning Model comes with many new protocols and practices to keep us safe and healthy as well as new and innovative ways of teaching and learning.

More than ever, we will need to be patient, flexible, and #MillbrookStrong for each other!!

Below are important items to know and remember:

### **WEEK 1: Hybrid Begins** **NOVEMBER 2 & 3**

- BLUE - Grades K, 1, 3, 6, 9, 12
- BLAZERS - Grades K, 1, 3, and 6 -12

**NOVEMBER 4** - BLAZERS - Grades K, 1, 3, and 6 -12

### **NOVEMBER 5 & 6**

- GRAY - Grades K, 1, 3, 6, 9, 12
- BLAZERS - Grades K, 1, 3, and 6 -12

**REMOTE COHORT** - Students will remain remote through the second quarter (January 29th, 2020)

The **DAILY HEALTH SCREENER** must be completed by families for each child prior to arrival at school. This includes taking your child(ren)'s temperature. We need everyone

to commit to doing their part in helping us maintain a healthy and safe school environment for all students and staff.

Please note: We do not require “hybrid” families to complete the Daily Health Screener on “remote” days. If a COVID-19 related symptom(s) presents itself during a “remote” day we require that you complete the screener or contact your school nurse directly.

**Please complete the screener by...**

Elm & Alden - 8:15 am

MS/HS - 7:30 am

\*\*If a student arrives at the building by bus without a completed survey, s(he) must be evaluated for COVID-19 symptoms. If a student presents with COVID-19 symptoms, s(he) will be placed in the school’s isolation room which is monitored by a staff member. The parent/guardian will be contacted immediately and be required to pick up the student within thirty minutes. If the student does not present with any COVID-19 symptoms, s(he) will be placed in a separate area until the parent/guardian can complete the screener.\*\*

**MS and HS SCHOOL STUDENTS - CHROMEBOOKS**

Please bring your Chromebook and charger to school every day. It should be charged the night before in preparation for the next school day.

**ONGOING TECHNICAL SUPPORT - WE ARE HERE TO HELP!!**

During times of remote and hybrid instruction, everyone, students and staff alike, are heavily reliant on instructional technology. The Millbrook Central School District’s Office of Instructional Technology is available to help with all matters of technical support.

Our Help Desk is available by phone or email: [helpdesk@millbrookcsd.org](mailto:helpdesk@millbrookcsd.org) 845.677.4200 x1138 | 845.677.4200 x1128 Our goal is to address all inquiries within 24 hours.

**REMINDER - WE ARE LOOKING TO HIRE and NEED YOUR HELP!**

We continue our search for teaching assistants, monitors, and teacher aides to support our hybrid learning model. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more and/or pursuing any of these positions please visit our [Employment Opportunities page](#).

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

Please make sure your contact information is up-to-date. If you have any changes needed, contact the main office of your child’s school.

We will continue to communicate with you on an ongoing basis to ensure you feel informed, included, and welcomed.



Have a great weekend, Happy Halloween, and don't forget about Daylight Savings!!  
Onward!

Laura,  
Your Proud Superintendent of Schools