

Conifer Weekly Announcements

Hello Conifer Family and Friends, this is Principal Paxton with your weekly update on news and information for the week of **Monday, August 31st through Saturday, September 5th**.

Here are some announcements for this week ...

Drive-In Access to WiFi Hotspots

Based on popular request for additional internet options, we're providing WiFi hotspot access for students on the west end of the bus lane. The parking spots are available from 7:45 in the morning until 1:35 in the afternoon. There is a time limit of two-hours if other students need access too, and there is no access to the building. Portoilets are available next to the tennis courts.

Student Welcome Back and Code of Conduct Overview

In accordance with Jeffco Policies, students need to review the Jeffco Public Schools Code of Conduct. This handbook details Jeffco's policies, procedures, and student expectations.

Please take particular note that in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, Jeffco Public Schools developed specific health and hygiene protocols to enable us to maximize in-person learning while ensuring the safety of our students, staff, and community. If a student attends in-person learning, the failure of a student to comply with these expectations and the willful defiance to follow direction from school staff will be considered grounds for student discipline up to and including expulsion.

As a reminder, face masks are required for all staff and students. Students may not wear [neck gaiters/buffs](#), [bandanas](#), [knitted mask](#), or [masks with breathing valves](#). If your child is not wearing an approved mask, we will provide them with one. At all times that students are on campus, they should make every effort to keep at least a safe six-foot distance between themselves and others. In addition, social gatherings will not be allowed, which includes hanging out in the Commons, Gym, Library and Cafeteria.

Code of Conduct Overview Video and Review Acknowledgement

Link: <https://forms.gle/NWCgcK4dmbdggMPQ8>

Jeffco Public Schools Code of Conduct Document

Link: <https://tinyurl.com/y6hqpmqm>

Virtual Parent Meeting

We will have a virtual parent presentation on Wednesday, September 2nd from 10:00 until 11:00 a.m. To view the Google Live Stream presentation:

<https://tinyurl.com/yxofwx63>

Fall Semester Important Dates

Restart of School Dates:

Tuesday, September 8th – **Hybrid Learning Model Starts**

Wednesday, September 16th – 6:30 p.m. – **Virtual Back to School Night**

Google Stream: <https://tinyurl.com/yxcotfjd>

Friday, October 2nd – 8:00 a.m. – **Virtual Fall Awards Ceremony**

Google Stream: <https://tinyurl.com/y36sxy46>

Wednesday, October 14th – 12:30 to 6:30 p.m. – **Virtual Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences**

Contact Individual Teachers to Schedule Zoom Meeting

Link to Conifer Calendar: <https://tinyurl.com/y4eoz8wc>

Update Parent and Student Contact Information

To help parents and students navigate the start of school, please verify and update the home address and phone number(s) listed in JeffcoConnect. If you need assistance, please contact Registration Secretary Jolene Sadowski at

Jolene.Sadowski@jeffco.k12.co.us

Parking Passes

For the first semester ONLY, parking passes will be free for Junior and Seniors. When students return to school on Tuesday, September 8th, students should park in their grade level parking lots (Upper Lot = Seniors, Lower Lot = Juniors). In addition, Cohort A students should park in odd numbered parking spaces and Cohort B students need to park in even numbered parking spaces. When parking passes are distributed, students will be assigned parking spaces according to their Cohort.

DECA

DECA is on! We will compete virtually during the first semester. DECA is a student-led organization for Marketing Students which prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality and management

in high schools and colleges around the globe. It is a Co-Curricular program, meaning DECA is an integral part of what we do in our Business and Marketing classes at Conifer High School. 9th graders can join our JV DECA program without taking a marketing class, but 10th, 11th and 12th graders must be in a class to participate. Students who are interested in more information or joining should check this out <https://tinyurl.com/y3h8n9mu> and sign up here <https://tinyurl.com/yae349k5>

Transportation

The Jeffco Public Schools Transportation office has informed us that they are unable to provide transportation for students living outside Jefferson County or were part of a previously provided transportation arrangement. This includes families living in Park County, Clear Creek County, and Indian Hills.

Restart Plan

Please click on this [link](#) to review the restart plan, specifically under the section. **HEALTH & SAFETY**

Visitors

Visitors are not allowed into the building without a prearranged appointment.

Main Office: **303-982-5255**

Counseling Office: **303-982-5249**

Pre-Arranged Doctor Appointments

Parents scheduling a pre-arranged doctor appointment, should keep their child home the day of the appointment. Please call the attendance line at **303-982-5240** to excuse your child.

In Sports...

Thursday, September 3rd

Boys Tennis will host Bear Creek High School starting at **3:30 p.m.** for the **Game of the Week!**

Friday, September 4th

Boys Golf will travel to Indian Tree Golf Course for their tee off at **8:00 a.m.**

Cross Country will travel to Evergreen High School's Invitational at Dedisse Park at **4:00 p.m.**

Saturday, September 5th

Cross Country will participate for a second day in Evergreen High School's Invitational at Dedisse Park at **8:00 a.m.**