

Dear Hatfield families,

With students set to virtually resume instruction on Monday, Aug. 31, it is essential for them to have an opportunity to meet their new teacher(s) for the 2020-21 school year. It is also imperative for our new families and Kindergarteners to learn more about our building. With this in mind, we have planned an orientation and family welcome for all of our Hawks on Wednesday, Aug. 26.

We are asking each parent/guardian to log in alongside their child(ren) in accordance with the schedule pasted at the bottom of this outreach. For K-4, each class will be approximately divided into thirds. Grades 5 and 6 will be organized by homeroom. There will be three sections planned, each lasting 30 minutes (9:30-10:00 a.m., 10:00-10:30 a.m., and 10:30-11:00 a.m.). Please be mindful to only attend your respective time slot. We attempted to alphabetically stagger some times to accommodate siblings logging in, but there still might be some crossover. In such cases, we strongly encourage you to attend the youngest child's session, especially for our incoming Kindergarteners.

On Monday, Aug. 24, families will be able to view their assigned teacher in our new Learning Management System, Canvas, for the upcoming school year. Students will be able to connect to Canvas within the North Penn Desktop. Directions will be provided from our technology department via e-mail. Training will be provided to families in advance of the school year. All-day access to NPSD technology staff is available by contacting [npfamilytech@npenn.org](mailto:npfamilytech@npenn.org). Information about device pick-up and/or exchange can be found here: [NP Digital Age](#). As usual, families can expect to pay an annual technology fee of \$20 per child (not to exceed \$80) for the upcoming year.

To access each grade level's schedule for virtual learning at Hatfield, click here: [Hatfield Virtual Schedule for Families](#). Know that these daily minutes represent a framework and are flexible for teachers, as each lesson might require modifications to synchronous/asynchronous settings, in addition to whole-group versus small-group approaches. It is important that students are logged online and punctual for each content area's live instruction on a daily basis. If your family's schedule requires viewing recorded videos at a later time on a given day, please be sure to communicate such to your teacher. Together, we will prioritize getting to know new students, while building relationships, establishing norms, navigating technology, etc.

Furthermore, know that the district revised the 2020-21 calendar last night. The first two days of school (Monday, Aug. 31 and Tuesday, Sept. 1) are now designated for Early Dismissal. Please plan on 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. on these days. For the most recent version of this document, please click here: [2020-21 NPSD Calendar](#). These changes will be posted to the district website soon.

Additionally, Hatfield is a school-wide Title I building, meaning families may qualify for free-or-reduced lunch. It also designates us for additional funding to support our students' academic, social, and emotional development. Whether or not you believe that you may qualify, each family should complete the online application here: [School Nutrition Services](#). Be sure to click the link for the School Cafe App to apply. In the meantime, as we enter September, meals will still be provided to students with Hatfield servicing as a pick-up site.

Next, for those who are able, please consider supporting the district's annual school supply drive by visiting here: [North Penn Education Foundation Initiative](#).

Lastly, as per the district curriculum team, please reference below:

"We hope you had a relaxing summer despite the unusual circumstances! It is hard to believe how quickly the summer months flew by, but we are excited to welcome your students back, virtually, on August 31st! Please know that you can find any needed school supplies on your school's web page. However, textbooks

and/or resources distribution will not take place until mid-September. Please stay tuned for a date and plan which will be sent in the near future.

The first few weeks of school are always spent building relationships, creating classroom community, setting expectations, and reviewing previously taught concepts. We will also be familiarizing our students with Canvas and supporting their social and emotional learning which is needed more than ever.” Students will continue to use Think Central to access online textbooks.

Keep soaring above and beyond,

Mr. Wes Heinel

Principal

<b>Kindergarten</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Bishop (student last name A-Ge)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Bishop (student last name Gf-K)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Bishop (student last name L-Z)</a>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Heleniak (student last name A-H)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Heleniak (student last name I-P)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Heleniak (student last name Q-Z)</a>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Trabbold (student last name A-F)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Trabbold (student last name G-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Trabbold (student last name N-Z)</a>
<b>1st Grade</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
	<a href="#">Miss Elliott (student last name O-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Miss Elliott (student last name A-J)</a>	<a href="#">Miss Elliott (student last name K-N)</a>
	<a href="#">Miss Gramlich (student last name Sb-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Miss Gramlich (student last name A-K)</a>	<a href="#">Miss Gramlich (student last name L-Sa)</a>
	<a href="#">Miss Reitz (student last name N-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Miss Reitz (student last name A-G)</a>	<a href="#">Miss Reitz (student last name H-M)</a>
<b>2nd Grade</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Harvey (student last name I-Pa)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Harvey (student last name Pb-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Harvey (student last name A-H)</a>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Honeyman (student last name H-Re)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Honeyman (student last name Rf-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Honeyman (student last name A-G)</a>

	<a href="#">Mrs. Johnson (student last name F-Ra)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Johnson (student last name Rb-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Johnson (student last name A-E)</a>
<b>3rd Grade</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Barnum (student last name A-H)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Barnum (student last name I-P)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Barnum (student last name Q-Z)</a>
	<a href="#">Mr. Landy (student last name A-D)</a>	<a href="#">Mr. Landy (student last name E-P)</a>	<a href="#">Mr. Landy (student last name Q-Z)</a>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Pope (student last name A-K)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Pope (student last name L-R)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Pope (student last name S-Z)</a>
<b>4th Grade</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Jarvis (student last name H-P)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Jarvis (student last name A-H)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Jarvis (student last name I-Q)</a>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Landy with Ms. Ruth (student last name Q-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Landy with Ms. Ruth (student last name A-I)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Landy with Ms. Ruth (student last name J-P)</a>
	<a href="#">Mr. Ricci (student last name Q-Z)</a>	<a href="#">Mr. Ricci (student last name A-H)</a>	<a href="#">Mr. Ricci (student last name I-P)</a>
<b>5th Grade</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
	<a href="#">Mrs. Bennett (Mrs. Bennett's homeroom)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Bennett (Mr. Malizia's homeroom)</a>	<a href="#">Mrs. Bennett (Mr. Scullin's homeroom)</a>