

Call for August 19, 2021 - In-person Cohort

Good evening Smyrna High School families. This is Stacy Cook, principal of Smyrna High School. Your student is scheduled to attend classes **in-person** for the 2021-22 school year. Students in grades 9 and 10 will begin attending on Wednesday, September 8th. Students in grades 11 and 12 will begin attending on Thursday, September 9th.

All of our students will be given a Chromebook this year to use for school. Details about this 1:1 initiative can be found in the digital student packet found on the Smyrna High School website (<https://www.smyrna.k12.de.us/Page/734>) If your student has not yet picked up their Chromebook, please be sure to do so prior to the first day of school. The Chromebooks can be picked up Monday-Friday from 8:00 - 4:00 starting the week of August 23rd. Please review the information in the digital student packet prior to coming to get the Chromebook so that you can be prepared with the necessary documents.

If you have not done so already, please take the time to review my “Welcome Letter” that is attached to the email you received from me tonight. This email contains important information for your student. Please use the link to the [Google form](#) to confirm you and your student have reviewed the pertinent information to start the school year. Also, if your student is an eligible driver and interested in purchasing a parking permit for the school year, please have him/her come into the main office to take care of this prior to the start of school. More details on the requirements for this permit can also be found in the digital student packet referenced earlier.

Once we start the school year, please be sure that your student completes a health assessment each day prior to attending school. If he/she exhibits any signs of illness they should remain at home until the cause of the symptoms can be determined. All students and staff are expected to wear a mask that fully covers the nose and mouth each day in an effort to maximize the health and safety of everyone in the building.

In closing, please be sure to check your email and our social media often throughout the school year. These are primary means of communication for school-related information. The script of today’s call will be posted on the SHS website under “Smyrna High School News”. If you have any questions please feel free to call our main office at 302-653-8581. Thank you for your attention this evening. Take care!