



HANOVER ONLINE SCHOOL

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[Online School Website](#)

Updates for the Week of 6/14/2021

Important Resources

Phone numbers, team member names, and other important information about Hanover Online School may be [found here](#).

Information for Everyone

An Important Reminder About Online School Next Year:

Next Friday, June 18, is the deadline to enroll your student in the Online School for the 2021-22 school year. Families who want this option must opt-in.

The [Online School for 2021-22 webpage](#) has more information on the Online School, including how to enroll your student. Please read all information on this page before making a final decision.

As a reminder, in-person instruction is the default enrollment option for all students. Families who want this option do not need to do anything further. Families who would like transportation service for their face-to-face student must request service by completing this opt-in form no later than Friday, July 2.

A Reminder from the Transportation Department: We plan to resume normal bus transportation next school year, including restoring normal capacity limits. However, [families who would like transportation service for their face-to-face student must request service by completing the opt-in form no later than Friday, July 2](#). This allows us to plan the most efficient routes possible while not restricting service for any families.

Calendar Items:

June 14 and 15 - Early Closing for Middle and High

June 16 and 17 - Early Closing for Elementary, Middle, and High

*Please see below for secondary exam information.

*[Here's the link to the HCPS school calendar](#).

Chromebook Collection: Information about Chromebook collection can be found [here](#).

Please keep in mind:

- Seniors who are finished with exams/classes may begin dropping off their Chromebooks at the Attronica Depot immediately. (Directions and times are included in the link.)
- Online students should not drop off their Chromebooks at their home schools.

It's Time for Kindergarten! Kindergarten registration is right around the corner. Hanover County Public Schools is now accepting kindergarten registrations for the 2021-2022 school year.

Children must be five years old on or before September 30, 2021, to be eligible. Parents and guardians may locate the school their child will attend at <http://bit.ly/AttendanceZone>.

Please follow the steps outlined [on the Student Enrollment webpage](#) to register your child for kindergarten.

Please note that registration will not be considered complete until the in-person appointment takes place and the school registrar receives all necessary documentation required, including, but not limited to, a photo ID, an original birth certificate, and proof of residency.

Information for the Elementary OWLs

End of Year Events for Elementary Students:

- **5th Grade Recognitions:**
 - **OWL EVENTS - All of our events are virtual and for students.**
 - On **Thursday, June 17th**, 5th grade teachers will show a promotion video for students on Zoom at 8:30AM. They will then continue additional awards presentations during class.
 - **HOME SCHOOL EVENTS**
 - Some home schools are also doing other activities such as drive through events; OWL students are invited to participate in all activities that occur outside of the school day. For questions related to home school events, please check the information posted on [home school event pages](#) or reach out to your home school directly.
- **Award Certificates:** Award certificates will be pushed into each student's Google Drive. Please check your child's "Shared with Me" folder on Thursday morning, 6/17, to view certificates. Certificates will be given at the Elementary level for the following:
 - **K-5:** Perfect Attendance (attended every day, no more than 3 tardies)
 - **K-5:** Outstanding Attendance (missed no more than 3 days, no more than 5 tardies)
 - **3-5:** Academic Awards - Principal list (all A's), Scholar List (all A's and B's), Honor List (B average, no more than 1 C)
 - **5th:** Elementary completion certificate
- **June 17th - LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!** We will be having a virtual school-wide celebration at 11:00. The entire elementary OWL school will be joining a Zoom link, to say "goodbye" to this school year and "hello" to summer! Each classroom teacher will be structuring the morning end of year celebrations up until 11:00. Please reach out to your child's classroom teacher if you have any questions about what the morning will look like.

Here's information about the Zoom link for the celebration:

- Please click the link below to join the webinar: <https://hcps-us.zoom.us/j/87981871474>
- Or iPhone one-tap : US: +19294362866,,87981871474# or +13017158592,,87981871474#

- Or Telephone: Dial(for higher quality, dial a number based on your current location):
- US: +1 929 436 2866 or +1 301 715 8592 or +1 312 626 6799 or +1 669 900 6833 or +1 253 215 8782 or +1 346 248 7799
- Webinar ID: 879 8187 1474
- International numbers available: <https://hcps-us.zoom.us/j/kjNeb7xd4>

Information for the Middle School OWLs

END of the YEAR CELEBRATIONS - We enjoyed celebrating each grade level this past week. We're so proud of our OWL students and wish them all the best in future years! If you missed the assemblies, they are linked below.

[6th grade Assembly](#)

[7th Grade Assembly](#)

[8th Grade Assembly](#)

8th grade SPECIAL MESSAGES: 8th graders please check here for information on 8th grade activities at both OWL and at your home school. (Pickup days and times are also included here for yearbooks, T-shirts, and other school specific items)

Home Middle School Newsletters: Keep in the loop with activities from your home school by reviewing their respective weekly newsletter! Students can see updates from their school on their Schoology page. Be sure to check these frequently to stay up to date on activities, events, and important dates from your home schools!

- [Bell Creek Middle School](#)
- [Chickahominy Middle School](#)
- [Liberty Middle School](#)
- [Oak Knoll Middle School](#)
- [OWL Middle School](#)

2020-2021 Yearbooks: Use this [LINK](#) to learn more information from each middle school on purchasing and submitting photos to the yearbook. (PICK UP TIMES ARE STARTING TO BE LISTED)

Final Exam Information.

- Details about final exams/end of year assessments [can be found here](#).
- [The exam daily schedule, with times, can be found here.](#) *Please note that middle and high school schedules are different for online school, and each day is an early release day ending at 1:45pm.*
- Students are expected to attend their PE Zoom during their ELA Extension Block time only.
- Students are expected to attend their ACE Zoom during their scheduled block, although there is no exam.

Required Vaccinations - Rising 7th graders: New immunization guidelines from Hanover County Public Schools and the Virginia Department of Health. The vaccine requirements will be mandatory at the start of the 2021-2022 school year for all rising 7th grade students, face-to-face and virtual. Please note that you are required to provide documentation of your child's immunizations to your school nurse or front office staff.

1. A booster dose of the Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis (Tdap) vaccine

2. First dose of the meningococcal conjugate vaccine (MenACWY)

Optional: You may also wish to discuss the HPV vaccine with your child's healthcare provider as well.

Information for the High School OWLs

Academic Awards. We are pleased to announce our academic awards for the 2020-2021 school year. Recipients can be viewed on this [slide show](#).

Final Exam Information. Details about final exams which will be given in June can be found on this [document](#). The exam bell schedule can be found [here](#).

Instagram: Be sure to follow our [HCOHS Instagram](#)! Students and families can find information about upcoming school events and see highlights from various classes!

Home High School Newsletters: Keep in the loop with activities from your home school by reviewing their respective weekly newsletter! Additionally, students can see updates from their school on their Schoology page. Be sure to check these frequently to stay up to date on activities, events, and important dates from your home schools!

- [Atlee High School](#)
- [Hanover High School](#)
- Mechanicsville High School
- [Patrick Henry High School](#)



Home/Zoned School and Community Connections

Community Events:

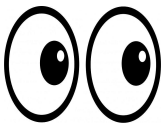
[Randolph-Macon Summer Basketball Camp](#)

[Ashland Strawberry Faire](#)

[Montpelier Center Summer Camps](#)

[R-MC Basketball Summer League Flyer](#)

[Atlee Youth Football Camp Brochure](#)



[Mechanicsville Youth Cheer Camp](#)

[RMC Girls' Basketball Camp](#)

Remember to make sure you are signed up to receive email messages from both Online School as well as your home/zoned school. Email subscriptions can be managed [here](#).

Please use [this page](#) to access information about **Elementary** Home/Zoned School events. If you have questions about any of these events, please reach out to the elementary school.

Secondary students can see updates from their schools in their Schoology courses and in the home/zoned school newsletters (please see sections above). Please make sure to check these frequently to stay up to date on activities, events, and important dates from your home/zoned schools.

Make sure to also check out **social media** from each school (Facebook, Twitter).

Check out **each school's website**. On most you'll even be able to see recent FB and/or Twitter posts. You can find links to each one from the [HCPS website](#).

