

Southside Middle School 2020-2021 Orientation Reference Guide

Required Supplies

- backpack
- pencils
- 1 large pink eraser
- blue/black pens
- manual pencil sharpener
- 2 different color highlighters
- 1 pack of colored pencils
- loose-leaf lined notebook paper
- 4 two-pocket folders with prongs
- 1 pair of earbuds



Optional Supplies

- plastic or stainless steel waterbottle (filled; no refills)
- hand sanitizer for personal use

School Hours
Regular Day: 9:30-4:15
Early Release: 9:30-2:30
Morning Enrichment: 7:00-9:10
Gates Open: 9:10
Early pick up ends 45 min. before the end of school.



Arrival Procedures

- **NO drop-off before 9:10**, except for morning enrichment
- Gates will open at 9:10 for all walkers, bikers, & car riders.
- Temperatures will be taken prior to entry; 100.4° and higher will not be allowed on campus.
- Bus riders' temperatures will be checked upon arrival; 100.4° & higher will call home for parent pickup.
- After temp check, all students will report directly to 1st/5th period.
- Breakfast will be served in the classroom; free to all students.

First Day of School
6th & 7th Grade
August 20, 2020

First Day of School
8th Grade
August 21, 2020

HYBRID SCHEDULE*					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
6					
7					
8					

= learn from school = learn from home *until 9/14 or otherwise announced

BREAKFAST & LUNCH
 served
FREE
 to all students.

Register to ride
 the bus via
FOCUS
 parent portal

Bus Information
904-858-6200
bit.ly/DCPSTransportation

**WEAR A
 FACE MASK
 OR OTHER
 COVERING**

**SCHEDULES
 WILL BE
 AVAILABLE
 ON FOCUS**

**Review the code
 of conduct
 @
duvalschools.org**

Dismissal Procedures

Students will be dismissed in waves via the intercom as follows:

Wave 1: All walkers, bikers, and car riders exit out the front gate.

Wave 2: All after school activities report to the cafeteria.

Wave 3: Bus riders with a connector report to the Gym Bus Loop.

Wave 4: All other buses will be called by number; students will report to the Knights Lane Bus Loop.

Students must **ONLY** leave class when their wave is called. All students in the hall during any wave will exit with those students.

NO EXCEPTIONS!

Uniform Requirements

IDs MUST BE WORN

Tops: goldenrod or black Polo-style (collared) shirts

Bottoms: khaki or black pants, shorts, or skirt

Footwear: no open-toe or backless shoes, no slippers

Outerwear: mostly black hoodie/jacket unless school issued

SMS Spiritwear allowed on Fridays

Logo attire available for purchase @ g6promostore.com

Stay Connected

FOCUS: set up your parent portal at duvalschools.org/focus

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