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## **Student Registration Information for Greenfield-Central High School Students**

June 10, 2019/July 8, 2019

Dear GCHS Parent,

Greenfield-Central Faculty and Staff are gearing up for a unique year! We are all ready to face the challenges that arise and want an educational and safe year for everyone. Please take the time to read this letter carefully as there are several important items that will help ensure a smooth start to the new school year for all of us!

The first day of school will be **Thursday**, **July 30**. Please continue to check your email and the GCCSC Corporation website for current information on our re-entry plan.

GCHS Main Offices will open July 14 at 8 a.m.

### Registration:

Students will be assigned an iPad this year as we continue Digital Learning. Online Registration will open in PowerSchool by noon, Thursday, July 16, and this process must be done prior to the first day of school, July 30. UPON LOGGING IN TO THE POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL FOR REGISTRATION, PARENTS MAY BE PROMPTED TO CHANGE THEIR PASSWORD. It is important that you carefully check all areas of Online Registration to ensure your information is current for school use. If you are unable to register prior to your iPad distribution date, parents may register at the beginning of the distribution process at GCHS in the Cougar Cafe. Locker and locker combination information is available in PowerSchool in the same window as your schedule.

### Student iPad Distribution:

Incoming freshmen and all new students will receive their iPad during their first block class July 30.

#### Information from the Counseling Office -- Naviance Student

The Greenfield-Central High School Counseling Office is happy to announce that GCHS families will continue working with the Naviance Student program through Naviance during the 2020-21 school year. Naviance Student provides students and their families one place to go for all of their college and career planning, application and transcript processes, as well as scholarship information. We use it exclusively to track college applications for our seniors. It also allows us to target and message specific sets of students who may be eligible for specific programs and scholarships based on their interests and applications. All students and families will love how easy it is for our students to take career interest and learning style assessments, as well as how to explore different colleges and career paths based on those results. Please visit <a href="https://www.naviance.com/solutions/parents-students">https://www.naviance.com/solutions/parents-students</a>. Also, it is very important that families have current emails in PowerSchool so the Naviance Student database is updated correctly and we can pull a family's correct email for our email blasts.

Students (and parents) should join their class's Google Classroom managed by the Counseling Office. We post all important information for students in these classrooms. The join codes for each grade level are listed below: Class of 2024 - kpfe2pz/Class of 2023 - rvyras5/Class of 2022 - 7ztrsao/Class of 2021 - 3ggxvtt



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### **Important Items of Note:**

#### **Class Selection Information:**

Schedules will be official July 30, the first day of school. School counselors will still make adjustments as needed to schedules until the first day of school. Schedule changes will only be made if there was a mistake or if graduation requirements are affected. Please contact the Counseling Office at <a href="mailto:jajones@gcsc.k12.in.us">jajones@gcsc.k12.in.us</a> if this is the case. Please provide detailed information about your concerns.

### **Medical Information:**

Students with medical conditions that require special medical attention must have an *Emergency Care Plan* on file with the school health assistant. Students requiring medication at school must have the proper paperwork on file along with the medication. These forms can be found at <a href="http://gchs.gcsc.k12.in.us/?page\_id=11635">http://gchs.gcsc.k12.in.us/?page\_id=11635</a>.

#### **Course Fees Information:**

Billing statements will be mailed home after **August 26** due to scheduling changes after the beginning of school. All fees must be paid no later than **September 30.** Fees can be paid with cash, check, money order or by credit card using EZSchooPay.com Payments may be mailed or dropped off at the high school. **Do not check the box in Power School to receive Balance Notifications - this is not an accurate reflection of your account.** 

#### **ECA/Athletic Participation Forms Online**

GCHS uses an online forum for registering your student to participate in athletics/extra-curricular activities. All students should visit <a href="https://greenfield-central.rankonesport.com">https://greenfield-central.rankonesport.com</a> to access the required forms.

You will need your student ID Number in order to complete the form. There are four forms listed on the website (you will only need to complete one form based on your student's school/activity level):

- 1. Greenfield Central High School Online Signature Form (High School athletes)
- 2. Greenfield Central Junior High School Online Signature Form (Junior High School athletes)
- 3. Greenfield Central Junior High School ECA/Clubs Online Signature From (Junior High ECA/Clubs)
- 4. Greenfield-Central High School ECA Online Signature Form (for those not in athletics but involved in Band or any other Extra-Curricular Activity, as well as those planning to park on school grounds)

Please complete the correct form for your student's activity. If you compete in Athletics, you will need to complete the Athletic Form; if you participate in ECAs or plan to park on school grounds, you will need to complete the ECA form. Once you've completed the form, you will receive an email confirming the form has been received and accepted. You do not need to contact the office for confirmation.



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#### **Miscellaneous Information**

- 1. **High School Fees** are available on the GCCSC Website.
- 2. **Student Pictures** will be taken in English classes **Wednesday, August 12 and Thursday, August 13.** Packets will be distributed to all underclassmen after school begins.
- 3. **Yearbooks** covering the 2019-2020 school year will be available after school starts. Please listen to announcements for distribution information.
- 4. **Meet the Teacher Night** will be **Wednesday, August 12, 6-8 p.m.** at Greenfield-Central High School. Please plan to attend and meet your student's teachers.
- 5. Homecoming Week will be the week of September 7-11. We will play Pendleton Heights Friday evening.
- 6. **Physicals.** Students enrolled in Strength and Fitness, who do not have a physical on file from the 2019-2020 school year, will be required to have one on file for the 2020-2021 school year.
- 7. **Student Athletes** must have a completed pre-participation physical and completed online signature page through RankOne on file in the Athletic Office to be able to condition/try out for a sport. Physical forms are available on the Athletic Webpage under the More Tab, under Required Athletic Paperwork. Physicals forms and RankOne information are active fr
- 8. Class of 2022 and ISTEP Scores Due to schools being closed during the COVID-19 pandemic, ISTEP+ First Time Administration, given to Grade 10 students in 2020, was canceled during the delivery of both parts of the assessment. Scores for the Class of 2022 will be reported as UND or Undetermined so that it will show that students attempted the test in the spring of their sophomore year. This attempt will fulfill requirements listed in the Graduation Waiver. Guidance regarding retest opportunities/requirements for Graduation for the Class of 2022 will be shared once local policy decisions are finalized. Please feel free to reach out to your sophomore's counselor should you have questions.

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this information. We are constantly looking to improve our process. Please do not hesitate to contact the school should you need assistance.

Sincerely,

Jason Cary Principal

Greenfield-Central High School

PLEASE TURN OVER FOR ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION MATERIALS AVAILABLE ONLINE



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Information to Ensure Your Student is Properly Registered at Greenfield-Central High School Log onto PowerSchool (https://powerschool.gcsc.k12.in.us).

UPON LOGGING IN TO THE POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL FOR REGISTRATION, PARENTS MAY BE PROMPTED TO CHANGE THEIR PASSWORD.

- If your student has been previously enrolled in a Greenfield-Central Corporation school, you will use the same login and password information created in previous years. Do not use your student's login information. There are two separate portals.
- If you have forgotten your login/password information, please follow the steps on the PowerSchool login page by clicking "Forgot Username or Password?"
- If your student is new to Greenfield-Central Schools, you will be given your login info during the Registration/Enrollment Process.

Once you have logged in to PowerSchool, you will be required to complete the following pages, even if there are no changes. It is important that information is current so that you receive school information throughout the year.

- Student Demographics
- Student Medical
- Alert Now
- Medical/Transportation
- Emergency Dismissal/Info Release/Book Rental

Items that should be accessed under the REGISTRATION tab at <a href="http://gchs.gcsc.k12.in.us">http://gchs.gcsc.k12.in.us</a>
Some items may not be available until July.

#### **General Information**

- iPad Insurance Information
- 2020-2021 GC Balanced Calendar
- 2020-2021 Blue/Gold Calendar
- 2020-2021 Grading Periods, Grading Scale and Daily Schedule
- Random Drug Testing Information and Procedures
- Student Parking Information and Form 2020-2021 -- Parking permits will be sold once the school year begins

### **Athletic Information**

- Season Ticket and Pass Prices 2020-2021
- Booster Club Membership Application 2020-2021
- 2020-2021 GCHS Athletic Opportunities
- Concussion Fact Sheet 2 pages

#### **Medical Information**

- Over the Counter Medication Form 5330 F1b 2019-2020 should be printed, completed and turned in with the medication
- Grades 7-12 Self Carry OTC Medication Form 5330 F1c 2019-2020 should be printed, completed and turned in
- Prescription Medication Form 5330 F1 2018-2019 should be printed, completed and turned in
- Emergency Care Plan (ECP) an ECP should be completed for any student with asthma, severe allergies, seizures, or other serious medical conditions. Contact Dawn Hanson, corporation nurse, at 477-4601 with questions.



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