



September 4, 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We have some more information to pass along before next week's orientations begin.

The MyMedBot app does not differentiate by grade level, so screening notifications will go out Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday next week, even though students will attend orientation only on one of those days. Please complete the screening only for the day your child/children are scheduled to come to school. Because several all-remote students do plan to attend their orientations, they will be included in next week's screenings. Here is a reminder of which grades will attend on which days.

Tuesday, Sept. 8: 12th grade

Wednesday, Sept. 9: 11th grade

Thursday, Sept. 10: 10th grade

Friday, Sept. 11: 9th grade

Back-to-school paperwork was due to the office by Aug. 28. There are missing forms for about HALF of our students. These **MUST** be turned in before your child comes to school.

- emergency forms
- health history and update (incl. allergy and asthma action papers)
- annual confidential survey
- computer forms (Students will be issued a computer on the first day, but the laptops cannot be taken home until the forms have been completed and submitted.)
- enrollment agreement
- lunch permission to charge form

The outer door to the front office vestibule will be unlocked at all times. Paperwork can be put in the drop-off bin at any time, any day of the week.

Classroom changes: If your child is a returning student, please let them know that some teachers have changed classrooms to accommodate larger group sizes. Erin McCormick is now in the classroom formerly used by Spanish teacher Nancy Buckingham in the McIntyre Building. Jenn Hathaway Jackson is in Ms. McCormick's former classroom. David Stearns is now in the classroom formerly occupied by Jaime Torre upstairs in the Academy Building, and Mr. Torre's classes are now held in Mr. Stearns' former classroom near the gym.

Remember, all our recent parent communications are on our Back to School page. We realize that there are more than usual, but with all the changes to the way we do things at GSA, they are important. If you have recently changed your email and didn't receive any of them, you can read them here: <https://www.georgestevensacademy.org/backtoschool>.

Respectfully,

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