

# Napoleon Community Schools

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Hello Pirate Families,

School will officially start with a half day on **Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> in all buildings**. We are so excited to welcome our students back to the district! While many questions remain unanswered there are a few things we wanted to share with our families. Information from local health officials, guidelines and/ or any state or federal mandates may impact district decisions in the upcoming days. Below are several key points regarding the start of the year. ***ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS EXPECTED TO BE AVAILABLE FOR RELEASE EARLY NEXT WEEK.***

- At this time Napoleon Community Schools is prepared to start the school-year as **mask-optional in all school buildings at all grade levels**.
- **Any individuals riding on the bus will be required to wear a mask** per federal regulations related to public transportation.
- Napoleon Community Schools **will offer a virtual learning option for all grades K-12**. These are NOT the same programs implemented during 20/21 pandemic learning. In most cases we will require a family to commit to virtual enrollment for an entire marking period (or one half of a semester). Questions or interested in enrolling your Pirate into virtual learning? Please contact your building principal.

It is with PIRATE PRIDE that I look forward to this upcoming year. Pride in our amazing community, pride in our hard-working staff and pride in the resilient students who rose to every challenge over the past year. We will remain focused on safety, well-being and the educational success of our students as we continue to implement plans for the upcoming school year.

We appreciate your patience and support,



James E. Graham, Superintendent  
Napoleon Community Schools