



## **SMS Sunday Message: August 30**



**Good evening, Spartan Family! This is Matthew A. Mason, proud principal of Sandusky Middle School, and here is the Sunday Message for today, August 30. This message has been forwarded to our SMS family via email, and will also be available on our website under the Sunday Messages tab.**

- If your child is in third through sixth grade and has not received their LCS-issued Chromebook yet, please contact the LCS Help Desk at 515-5090 to arrange for a time to come and pick it up at one of our distribution sites.
- Student attendance will be monitored in multiple ways in the remote setting. Students should log in to their Homeroom Google Classroom each day between 8:30 - 9 am to answer a “Question of the Day”. Answering this question will provide documentation that the student has had “contact” with the school. This can also be done at any other time of the day, but helps us keep early records if done between 8:30-9 am. If a student is not able to enter their Homeroom Google Classroom, they should still complete assignments for the day and interact with their teachers either via Zoom if applicable. Our school attendance team will be in constant contact with SMS staff to monitor students attendance in different Google Classrooms.
- Breakfast, lunch, supper and snack will be available curbside at the five secondary schools--which include E. C. Glass and Heritage high schools, and Dunbar, Linkhorne, and Sandusky middle schools--Monday through Friday (no holidays) from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Bus deliveries will be made between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Monday through Friday (no holidays). At the time that they receive their meals, students will be asked to identify the school at which they are enrolled. Parents or guardians may pick-up meals on behalf of their LCS student(s). If an adult is picking up

meals, he or she will be asked to identify the student(s) and the school(s) they attend. If families have questions regarding the school meal program during remote learning, they should contact the School Nutrition Office at (434) 515-5060.

- To our 7th grade students and parents, September 10 is the deadline for providing our school nurse, Nurse Langlois, your Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis Vaccine (TDAP) records. This documentation can be emailed, faxed, or can be brought to our main office. If brought in person, you must have a face covering. Families who have not turned in this documentation will begin receiving calls this Monday, August 31. This is a requirement of all students. Thank you.
- Curbside pickup for library books and Makerspace materials will begin in September. For more information, please check our Learning Center website or contact Mrs. Guca or Mrs. Cartolaro, our media specialist team, at 434-515-5350.
- If you purchased a yearbook last year, guess what? They're here!!!! Please call the school at 434-515-5350 to set up a time to pick up your yearbook between 8 am and 3 pm. We will meet you in the bus loop to hand over. Also, if you would like to purchase a yearbook, you can still do so using MySchoolBucks. Please contact us if you would like to do so.

**Please check today's email, our Twitter account (@Spartans\_SMS), our Facebook page and our website for more important information on school events. Again, this is Matthew A. Mason, and SMS is pleased to serve our community!**