



Pico Canyon Elementary
A 2019 National Blue Ribbon School
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August 10th, 20220

Good Morning Pico Canyon Huskies and Families Too,

This week is a big week for all of us. The 2020-2021 academic year officially begins!
Here are some reminders:

Log into [AERIES Parent Portal](#). Please go through the DATA CONFIRMATION PROCESS, in the yellow bar at the top of the opening screen. NEW ITEMS have just been added, so it is important to revisit this section again. Direction for AEREIS Portal are in the [August 4th Welcome Letter](#) that was sent via Blackboard Messages.

- Find your child's Google User name.
- Notice the spot where you will find your child's teacher **on Tuesday afternoon.**
- *100% Digital Learning (DLA) Families: Your school site will continue to show as PICO Canyon, due to the DLA being overseen by the Assistant Principal at Pico Canyon, unless you have been placed in Digital Learning Academy 2 or 3 for the duration of the school year. Pico Canyon is still your home school.*

Tomorrow, August 11th, devices will be ready for pick up. Below is the schedule:

- Grades 5 & 6 8:30 - 9:30 AM
- Grades 3 & 4 9:30 - 10:30 AM
- Grades 1 & 2 10:30 - 11:30 AM
- Grade K 11:30 - 12:00 PM

Please bring your checkout form sent home on August 5th. Please park and walk to the library door. There will be two lines at the library with marked tape for social distancing purposes. Please wear a mask and consider leaving students at home if this is possible. **If you have more than one child, please come at your oldest student's time slot.**

Log into your child's NSD Google Account

- On a Chromebook, log into the computer using your child's NSD account.
- On a traditional computer, open your internet browser and navigate to GOOGLE. In the upper right, click to sign-in using your child's NSD account.



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Open Google Mail and Prepare for Google Classroom

- Once you are logged into Google with your child's NSD account, click on the 9 square "waffle" in the upper right. This gives you a menu of Google items.
- Open GMAIL, and see what messages are in your child's account. Delete old messages from last year.
- On Tuesday there will be an email inviting your child to their Google Classroom.
- View the NSD How to video for support: [Accessing and Navigating Google Classroom](#).
- Remember, you will need to access Google Classroom for Back to School Night.

Upcoming Information:

- **Class Assignments will be available on Tuesday, August 11th, after 1pm in the AEREIS Parent Portal.**
- On Tuesday, August 11th, all students will have an email in their NSD Google account inviting them to join their teachers Google Classroom. **This is how parents will access Back to School Night.**
- **By Wednesday afternoon an email communication will come out with directions for Back to School Night procedures.**
- Students will start LIVE in Google Classroom on Thursday, August 13, 2020. Students must participate in live interaction with their teacher to be counted for attendance.
- **Student learning supplies for Hybrid students:** We will have student learning supplies available for pick-up on Monday, August 17th, between 8:30am and 12:00pm. It will be a **drive through** in the following order: **(Again, if you have multiple children, please come to the pick-up time for your oldest student attending)**
 - 8:30-9:30: Grades 5 and 6
 - 9:30 to 10:30: Grades 3 and 4
 - 10:30-11:30: Grades 1 and 2
 - 11:30-12:00: Kindergarten
- **Student learning supplies for Digital Learning Academy Students:** We will have student learning supplies available for pick-up on Tuesday, August 18th, between 8:30am and 12:00pm. It will be a drive through in the following order:
 - 8:30-9:30: Grades 5 and 6
 - 9:30 to 10:30: Grades 3 and 4



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Thank you for your support and participation as we launch our new school year!

In Husky Pride,

Mrs. Rainville



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