

Alfred-Almond Central School District

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Secondary Families,

We at Alfred-Almond thank you for your continued support of both us and your students as we all navigate these uncharted waters. It is hard to believe that we are already in our second week of the second marking period. The resilience, growth and flexibility our students, faculty and staff have shown has been impressive. Here are a few updates and reminders:

- 1. November 24th, all students (both Blue and Gold) will remotely attend classes. <u>CTE/New Visions students will physically attend their GST BOCES classes as long as we are not in a COVID remote setting</u>, but will attend their AACS classes remotely.
- 2. Just as we ask students to improve and learn, so are we. After receiving feedback from students and families, as well as our faculty and staff, and doing a dry run on Nov. 10th, we will begin four (4) days of instruction per week for all students. This will run Dec. 1st through January 22nd, at which time we will review our successes and challenges and make adjustments as needed.
 - a. During this time we will continue to follow physical distancing guidelines.
 - b. Only Blue Hybrid students will be in the building on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
 - c. Only Gold Hybrid students will be in the building on Wednesdays and Fridays.
 - d. All students will attend Tuesday through Friday whether in person or remotely.
- 3. Mondays will remain as office hours for students to receive support from instructors.
- 4. Students must still complete their attendance question by 8:45am on Mondays.
- 5. As a general reminder, students must actively participate in class zoom sessions using their own name. If there is a situation which prevents that from occurring please contact the front office so we can work with individual circumstances.
- 6. Students must log into their aacsapps account through Chrome regardless of the device they are using. If using a personal home computer rather than their AACS issued Chrome book, students must log in and sync Chrome on their home computers.
- 7. Unless physically in the building, students will not need to check into their lunch period or regular study halls.
- 8. Students scheduled for AIS and/or Guided Study Halls must attend those sessions every day.
- 9. Band and Chorus will meet using the following schedule:

Tuesdays/Wednesdays	Blue & Gold Senior High Band	Blue & GoldJunior High Chorus
Thursdays/Friday	Blue & Gold Junior High Band	Blue & Gold Senior High Chorus

Thank you for all you are doing to support your students and encouraging them as we partner together in their education. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Best,
Melissa Rivers
Dr. Rivers
Secondary Principal