

Southern Regional School District COVID-19 Remote Learning Transition

December 14, 2020

Effective Wednesday, December 16, 2020 Southern Regional School District will pause all in-person instruction and transition to all remote learning for an undetermined period of time. This decision was arrived upon due the rising rate of COVID+ cases nationally, locally and on campus. This rising rate of positive cases is having an adverse impact on Southern's staffing capacity while steadily reducing Hybrid in-person attendance and increasing daily in-person absenteeism.

Southern's remote learning model will be real-time synchronous following an adjusted bell schedule which is posted below. Students will be required to log-into Google Classroom during her or his scheduled instructional periods. Teacher office hours (1:40 – 2:12) will provide students the opportunity to pursue extra-help and teacher support for that day's learning activity.

Vocational School Students

The Ocean County Vocational Schools are still offering in-person instruction. Southern's transportation will be picking those students up from their home and returning them to their homes. Mrs. Susan Craig, Southern's Vocational School Coordinator, will be looking at the vocational students' schedules to make accommodations for any schedule conflicts the below bell schedule presents.

Breakfast and Lunch Provisions

Student breakfasts and lunches will be available for pickup or delivery. Information for ordering can be found in the Green Box Notification on the homepage of the district's website.

Bell Schedule, December 16 through December 22

Staff Arrival	7:35
Prep/PD/Meetings	8:00 - 9:00
Period 1	9:00 – 9:35
Period 2	9:35 – 10:10
Period 3	10:10 – 10:45
Period 4	10:45 – 11:20
Period 5	11:20 – 11:55
Period 6	11:55 – 12:30
Period 7	12:30 – 1:05
Period 8	1:05 – 1:40
Office Hours	1:40 – 2:12

Half Day Bell Schedule, December 23

Asynchronous instruction will begin at 7:55 a.m. and end at 11:50 a.m. Teachers will provide detailed guidance to students about expectations for asynchronous instruction in advance of this day.