



Holicong Mission

Holicong Middle School will foster a climate of academic, social, and emotional learning with an emphasis on respectful, responsible, considerate, and healthy behaviors.

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 21, 2020

REST OF SEPTEMBER

- ✓ **Monday, 28** – NO SCHOOL/CBSD CLOSED (YOM KIPPUR)
- ✓ **Tuesday, 29** – Faculty Meeting
- ✓ **Wednesday, 30** – Asynchronous Learning Day (Preparations for Student Return to School)
- ✓ **October 1** – Hybrid 2 Students – Return to School In Person
- ✓ **October 5** – Hybrid 1 Students – Return to school In Person

WEEK IN REVIEW

- ✓ **[Parent Council – Recorded Live Teams Call](#)** – This was our first Parent Council and we covered several topics, including Canvas tutorials, Class Canvas pages, School Goals, Colonial Cores, Athletics, and more. Thanks again to our guest presenters Calli Pasternack, Mrs. Lovuolo, Mr. Striano, & Mr. Rittenhouse. The meeting was a long one, but we did share screens and shared a lot of information, so the fact that it is recorded allows you to fast forward and rewatch certain parts if needed.
- ✓ **CB Farmers Market Donations** – Thank you to our community for your generous donations! Pictures on the website!
- ✓ **[BTSN Welcome Video](#)** – Introduction to 2020 Back to School night with theme of our community working together as we navigate the next few weeks & months together.
- ✓ **Materials Distribution** – This went very smoothly and the best part was seeing so many of our students visit! Please know we will have all remaining bags and items outside of the H for parents to “grab and go” from 6:30 – 5:30 Friday and next week!
- ✓ **CB Anniversaries** – A “shout out” to our faculty & staff who celebrated anniversaries with the district! You know these names and feel free to give them your own recognition!
 - **20 Years: Ms. Ambrosini, Mrs. Loftus, Mrs. Radice, Mr. Glaser, Mr. Kelly Mr. Knoedler, & Mr. Willard**
 - **10 Years: Mrs. Paglione & Mr. McGullam**

ANNOUNCEMENT & UPDATES

- ✓ **Return to School** – Many of our questions from the FAQ were focused on the transition to the hybrid model. Please know we are creating videos and powerpoints to share with students, parents, and staff and will share these before October 1st. Students **WILL NOT** be using lockers once they return so our 7th grade students (and others) do not need to worry about locations and locks.
- ✓ **Resource Plan & SMART Goals** – Attached is the blank template of the Holicong SMART goal that students are completing in Resource. Students will revisit periodically. Please ask them to share and feel free to use this as a resource/adjust as needed for home use!
- ✓ **Holicong Masks for Sale** – We have ordered Holicong masks from Caldwell's in Doylestown and they will be on sale for \$6 on My Payments Plus. Note – these are a bit big, so we plan on ordering more at a smaller size for students.
- ✓ [Virtual Helpful Hints Video](#) – This video was shown to students on the first day of school to provide best practices for our students during virtual learning. A special thanks to Mrs. Davidson, Mr. Palmer, and Mr. Simon for creating this!
- ✓ [Daily Schedule & Virtual Learning Expectations](#) – This video was created by Mr. Canelli and provides overview of daily schedule & virtual learning expectations.
- ✓ [Holicong 2020-2021 Webpage](#) – Please continue to use this page as your home base for virtual learning resources.
- ✓ [Technology & Innovation Page](#) – We will keep this link in our updates for the next few weeks as our students & parents are getting accustomed to virtual learning!
- ✓ [Holicong Athletics & Family ID Registration](#) – Please see the communication sent regarding Athletics. There will be a new communication coming from the district athletic supervisor with updates regarding middle and high school sports school sports.