

Hello Dumont High School Families,

I hope this message finds you well. I know this has been a difficult time for so many of us, and I hope the start of the new school year can bring some normalcy back to all of our lives. For the start of the 2020-2021 school year, we have been working very hard with the district's Restart Committee putting together a plan to safely reopen our schools. Several options for our school day have been discussed, and we are currently looking at a hybrid model to allow for students to be in school while maintaining social distancing guidelines. To accomplish this, students will be split into two cohorts. One cohort will come to school on assigned days, while the second cohort will attend school virtually.

The cohorts will be broken down by alphabetical order based upon the student's last name. Please see chart below:

Grade	Cohort A By Last Name	Cohort B By Last Name
Grade 9/Freshmen	A to Lop	Lor to Z
Grade 10/Sophomores	A to Mana	Mang to Z
Grade 11/Juniors	A to Lic	Liz to Z
Grade 12/Seniors	A to Jac	Jaq to Z

The hybrid schedule will have Cohort A attending school on Monday and Tuesday of each week. Cohort B will attend school virtually on those days. **All students will attend school virtually on Wednesdays.** Cohort B will attend school in person on Thursday and Friday, while Cohort A attends school virtually.

For our bell/instructional schedule, we have decided the best option for our students and staff is to run four periods a day when in person (A1/B1 – designated for periods 1-4 and A2/B2 – designated for periods 5-8). On the days all students are virtual, we will run periods 1-8 at abbreviated times. We have also decided to reschedule zero period classes to be offered during periods 1 through 8. All teachers will have common prep time daily from 1:30 to 2pm. Additionally, teachers will be available for virtual small group instruction and extra help sessions from 2 to 3:15.

Attached, please find the bell schedule AND a calendar (September – December) with the days in which the cohorts will attend school in person and virtually.

BELL SCHEDULE

	8:05-8:30	8:35-9:30	9:35-10:30	10:35-11:30	11:35-12:30			
A1	HR/Check In	PERIOD 1	PERIOD 2	PERIOD 3	PERIOD 4			
A2	HR/Check In	PERIOD 5	PERIOD 6	PERIOD 7	PERIOD 8			
VIRTUAL	8:05-8:34 PERIOD 1	8:39-9:08 PERIOD 2	9:13-9:42 PERIOD 3	9:47-10:16 PERIOD 4	10:21-10:50 PERIOD 5	10:55-11:24 PERIOD 6	11:29-11:57 PERIOD 7	12:02-12:30 PERIOD 8
B1	HR/Check In	PERIOD 1	PERIOD 2	PERIOD 3	PERIOD 4			
B2	HR/Check In	PERIOD 5	PERIOD 6	PERIOD 7	PERIOD 8			

COHORT SCHEDULE FOR MARKING PERIOD 1

SEPTEMBER				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	1	V 2	B1 3	B2 4
7	A2 8	V 9	B1 10	B2 11
A1 14	A2 15	V 16	B1 17	B2 18
A1 21	A2 22	V 23	B1 24	B2 25
28	A2 29	V 30		
OCTOBER				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
			B1 1	B2 2
A1 5	A2 6	V 7	B1 8	B2 9
A1 12	A2 13	V 14	B1 15	B2 16
A1 19	A2 20	V 21	B1 22	B2 23
A1 26	A2 27	V 28	B1 29	B2 30
NOVEMBER				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
A1 2	3	V 4	5	6

Indicates no school for students