

LOVINGGOOD SILVER HAWKS™

Welcome....

**New 6th graders please sit in
first 3 – 4 rows....**

**Please make sure you have been
given a schedule...(both
students and parents who are
staying)**

Keeping Up with your 6th Grader...

- Transition from habits/responsibilities of elementary school/private school/home school
- New worries: #3: Getting Lost
- #2: Friends
- #1: Grades/Doing Well in class
- New procedures
- 6 teachers vs 1 teacher
- More challenging (All A's might mean more effort)
- Support vs Letting go.....Balance

Keeping Up with your 6th Grader...

A typical Day

- Students arrive: via busport or dropped off out front (please not before 8:15)
 - Grouped in theatre by grade level until 8:50 Bell
 - 8:50 Bell releases students from their bus
- Homeroom (Staff will guide them first few days)
- Locker to gather materials for the day/secure phone in locker
- Classes
- Dismissal

Keeping Up with your 6th Grader...

6th Grade Mon-Thurs

	Start	End	Duration	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Homeroom	8:50	9:15	0:25	HR	HR	HR	HR
Academic	9:20	10:50	1:30	1st	2nd	1st	2nd
Enrichment w/ <u>Circles and Lunch</u>	10:55	12:40	1:45	2nd	1st	6th	5th
Connections	12:50	2:20	1:30	3rd	4th	3rd	4th
Academic w/Dismissal	2:30	4:10	1:40	5th	6th	5th	6th

Keeping Up with your 6th Grader...

- **Every day starts in homeroom**
- **Friday Schedule ALL classes meet for a shorter duration.**
- **STEM:** Grade level problem solving with a focus on Science/Engineering/Mathematics and all subjects. STEM class and activities are built into Friday's schedule.
- **Circles:** Student centered discussions on topics selected by students they feel the need to share or discuss...

Keeping Up with your 6th Grader...

Parent/Vue Student Vue

- 24/7 access to all of your child's grades in all of their classes.....
- Access will continue as it was last year
- Can be helpful in monitoring even if you travel for work

Keeping Up with your 6th Grader...

CTLs (Cobb Teaching and Learning System)

- Daily journal of class activity/materials
- Posted at week's start... "At a Glance"
- Updated as we go
- Homework, tests, quizzes, project due dates
- Additional resources...practice tests, helpful websites

6th Grade Staff: Top 3 things

- Attendance/Absent work...
- Charging your computer...
- Agenda/Recording
Assignments/Homework
- Middle School is more challenging... "all A's
and B's" ...
- "Deep End" approach?...
- Preparation/Supplies...

Top 3 Things:

- Communication is very important...(students and parents should ask questions...)
- Monitor what your child eats/how much money is in their account.....
- Schedules should be available on-line by July 24th...
- Meet and Greet time/date for 6th grade will be announced as soon as it is finalized...

Survey Add-ons:

- PTSA is here right now! Get your spirit wear!
- PTSA membership sign ups going on today...
- Flag Football foundation is here!

Things to remember 1st Day of School:

All you really need is a pen/pencil and lunch/lunch money on the first day

Your teachers will let you know when your other supplies will be needed in class

Know your Cobb ID number:

***This is the number you used in the media center at school last year. *If are new to Cobb Schools, your homeroom teacher will tell you your ID number...(teachers will also point out that it is on their schedule)**

Remember your Bus Number

Please share your thoughts and ideas by completing the **brief survey** and placing it on the table in our lobby

Your input is both welcome and important

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Thanks for coming!

**Pease meet your student in
the lobby!**