



# TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY




August 12, 2022

Warriors,

It is the time again for Troy High School! Our first day of the 2022-2023 school year is on Monday, August 15th! We will be following the Regular Day Schedule, so make sure you get plenty of sleep, eat a good breakfast, bring water, and be ready to go! Our school gates will open at 6:30am.

Also remember we have a new Bell Schedule this year! If you have a zero period, we begin school at 7:28am. If your day begins with 1<sup>st</sup> period, you begin school at 8:30am. The end of our regular school day is after Period 6 at 3:30pm. We are excited to see everyone back here and grateful that it seems the darkest days of the COVID-19 pandemic are behind us. I am certain we are all going to have a great school year!

<b>TROY HIGH SCHOOL</b>			
<b>BELL SCHEDULE</b>			
<b>Period:</b>	<b>Regular:</b>	<b>Late Start:</b>	<b>Double Rally:</b>
Period 0	7:28 - 8:25	8:37 - 9:25	7:37 - 8:25
Period 1	8:30 - 9:27	9:30 - 10:18	8:30 - 9:18
Period 2	9:32 - 10:37	10:23 - 11:13	9:23 - 10:14 (A) 10:19 - 11:10 (B)
<b>BREAK</b>	<b>10:37 - 10:47</b>	<b>11:13 - 11:23</b>	<b>11:10 - 11:20</b>
Period 3	10:52 - 11:49	11:28 - 12:16	11:25 - 12:19
Period 4	11:54 - 12:51	12:21 - 1:09	12:24 - 1:12
LUNCH	12:51 - 1:26	1:09 - 1:44	1:12 - 1:42
Period 5	1:31 - 2:28	1:49 - 2:37	1:47 - 2:35
Period 6	2:33 - 3:30	2:42 - 3:30	2:40 - 3:28
Period 7	3:45 - 5:30	3:15 - 5:45	3:15 - 5:45

Hopefully, you have received the Welcome Back Letter from our FJUHSD superintendent, Dr. Steve McLaughlin. On the next page I am attaching a copy of his letter just in case you missed it!

August 5, 2022

Dear FJUHSD Staff Members, Students, and Parents/Guardians,

Let me start off by saying what an honor it is to be starting my second year as Superintendent of FJUHSD. During the past two and a half years, FJUHSD, along with all others across the nation, experienced challenging school years due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Despite the many twists and turns, our entire staff and community banded together to ensure that teaching and learning continued to take place, while also offering additional support, such as school lunches and social-emotional resources.

As we get ready to kick-off the 2022-2023 school year, I feel extremely fortunate to be working alongside the Board of Trustees, and all of the approximately 1,200 staff members as we get ready to begin on August 15, 2022. As we prepare to return to school, you will continue to receive information from the school district and/or school regarding more specifics as to upcoming registration dates, safety protocols, and how to start the school year successfully.

Below are several recent updates from the California Department of Health as they relate to health and safety requirements related to schools. We will continue to keep you informed should anything change. In preparation for the start of the 2022-23 school year, I would like to share important information with you about what FJUHSD is doing to continue to address COVID-19 on our campuses. We will continue our current health and safety mitigation strategies, some of which include:

**Vaccinations and Testing:**

Masks are not required, but continue to be strongly recommended. There are no vaccination or testing requirements for students. Schools within California are still required to test employees weekly that are unvaccinated, or have not disclosed their vaccination status.

**Cleaning, Sanitation, and Enhanced Airflow**

Deep cleaning and disinfecting protocols on all campuses in particular classrooms, offices, and frequently touched areas in collaboration spaces. We will continue with enhanced ventilation throughout campus facilities.

**If a student/staff member is exposed or tests positive for COVID-19:**

Please keep students home when sick. If your student is confirmed positive for COVID-19, contact the school office. We will continue to monitor cases and provide our parent community with appropriate notifications and guidelines to follow.

**Recommendations, timelines, and testing to return:**

Antigen testing is available for students in the event COVID-19 symptoms occur. Handwashing and/or hand sanitizing stations are available. Continuous collaboration with the Orange County Health Care Agency will continue.

**Notifications Due to Possible Exposure:**

In addition, we will continue to provide community notifications of confirmed positive COVID-19 cases and track this information on our COVID-19 Dashboard. As a reminder, while masks are not required, anyone who wishes to wear a mask may do so at any time.

**Parent Volunteers:**

As we begin the 2022-23 school year, we are excited to have our parent volunteers back on a more regular basis. If you plan on volunteering and working with students, we request, not mandate, that you take an antigen test and confirm that you are negative for COVID-19 so we can support a healthy school environment. In addition, masking is also recommended for all our volunteers working within the school.

**Links to Useful Resources**

[Vaccine Verification for Workers in Schools public health order 2022-2023 Public Health Guidance for K–12 Schools and FAQs 2022-2023 Testing Framework for K–12 Schools](#)

With these ongoing health and safety measures in place, we are excited to have all our students, staff, and parents back with us as we start the 2022-23 school year. Thank you for your partnership and we look forward to a wonderful year.



Sincerely,

Steve McLaughlin, Ed.D.

Superintendent

## **COVID-19 Reminder for all Troy High School Students!**

In accordance with the Center for Disease Control (CDC), CA Dept. of Public Health (CDPH), and Orange County Health Care Agency (OCHCA), we ask that you complete the Qualtrics survey each morning prior to arriving on campus. However, **please do not attend school** if you have experienced any COVID-related symptoms:

- Flu-like symptoms such as fever of 100.4 or greater
- Chills
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Runny or stuffy nose that is not associated with a pre-existing condition or other chronic health condition.
- Last but not least, **if you have taken a COVID-19 test** and are still waiting for results, **please do not attend school until you receive the results of that test**, and then **only come to school if you are negative for COVID-19!**



Warriors, remember the first day of school is a very busy traffic day—and will remain much busier than normal for a couple weeks. For zero period students, the first week I recommend you get to school by 6:50am. Parents, if you are dropping off your child, you may use the North Parking lot by Dorothy Avenue. I do not encourage pulling through the two lanes in front of the Front Office, as they quickly become very slow. Also, there is no student drop off in the Staff parking lot either from Dorothy, or from Hale Avenue. However, parents may drop off students on Hale Avenue to the West of Troy. Parents may also drop students off South of Troy on Nutwood Avenue. For students beginning school at 1<sup>st</sup> period beginning at 8:30am, I recommend being at school no later than 8:10am for the first week. Our routines and traffic begin to settle down after Labor Day. Go, Warriors!



This year, I really enjoyed summer vacation, and a little time off. I hope everyone else also had the opportunity to rest, relax, and spend some quality time with those that you love! Here is a fun photo of my wife Donna, and our boxer dog, Luna. We were enjoying the day along the coast, and we made a stop at Crystal Cove. Luna was not cooperating for this picture, thus her less than thrilled expression. Have a wonderful weekend and I will see everyone back here on Monday!

W.V. Mynster