

Distance Learning Expectations

November 30, 2020 - January 15, 2021

Weekly Schedule (8:30A.M. -2:14P.M.)

- Study skills, Academic Support, and Supportive Help are **required** to log in.
- 9-12 study hall with Mrs Thomas you will not need to log in.
- 7-8 guided study will be teacher student appointment

8:30-2:14		A Day	B Day		A Day	B Day
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30-9:45	75	Period 1	Period 2	Follow the Wednesday Remote Learning Schedule 11:50 Dismissal	Period 1	Period 2
	3	BREAK	BREAK		BREAK	BREAK
9:48-11:03	75	Period 3	Period 4		Period 3	Period 4
	3	BREAK	BREAK		BREAK	BREAK
11:07-11:11	4	HR/ADV/ACT	HR/ADV/ACT		HR/ADV/ACT	HR/ADV/ACT
11:11-11:41	30	BREAK	BREAK		BREAK	BREAK
11:41-12:56	75	Period 5	Period 6		Period 5	Period 6
	3	BREAK	BREAK		BREAK	BREAK
12:59-2:14	75	Period 7	Period 8	Period 7	Period 8	

* Advisory Period: Students can listen to announcements for the day.

Wednesday Schedule

Early Dismissal (8:15A.M.-11:50A.M.) Alternating A/B

		12/2/2020	12/9/2020	12/16/2020	1/6/2021	1/13/2021
8:15-11:50		B Day	A Day	B Day	A Day	B Day
8:15-8:53	38	Period 2	Period 1	Period 2	Period 1	Period 2
	5	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
8:58-9:36	38	Period 4	Period 3	Period 4	Period 3	Period 4
	4	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
9:40-10:00	20	*HR/ADV/ACT	*HR/ADV/ACT	*HR/ADV/ACT	*HR/ADV/ACT	*HR/ADV/ACT
10:00-10:30	30	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10:30-11:08	38	Period 6	Period 5	Period 6	Period 5	Period 6
	4	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
11:12-11:50	38	Period 8	Period 7	Period 8	Period 7	Period 8
* Advisory Period: Students are required to attend on Wednesdays during shutdown						

Attendance Policy

Synchronous Learning

Present: Log into your google meet, participate in the class brief **and** debrief, and complete the task, or the student has made other previous arrangements with the teacher.

Absent: Not participating in class brief **and** debrief or missing 50% of the class meeting, without making other arrangements with the teacher.

**If students are planning to be absent and cannot participate synchronously you must notify your teacher and the main office by emailing Sarah Norck (snorck@thomastonschools.org) or completing the [Absence Form](#)*

Contact your teacher to make up missing work.

Academic Probation

- Teachers report, on a daily basis by 1:45 P.M.
- EMail, through powerschool, will be sent to student and parent/guardian daily.
- More than 5 days on AP for same assignment (without making-up assignment or setting a time to make-up assignment) = Teacher will initiate “Loss of Credit Procedure”
- Loss of Credit EMail from administration sent to parent/guardian
- Student may be referred to IPASS Wednesdays
- Academic Appeals / Summer School for credit retrieval

In-Person Academic School Support IPASS/ISS Wednesdays

Academic IPASS

- Students identified as struggling to complete assignments through Academic Probation or recommendation due to non engagement

Behavior ISS

- Students that do not adhere to the code of conduct for synchronous learning and need behavioral intervention

Students/parents/guardians will be notified on Tuesday that they are to attend in-person Wednesdays. Bus transportation will be provided.

IPASS/ISS School Day- 8:15 A.M.-2:30 P.M.

Student Engagement and Expectations

What will happen if those expectations are not met?

Missing assignments

- Academic Probation/Loss of Credit/IPASS Wednesdays

Non engagement/poor attendance

- 2 contact attempts by teachers
- Contact attempt by support staff
- Administration Contact (referral to IPASS Wednesdays)
- Well visit/home visit (support staff/ admin)
- DCF Report

Support Staff Accessibility

School Counseling is and will be available to you!

- Schedule appointments via email for Google Meets, Phone Calls, or Hangouts
- Crisisgo, 211, 911 during Distance Learning. Know the difference between each report.

Technology Use

<https://www.thomastonschools.org/Technology>

Technology is used for educational objectives or research.

Prohibited:

- Sending any form of harassing, threatening, or intimidating message, at any time, to any person (such communications may also be a crime);
- Accessing or attempting to access any material that is obscene or inappropriate;
- Cyberbullying;
- Taking/sharing pictures without the specific permission from the subject of the picture;
- Unauthorized recording (photographic or audio) of another individual without the permission of the individual or a school staff member;

Violations may result in suspension or revocation of access privileges.

Tech Support

For chromebook issues

- Students and parents/guardians can email infotech@thomastonschools.org or call the main office 860 283-3030
- Include the student's name, grade level and describe the issue
- IT will contact you with directions

For Google Classroom issues

- Email gsuitehelp@thomastonschools.org

Success Tips

Before Shutdown

- Be sure you do not forget any belongings in the building (instruments, books, chargers, etc.)

During Shutdown

- Attend your classes and complete your assignments
- Follow technology use guidelines
- Communicate challenges with teachers, support staff, administration
- Check your EMail daily! Be sure to respond to THS staff who message you