

# Hillview



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## Hillview Middle School

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Hello parents, this is Hillview Middle School calling. We have some information to share, so please be sure to listen to the entire message. You can also access it on our website at <https://www.westside.k12.ca.us/hv/news-calendar/phone-call-transcripts>

Most of you are aware that our school start date has been changed. School will begin on Monday, 8/10. All students will be doing school online, following our normal bell schedule. That schedule will be posted on our website and included with another phone message, as we get closer to school beginning.

For any students who attended Hillview last year, if you still have any textbooks or library books out, we need those back ASAP. We will have our book drop out in front of the glass doors from 7:30am – 2:00pm this week, so please bring those items by. We can't check you out items for this year until you return books from last year.

Our tentative plan for Chromebook and textbook check out will be on August 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 7<sup>th</sup>. We will send final details out later, but our current plan is for 6<sup>th</sup> grade check out on 8/5, 7<sup>th</sup> grade on 8/6, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade on 8/7. Hours will likely be 8am-2pm. More details to come.

If you have not already visited our website, please be sure to bookmark it (see above.) Please also consider joining our PTSA Facebook page. Both contain lots of information.

Lastly, we want to try to clear up some confusion on the District survey about distance learning. If you completed that survey recently and noted for your child to sign up for the Acellus Program, or the District yearlong Distance Learning program, both of those are NOT Hillview programs. If you did not complete that survey, your child will remain on Hillview's distance learning program; however, if you did complete that survey and selected one of those other options, your child will NOT be part of Hillview's program. If you want to change that and keep your child on Hillview's program, you need to contact our district office through the Let's Talk link. Do not just email us here at Hillview. Please visit the district webpage and click on the "Let's Talk" tab, and choose enrollment. Send the message, including your child's name, grade, and that Hillview is their school, and let them know you want to remain on Hillview's program. This has to be done by 3:30pm today, so please do that ASAP. Here is a link to that Let's Talk page: <https://www.westside.k12.ca.us/lets-talk>

Thank you, and as we noted, we will get more information out soon. Have a great day!

Rodney Lots and Jennifer Slater-Sanchez  
Principals