



## Hillview Middle School

40525 Peonza Lane Palmdale, CA 93551 661-722-9993



Rodney Lots, Principal Jennifer Slater-Sanchez, Ed.D. Principal Jennifer Schmid, Counselor

School Website: www.westside.k12.ca.us/hv

8/25/20

Hello Hillview Families,

This is Dr. Slater-Sanchez and Mr. Lots with some important information to share. *This is a long message, so please listen to the end.* 

We wanted to take a minute to thank everyone who was able to join our virtual Back to School Night last week. If you were not able to make it, please have your child take you around to visit the different Google Classrooms. You can also contact your child's teacher via email if you have questions.

Our counselor, Mrs. Schmid, is here to help if any students are in need. You can visit the Counselor's Corner on the link in each advisory class, and on our school webpage. You can set up appointments with her as well; she has appointment hours from 10:35-12:00pm daily. Feel free to email her with questions.

If you still need to check out a Chromebook, you can stop by the office from 8:30am – 1:30pm daily to do that; we still have a few left.

Parents, please remind your student that they must be logged in to their district Google Account to access things for distance learning. Please be sure they log out of any other Google Accounts first before beginning work for the day.

We have several minimum days this year, our first one this coming Monday, 8/31. The schedule for those days is slightly different, so please see the attachment to this message in your email, or check out our website so students get to class on time.

We continue to have problems with students not reporting to all of their classes, especially advisory. Please be sure your child is reporting to every class required that day. Advisory is required every day. The state requires us to strictly monitor attendance this year, and students who don't report are considered truant. Please let us know if you have any questions regarding attendance. You can email us doctor's notes, etc., to verify absences, and call our attendance line to verify absences.

Lastly, if you are receiving these phone messages and no longer have a child at Hillview, please call the school. If it's a wrong number, we will work to remove the number, but if your child will be attending school some please else, we need to speak to you to update those records.

Thank you, and have a great afternoon!