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# Student/Parent Orientation

— September 1- September 3 —

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# Virtual Learning

Your child will be participating in virtual learning at Miller Elementary

- August 31-Oct 1
- At this time the district will reassess with direction from the State of Michigan

What does this mean?

- Lessons taught by Miller Teacher
- Live lessons and assignments provided by Miller Teachers

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# Daily Schedule

8:55-10:25 - **Reading and Writing**

10:30-11:45 - **Math**

11:45-12:25 - **Lunch**

12:25-1:00 - **Writing/Social Studies**

1:00-1:55 - **SPECIALS**

1:55-3:50 **LEARNING LABS (by invitation)**

**Learning labs start at the end of September.**

**Right now, this time is when you can ask questions or request one-on-one help.**

# Morning learning (8:55 to 11:45)

They will not be working online the entire school day. Teachers will post more detailed schedules for students on Schoology once class begins.

In broad terms, elementary students will spend the time before lunch (8:55 to 11:45) working on reading and math with their teacher. This will include a mix of lessons from the teacher, small group work with the teacher, and independent work at home.

# Afternoon Learning (after lunch)

The afternoons will vary by day. The last part of the day will be used for asynchronous work for most students while teachers reach out for more one-on-one or small groups with students for interventions and monitoring. This is also the time where some students will be invited to come to their school in person to participate in learning labs.

# Supplies

You are being provided with:

Math materials

Reading Materials

Basic school supplies

# Student Expectations

- Students are expected to log on everyday at 8:55am for attendance and their first live lesson of the day.
- Students will be expected to be available during the school day for live lessons as well as small group virtual lessons.
- Students are expected to participate during the lessons.
- Students are expected to be respectful of teacher and other students during lessons.
- Students are expected to be prepared with materials as directed by teacher.
- Students are expected to communicate with the teacher if they have any problems with technology, lessons or homework.

# Parent Expectations

- Parents are expected to make sure their child(ren) are available for virtual school each day.
- Parents are expected to encourage students to participate during lessons respectfully.
- Parents are encouraged to provide their child(ren) a quiet spot for the live lessons as well as a quiet spot to complete any assignments.
- Parents are encouraged to contact the teacher with any problems or concerns.
  - Teachers will be available during the normal school day.
  - Teacher will be available for appointments during the normal school day.



# Teacher Expectations

Teachers will be available during the school day.

8:55-3:50 (during virtual school)

See schedule in above slide for breakdown of student learning day

Teacher will provide live lesson during the day

Teachers will provide digital assignments

# Digital communication tools

**Schoology** - the new district method of providing online learning

**Zoom** - teachers will use Zoom for live lessons

**Teacher Blog** - <https://iblog.dearbornschools.org/mikho/>

**Teacher email** [mikhot@dearbornschools.org](mailto:mikhot@dearbornschools.org)

**Google Number (text or call):** 810-373-9047

**School Phone:** 313-827-6850

I will respond between 8:55-3:50 (when I am not teaching) or within 24 hours.

I can usually respond to emails or texts quickly.