

Flyers:

CentraState is planning an upcoming Diabetes Type II Prevention Program. Details [here](#).

The New Jersey Department of Health has put out guidance on staying safe during the upcoming holiday season. Link below:

https://nj.gov/health/cd/documents/topics/NCOV/COVID_GuidanceWinterHolidays.pdf

Some parents in our district have initiated a winter clothing drive for the collection and distribution to our families. Details [here](#).

Contacts:

Social/Emotional Hotline: [732-810-3146](tel:732-810-3146).

District technology issues: techstaff@freeholdboro.k12.nj.us

Restart and Reentry for 2020-2021:

The NJ Department of Health continues to report our area of the state as High Risk (Orange). Our particular situation in Freehold Borough is considered Very High Risk (Red). All of our families should be hyper alert to staying safe.

With our local area experiencing significant community spread of COVID-19, our schools in Freehold Borough remain on full virtual instruction. Nearby Freehold Twp K-8, along with the Freehold Regional High School District (Freehold Boro HS and Freehold Twp HS) are also currently on full virtual.

We expect to remain on full virtual until we are safely back to Moderate Risk (Yellow). Our school facilities are ready for the shift back to in-school hybrid. After the winter break we will be re-surveying our parents, this time providing more options on different plans to conduct in-school hybrid. We are presently working through the details of these plans, preparing to depict them visually with a list of pros and cons for each one.

We are currently distributing breakfast/lunch at two locations: behind PAC at Door #15 and in the rear of the Freehold Library (off the Market Yard parking lot). Distribution is Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 8am-12noon. Once we return to in-person hybrid schooling, we will stop the distribution of food from the rear of PAC. Those students in school will eat breakfast in school before the bell and will grab and go lunch as they exit school (if on the half day model). The virtual students will get their breakfast/lunch at the Freehold Library. We have set up this alternate location so that the pick up of food doesn't plug up our arrival and dismissal when we are back in school.

Upcoming Events:

Mon, Dec 14: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Mon, Dec 14: BOE meeting 7pm (virtual)

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Wed, Dec 16: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

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Thu, Dec 17: End Interim Reporting Period #2

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Fri, Dec 18: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Mon, Dec 21: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

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Wed, Dec 23: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm (extra food given out for the break)

Wed, Dec 23: IR2 reports on Genesis Parent Portal

Wed, Dec 23: Early Dismissal, start winter break (Dec 24-Jan 3)

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Thu, Dec 24: Christmas Eve, no school

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Fri, Dec 25: Christmas, no school

Winter break

Mon, Jan 4: End Winter Break, School resumes

Mon, Jan 4: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Mon, Jan 4: Board of Education Reorganization Meeting, 7pm (virtual)

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Tue, Jan 5: Opening of Benchmark B test period (Jan 5th to Jan 22nd)

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Wed, Jan 6: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

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Fri, Jan 8: Food distribution rear of PAC and rear of Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Thank you.

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Superintendent

