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BROWN MIDDLE SCHOOL

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STUDENT ENROLLMENT & REGISTRATION UPDATES

- Families new to the APS district can complete enrollment online throughout the district closure: <https://www.atlantapublicschools.us/Page/34748>.
- Pending enrollments will be finalized by the student's assigned neighborhood school.
- Parents will receive an email and/or phone call regarding the status of their online enrollment application within 3 business
- For any questions, contact the Office of Student Assignment at studentassignment@apsk12.org or
- (404) 802-2233.

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Encouraging students to embrace their curiosity is an important part of education.

Curiosity is key to learning. In fact, studies show that, when we're curious about a subject, we are much more likely to remember information we learned about that subject. If you're an educational professional or are considering earning a teaching degree and entering the classroom knowing how to ignite student curiosity can help you improve learning outcomes.

The Pandemic EBT Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Form

The Pandemic EBT Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Form is now available online. You will need your child's Georgia Testing Identification Number (GTID) to complete the application process. This number can be found in Parent Portal.

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Starting August 24 - the first day of school - APS meals will only be distributed to APS students. All APS families must pre-order meals for each week through the MySchoolBucks online pre-order system. Those orders must be placed no later than one week before distribution. For example, for the five-day meal bag on Monday, September 7, your order must be placed no later than Monday, August 31. Once in the pre-order system, you can select whether you will pick up the meals at one of the 12 school distribution sites listed above or if your meals should be delivered via one of the middle school bus routes identified. Families paying for meals will need to submit payment through the MySchoolBucks online payment system. Schools will not be collecting money for school meals.

All students at FEA schools must apply to qualify for free or reduced meals by completing the online FEA form. Free meals will continue for all students for the first 30 days of school. After the first 30 days of school, students at those 21 FEA schools will pay full price for meals until their FEA application is approved, and their eligibility status is sent to the school.

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4 Tips for Middle School Students to Get Started in
Online School - BY STEPHANIE BECKER



- 1. Be positive - Thriving through a change is tough but doable with a positive attitude. A positive attitude about online learning is the best gift you can give yourself. Everything you learn, whether it's your most favorite or least favorite subject, will help you grow as a person.**
- 2. Get organized and stay organized - Creating an orderly learning space to do schoolwork will put you ahead of the game. Be sure you have room for your books, computer, pens, paper, and other supplies. Label folders to hold papers and notes for each subject. Go ahead and create electronic folders for each class on your computer and in your email program. If your virtual school provides an online planner, use it to schedule your personal appointments and create your "to do" list, with items ranked in order of urgency.**
- 3. Establish a flexible routine - While online school and blended learning school do give you a more flexible schedule, having a routine will help keep you on track with your schoolwork. It's a good idea to find out when your teachers have their office hours, so you can arrange your schedule to overlap with when they are available. Naturally, you can vary your schedule when needed.**
- 4. Set personal goals - To make great things happen in your life, it helps to set goals for yourself. Think about what you'd like to accomplish, both short and long term. Is there a class you want to ace this semester? Maybe you want to get a certain grade point average or achieve a certain score on the SAT exams. Preparing for college and getting admission into a specific college might also be on your list. Be sure to put your goals in writing and post the list where you'll see it often.**

BROWN MIDDLE VIRTUAL MASTER SCHEDULE 2020-21 6TH GRADE

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9:05 am – 9:20 am	SEL (Crowder, Parker)
9:25 am - 10:10 am	CORE 1
10:10 am - 10:20 am	BREAK
10:20 am -11:05 am	CORE 2
11:05 am - 11:35 am	LUNCH
11:35 am -12:20 pm	CORE 3
12:20 pm -12:30 pm	BREAK
12:30 pm - 1:15 pm	Core 4
1:20 pm - 2:05 pm	6th Planning 6th Connections
2:10 pm - 2:40 pm	Remediation/ Intervention
2:40 pm -4:00 pm	Teacher Office Hours

BROWN MIDDLE VIRTUAL MASTER SCHEDULE 2020-21 7TH GRADE

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9:05 am – 9:20 am	SEL (Echols, Scott)
9:25 am -10:10 am	CORE 1
10:10 am - 10:20 am	BREAK
10:20 am -11:05 am	CORE 2
11:05 am - 11:15 am	BREAK
11:15 am -12:00 pm	CORE 3
12:00 pm -12:30 pm	LUNCH
12:30 pm - 1:15 pm	7TH PLANNING 7TH CONNECTIONS
1:20 pm -2:05 pm	CORE 4
2:10 pm - 2:40 pm	Remediation/ Intervention
2:40 pm - 4:00 pm	Teacher Office Hours

BROWN MIDDLE VIRTUAL MASTER SCHEDULE 2020-21 8TH GRADE

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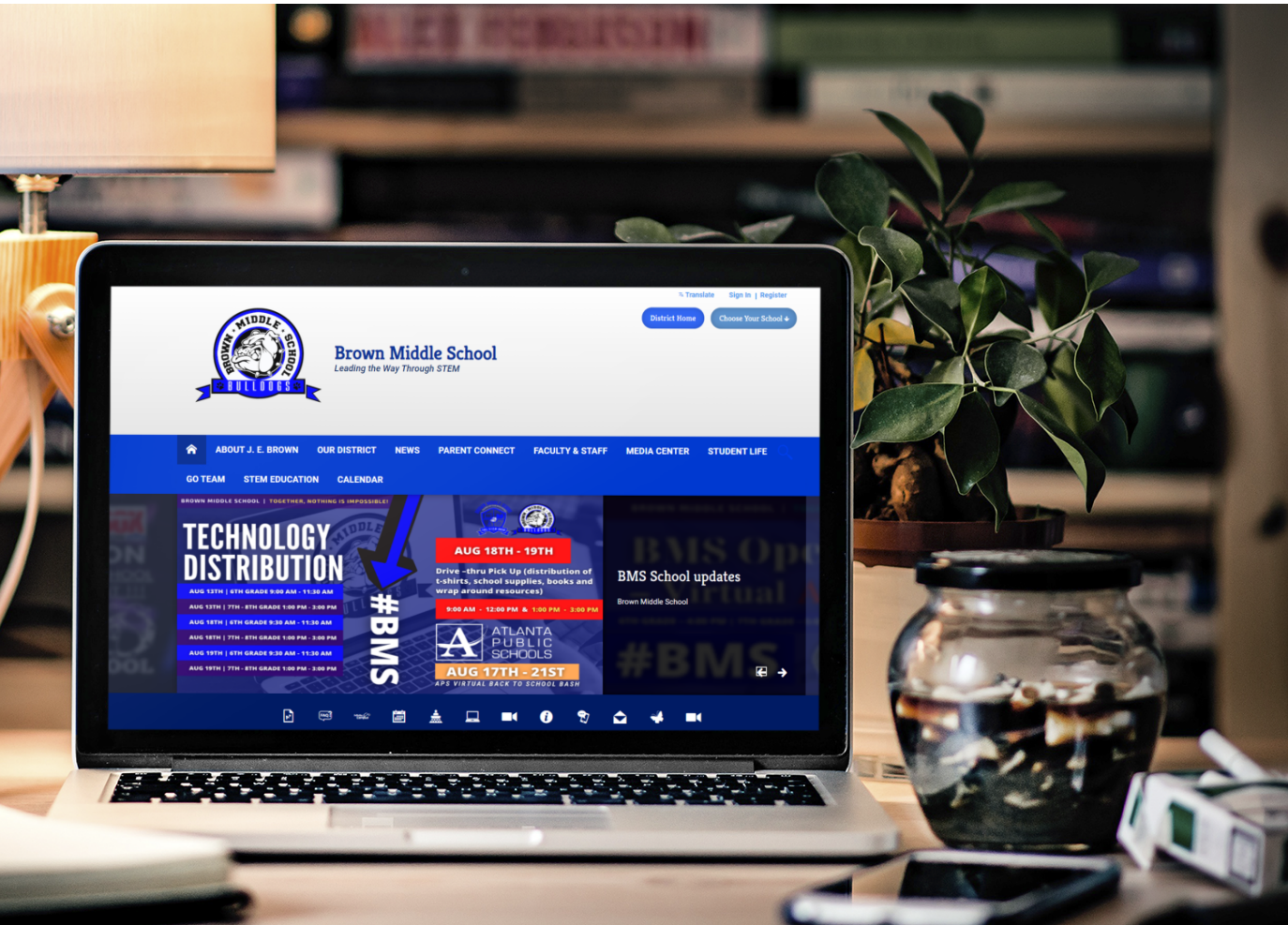


9:05 am - 9:20 am	SEL (Jones, Ward)
9:25 am -10:10 am	CORE 1
10:10 am - 10:20 am	BREAK
10:20 am -11:05 am	7th Planning 7th Connections
11:10 am - 11:55 am	CORE 2
11:55 am -12:25 pm	LUNCH
12:25 pm -1:10 pm	CORE 3
1:10 pm - 1:20 pm	BREAK
1:25 pm -2:05 pm	CORE 4
2:10 pm - 2:40 pm	Remediation/ Intervention
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Brown Middle School Technology Distribution

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Friday, August 28, 2020 6th, 7th, & 8th Grades
- 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Friday, September 4, 2020 6th, 7th, & 8th Grades
- 10:00 am - 12:00 pm