

# MPS Virtual Learning FAQ

Parents, please review this FAQ document regarding virtual learning. All MPS students will be virtual learners starting Dec. 7, 2020. Face-to-face instruction will resume Jan. 11, 2021, for those who complete a commitment form.

1. **When will all MPS students start virtual learning?** All MPS students will be virtual learners starting Dec. 7, 2020.
2. **When does the holiday break start?** MPS will observe its holiday break starting Dec. 21, 2020. MPS students and teachers will resume virtual learning starting Jan. 4, 2021. Please note Jan. 6, 2021 will be a half day for MPS students. Students will have classroom instruction from 8:00am-11:30am.
3. **When will face-to-face learning be offered again?** Face-to-face instruction is scheduled to resume Jan. 11, 2021 for students who have completed a commitment form indicating they intend to be face-to-face learners.
4. **Will my child receive a Chromebook?** At this time, MPS has not received its shipment of Chromebooks. Nearly 15,000 Chromebooks were ordered to ensure all MPS students would have a device. MPS is monitoring the status of the shipment daily.
5. **If my child does not receive a Chromebook and does not have a technology device, what will they receive for instruction?** Teachers will either distribute a learning packet or an activity-based assignment. Detailed instructions will be provided with all assignments.
6. **What are the school hours?** Students will attend virtual classes from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Intervention and enrichment will be 1 to 3 p.m. December 9th and December 16th (both Wednesdays), classes will end at 11:30 a.m and intervention will be available starting at 1:00pm. On Wednesday, January 6, 2021 students will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m and teachers will participate in a mandatory professional development session. Students will not have intervention or enrichment on January 6, 2021.
7. **I do not have Wi-Fi or internet at home. Are there any resources available?** If your student is in need of Wi-Fi services, please contact your school for more information.
8. **Will teachers be in their classrooms providing remote instruction?** Yes, teachers will report to their classrooms and provide remote instruction for MPS students.
9. **Is there a link parents and/or students can access for virtual learning support?** Yes! Parents and students can click the following link for virtual learning support: [LINK](#). Click [HERE](#) for a document outlining Chromebook Care, with an embedded video, that you can also share with parents and students.
10. **Will MPS continue to offer meal pickups?** Yes, please [click here](#) for more information.