



## Mesa Verde High School

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Dear Maverick Families,

It comes with complete joy and utter excitement that I send this letter to you as we prepare for our students' return to in-person learning. The sense of normalcy is something I have been waiting for and I am sure you feel the same. As a reminder, the first day of school is **Thursday, August 12** with a start time of **8:15am**. Below is important information regarding the return to school, please review this letter in its entirety.

### ALL STUDENTS AND FAMILIES:

#### Important Action Items:

- Mandatory Online Emergency Card, School Funding Form, and Computer and Internet Availability - These can be found by logging into the parent portal at <https://sis.sanjuan.edu/parentportal>. Once logged in you will follow the directions provided in this mailer. (If you do not have your login information please contact Juli Paxiao at [juli.paxiao@sanjuan.edu](mailto:juli.paxiao@sanjuan.edu) or by phone at 916-971-5299).
- Return Outstanding Textbooks - If you have outstanding Mesa Verde textbooks and/or novels please return them to the main office as soon as possible. Textbooks and novels can be returned to the main office, Monday - Friday between the hours of 7:30am and 3:30pm.

**Student Schedules:** Schedules will become viewable in the parent and student portal on Monday, August 9. Mesa Verde will not be hosting a schedule pick up day prior to school. Students will receive a printed schedule on the first day of school on Thursday, August 12. Students and parents can log into their portal by visiting the following websites: <https://sis.sanjuan.edu/studentportal> or <https://sis.sanjuan.edu/parentportal>.

**Pictures and ID Cards for 9th, 10th, and 11th Grade:** Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors will take their pictures during school on August 16. Students will be provided with their ID card at this time.

**Senior Portraits:** Mesa Verde has partnered with Bill Smith Photography for the upcoming year. Families must book their Senior portrait/yearbook picture with Bill Smith Photography. Please contact Bill Smith immediately to book your sitting. Seniors will receive school ID cards during their sitting. Please note that families receive a free sitting for students who are taking the "yearbook only" option. Families can elect to sign up for an upgraded sitting at their own expense. Book now by contacting Bill Smith Photography at:

- <https://billsmithphoto.com/mesaverde/> OR
- 916-749-1026 (select option 1)

**Textbook Check Out:** Students will receive textbooks during the first full week of school while on campus.

**FLEX Period:** Mesa Verde High School will have an intervention and enrichment period during the 2021-2022 school year. Please see the included flyer for more information and our bell schedule for the upcoming year.

### Communication Tools to Stay Connected:

1. **Mesa Verde App:** On your mobile device you can search “Mesa Verde App” in the Google Play Store or iTunes App Store. Mesa Verde uses this app to send out notifications. Additionally, our app provides a one-stop-shop for important information as it links to our school website.
2. **Mesa Verde’s Facebook Page:** Mesa Verde High School
3. **Mesa Verde Instagram:** @mvhsconnect.
4. **Blackboard Phone Calls, Emails, and Text Messaging:** Mesa Verde regularly sends information through our mass communication system. It is important that families ensure accurate communication information within their portal. Also, it is extremely important for students and families to regularly check their email and not block phone calls from our school system.

\*\* We will be using the text messaging feature more regularly, please visit the following website to make sure your settings allow for text messaging. (<https://www.sanjuan.edu/domain/8819>)

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## **\*\*SAVE THE DATE and REGISTER\*\***

### **August 3rd - Freshmen (Class of 2025) and Sophomore (Class of 2024) Orientation**

- **Grade Level:** 9th and 10th
- **Time:** 9:00am - 12:00pm
- **Description:** Both Freshmen and Sophomores will be teamed up with Link Crew and Student Government leaders. As part of orientation, students will participate in competitions and team building, take a tour of the campus, and will meet important staff members while enjoying the company of their peers and leaders. More information will be provided after registering for the event.
- Register for this event by [CLICKING HERE](#)

### **August 4th and 5th - Week of Welcome**

- **Grade Level:** All grade levels welcome
- **Time:** 9:00am - 12:00pm
- **Description:** As we re-integrate our students to in-person learning and a normal bell schedule we are excited to invite all students to our campus for some fun. During these two days students will take part in competitions, special events, and engaging activities that will reconnect them to Maverick Nation. Students will have the choice to attend one or both days. More information will be provided after registering for the event.
- Register for this event by [CLICKING HERE](#)

All of the above information can be found on the Mesa Verde website at [www.sanjuan.edu/mesaverde](http://www.sanjuan.edu/mesaverde) under Mesa Verde Quick Links “**2021-2022 Important Information**”.

Should you have any questions please contact the Principal’s Assistant, Juli Paxiao, at [juli.paxiao@sanjuan.edu](mailto:juli.paxiao@sanjuan.edu) or by phone at 916-971-5299.

Have a great rest of the summer and we look forward to partnering with you this fall!

Sincerely,



Colin Bross  
Principal, Mesa Verde High School



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## Mission of FLEX

FLEX will offer all Mesa Verde students a built-in academic intervention system to improve outcomes, while also providing enrichment and social emotional learning (SEL) opportunities that will improve school culture and student connectedness to MVHS.

## Mesa Verde High School Bell Schedule

FLEX is a 30-minute intervention/enrichment period 4-days/week (Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri). Thursday will continue as an early release day, with no FLEX. Additionally, FLEX will not occur on rally days or minimum days.

<b>Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday</b>		
0 Period	7:10-8:10	(60 Min)
1 <sup>st</sup> Period	8:15-9:38	(83 Min)
2 <sup>nd</sup> Period	9:44-11:07	(83 Min)
<b>FLEX</b>	<b>11:13-11:43</b>	<b>(30 Min)</b>
Lunch	11:43-12:13	(30 Min)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Period	12:18-1:41	(83 Min)
4 <sup>th</sup> Period	1:47-3:10	(83 Min)

<b>Thursday</b>		
0 Period	7:10-8:10	(60 Min)
1 <sup>st</sup> Period	8:15-9:27	(72 Min)
2 <sup>nd</sup> Period	9:33-10:50	(77 Min)
Lunch	10:50-11:20	(30 Min)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Period	11:25-12:37	(72 Min)
4 <sup>th</sup> Period	12:43-1:55	(72 Min)

## FlexiSCHED Program

Mesa Verde will be using the program *FlexiSCHED* to manage our intervention/enrichment program. FlexiSCHED allows students and teachers to schedule their intervention/enrichment period, while also giving Mesa Verde the ability to monitor student attendance. We will provide more information for families during our Back-to-School night on Wednesday, September 8.

## Student Training

Students will be trained on FlexiSCHED and other aspects of our intervention/enrichment program during the first 2-weeks of school.