

**Knox County R-1  
Middle & High School  
AMI plan**



### Purpose of AMI:

The Knox County R-1 School District has worked through a collaborative process to implement an Alternative Method of Instruction (AMI) plan to be utilized on days school is closed due to inclement weather, illness, exceptional emergency circumstances, or other natural disasters. It will be at the district's discretion on whether the school is considered "closed" or if an "AMI" day needs to be implemented.

The goal of the AMI plan is to embed curriculum with learning activities focused on reinforcement of critical learning standards, enrichment activities, or support for further skill development. Consistent practice and exposure to skills without interruption is the most effective way to ensure student understanding and mastery of content knowledge is achieved. AMI simply allows for the continuation of learning when students miss days of regular instruction. Important items to remember about AMI days:

- Students will NOT attend school on an AMI day. All students will have assigned work through Google classroom to be completed at home on these days.
- AMI days count as instructional days and do not have to be made up at the end of the school year if students and staff complete assigned work.
- Students who do not complete the work will be marked absent for the related AMI day AND will receive a zero for that assignment.

We will notify all guardians, as we have in the past, via text alert, social media postings in the event of school closures and use of AMI days. In the event of school closing, teachers will be accessible for questions, clarification, and feedback through email.

### Teacher Expectations:

- Each class will have an assignment that will be turned in for attendance that is aligned with current standards or reinforcement of a skill..
- All assignments should be posted by 8:15 am in Google Classroom (including when your office hours and your google/zoom link for the meet will be for the day).

- Check email several times a day and answer all emails sent before 3:00 pm.
- Attendance due by the end of the next school day in session.

| <b>Teacher</b>  | <b>Office Hours</b> |
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| Ms. Blake       | 1:00-3:00pm         |
| Mr. Brown       | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Mrs. Cahalan    | 8:30am - 10:30am    |
| Mrs. Cardwell   | 1:00-3:00pm         |
| Mrs. Delaney    | 8:00am - 10:30am    |
| Mrs. Dobrinske  | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Coach Ellison   | 1:00-3:00pm         |
| Mrs. Ellison    | 8:30am - 10:30am    |
| Mr. Green       | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Mrs. Greenley   | 8:30am - 10:30am    |
| Ms. Hamlin      | 9:00am-11:00am      |
| Mrs. Henry      | 1:00-3:00pm         |
| Mrs. Huchteman  | 8:30am-10:30am      |
| Mrs. Lucas      | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Ms. McNabb      | 8:30am - 10:30am    |
| Mrs. Miller     | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Coach Huchteman | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Ms. George      | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Mrs. J Parrish  | 10:00am-12:00pm     |
| Ms. Penn        | 8:30am - 10:30am    |
| Mrs. See        | 9:00am-11:00am      |
| Mrs. Shanley    | 8:30am - 10:30am    |
| Mr. Vannoy      | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm |

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| Mrs. Wriedt | 9:00am-11:00am |
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