The new ninth grade center under construction at Dickinson High School is on schedule to open for the start of the 2019-2020 school year in August.

The two-story, 74,000 square foot building will house up to 1,000 DHS freshmen. The district expects to have just over 800 freshmen the first year based on the number of current eighth grade students. The ninth grade center is located at the corner of FM 517 and Baker Drive, next to the DHS softball field and features a covered walkway to the main DHS campus. DHS freshmen will take their academic courses and some introductory elective courses in the building and move to the main campus for programs such as band, choir and athletics. Lunch will be served at the ninth grade center.

“The ninth grade center will provide much-needed space for students at DHS and eliminate the need for a bond election focusing on high school students for a few years. We are excited about the numerous opportunities we will have to focus on the unique needs of ninth graders by having them together in this new facility,” said Superintendent Carla Voelkel.

There are many best practices for ninth graders that Dickinson ISD will be putting into place by having all freshmen housed in one building. DHS will be restarting “Smart Lunch,” where all students attend lunch at the same time for one hour. The hour is designed so that students have a half-hour for lunch and a half-hour for tutoring sessions, working on homework or attending a wide range of specialty clubs or groups. AVID (Advancement VIA Individual Determination) strategies will be a priority at the ninth grade center to provide the students with tools for success as they pursue college or careers after graduation.

Another focus will be “Character Strong,” which is a curriculum that teaches character development and social/emotional learning skills.

The ninth grade center will also allow Dickinson ISD to expand the district’s STEM Academy to freshmen in 2020-2021. The STEM Academy is currently offered through an application process to approximately 300 students in grades 5-7 who receive innovative science, technology, engineering and math instruction. The ninth grade center will allow the district to keep this cohort of students together when the current seventh grade students reach their ninth grade year.

New school times approved

Dickinson ISD will have new school times for 2019-2020, with 10 minutes being added to the end of each school day. The change allows the district to build additional minutes into the calendar to have in case the district is forced to cancel school during the school year for inclement weather or other emergency reasons.

By having additional minutes, the district does not have to designate bad weather days, which would potentially turn student holidays into school days should school be cancelled during the year.

By announcing the new times now, it gives employees and parents several months to make arrangements for the start of the new school year on Monday, August 19, 2019.
2019-2020 Registration Information

Online Registration available for Returning Students

From August 1-13, 2019, Dickinson ISD parents will be able to take advantage of the district's online registration process for returning students. These are students who attend a Dickinson ISD campus at the end of the 2018-2019 school year and will be returning for the 2019-2020 school year.

Proof of residency is still required to be dropped off at the campus; however, this can be done during regular office hours between August 1-13.

The online registration process will be available through the school district website at www.dickinsonisd.org. The district will have complete instructions on the website this summer to walk parents through the steps they need to take.

In order to complete the online registration process, parents must have their login information (user name and password) for Skyward Family Access. **If a parent does not have login information, this can be obtained by showing proper identification in the front office at their child's school.** Please make sure you have obtained login information ahead of time so you are not delayed in registering your student online. For parents without access to the Internet, computers and assistance will be available at the campuses during designated times to complete the online registration process.

Parents of students new to Dickinson ISD for 2019-2020 must visit the campus their child will attend and complete the registration process in person as there is more paperwork involved.

How to find school attendance zone and bus route information

If parents have questions about which school their child is zoned to attend for the 2018-2019 school year or bus route information, they can input their address into an online database available in the Transportation Department area of the Dickinson ISD website.

Visit the district homepage at www.dickinsonisd.org, then click on Transportation under the Departments heading, and then Bus Route Information. The bus route information will not be updated for the new school year until the week before school starts, but parents can find out the school at anytime.

STEM Academy application process for students new to Dickinson ISD

Dickinson ISD will be accepting STEM Academy applications August 5-16, 2019 for students entering grades 5-8 who are new to Dickinson ISD for the 2019-2020 school year.

Applications are available online through the Dickinson ISD website at http://www.dickinsonisd.org/page/curric.stem. Applications must be submitted electronically by August 16. Students must be registered in Dickinson ISD to apply for the STEM Academy. More information about the STEM Academy can be found on district website.

Enrollment Procedures for Homeless Students: Gator Families in Transition

The McKinney-Vento Act requires all local educational agencies to immediately enroll students in homeless situations, even if they do not have the required documents, such as school records, medical records, proof of residency and other documents.

Wednesday, August 21, 2019
6 p.m.

Sam Vitanza Stadium

Kick off the new school year and get ready for fall athletics at the district’s “Meet the Gators” event.

This annual event, scheduled for 6 p.m.

Wednesday, August 22 in Sam Vitanza Stadium, will be full of Gator Nation spirit.

Proof of Residency requirements are being updated. The new requirements and forms will be posted on the district website this summer.
Returning students to Dickinson ISD may complete the online registration process:

Online registration will be available August 1-13, 2019 for families of returning Dickinson ISD students through the Skyward Family Access Site. Proof of residency is still required. Please drop off a copy of proof of residency at the front office to your child's elementary school between the hours of 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, August 1-13, 2019. Please put the name(s) of your student(s) and their grade level for 2019-2020 on the proof of residency so we can validate your residential status for all students active at our campus. Proof of Residency includes a current gas, water, electricity bill or lease in the parent’s name. If the bill/lease is NOT in parent/guardian’s name, additional forms will be required including the service of a notary to complete the registration process in order to validate enrollment.

Pre-K and Kindergarten Events

Several Dickinson ISD elementary campuses are hosting back to school events for pre-kindergarten and/or kindergarten students to help them get excited about the 2019-2020 school year.

Bay Colony Elementary will have a Pre-K and Kindergarten Play Date from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 13 for students and parents.

Calder Road Elementary will host their annual Kinder Meet the Teacher from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Thursday, August 15.

Hughes Road Elementary will host "Kindergarten Camp" for incoming kindergarten students from 1-3 p.m. Thursday, August 8. This is a student-only mini school day to allow students to get familiar with the school routines.

K.E. Little Elementary will host a Pre-K and new to Kindergarten Play Date from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 14, 2019 for students and parents.

Lobit Elementary will have a Pre-K and Kindergarten Play Date from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 13 for students and parents.

San Leon Elementary will have a Pre-K and Kindergarten Play Date from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 13.

Silbernagel Elementary will have a Pre-K and Kindergarten Play Date from 4:30-5:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 14 for students and parents.

New Students to Dickinson ISD must register at the appropriate campus in person on one of the two dates below:

Monday, August 5, 2019  1 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, August 6, 2019  8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

When coming to register your new DISD student(s), parents/guardians must bring COPIES of the following documents for each child:

- Student’s Birth Certificate, Immunization Record, Social Security Card, Medication information
- Valid parent ID, (Driver’s License, passport, military ID)
- Court paperwork for Guardianship(s)
- Proof of Residency (current gas, water, electricity bill or lease in parent’s name. If the bill/lease is NOT in parent/guardian’s name, additional forms will be required including the service of a notary to complete the registration process in order to validate enrollment
- Copy of Divorce/Custody documents, if applicable
- Special Education/Section 504 information, if applicable
- Copy of last report card if transferring from another District

Kindergarten students must be 5 years old on or before September 1. Pre-Kindergarten students must be 4 years old on or before September 1 and meet one or more of the following criteria:

- income qualification (family meets the guidelines for the Federal Free/Reduced Price Meal Program)
- a child who speaks English as a second language
- a child who is homeless
- a child who is the child of an active member of the armed forces of the United States or who was injured or killed while serving on active duty
- a child who is or has ever been in the conservatorship of the Department of Family Protective Services
- a child of a person eligible for the Star of Texas Award as a peace officer, firefighter or emergency medical first responder

Elementary School Meet the Teacher Night

Thursday, August 15, 2019

Elementary students and their parents are invited to meet their homeroom teacher for the 2019-2020 school year at the district-wide Elementary Meet the Teacher Night scheduled for 5:30-6:30 p.m. Thursday, August 15 at each elementary campus.

This is a time for students to drop off school supplies and meet their teacher so they are ready to go on the first day of school on Monday, August 19.
2019-2020 Registration Information

**MIDDLE SCHOOLS**
(5th - 6th Grades)

- Barber Middle School - 281-229-6900
- Dunbar Middle School - 281-229-6600
- Lobit Middle School - 281-229-7700

Returning students to Dickinson ISD may complete the online registration process:

Online registration will be available August 1-13, 2019 for families of returning Dickinson ISD students through the Skyward Family Access Site. Proof of residency is still required. Proof of Residency includes a current gas, water, electricity bill or lease in the parent’s name. If the bill/lease is NOT in parent/guardian’s name, additional forms will be required including the service of a notary to complete the registration process in order to validate enrollment. Please drop off a copy of proof of residency at the front office to your child’s middle school on the following days/times:

- **Monday, August 5, 2019** 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. or 12:30-3:30 p.m.
- **Tuesday, August 6, 2019** 1-7 p.m.

**New Students to Dickinson ISD:**
Registration packets for students new to Dickinson ISD will be available beginning August 1, 2019 for parents to pickup and complete. New to Dickinson ISD students may register ahead of time for registration appointments, which will take place from 9-11 a.m. or 12:30-3:30 p.m. Monday, August 5 or 1-7 p.m. Tuesday, August 6. Call the campus your child is zoned to attend to schedule an appointment. Campus phone numbers are listed at the top of this section.

**Requirement for Returning and New students to Dickinson ISD:**
Present Proof of Residency - current utility bill or lease/rental agreement with name of parent/guardian. The student's name must be printed clearly at the top of the proof of residency. If the family has changed addresses over the summer, an additional "change of address" form needs to be filled out and attached to the new proof of residency. Forms can be found in the front office of each school. Staff members will then verify if the new address is still in the same school zone.

**Required items for New students to Dickinson ISD:**
(Strongly suggest bringing these documents to your appointment)
- Student’s Birth Certificate, Social Security Card, updated Immunization Record, and parent identification
- Students report card indicating current grade placement
- Previous school information (name, address & phone)
- Achievement test scores/STAAR scores
- Court custody documentation, if applicable
- Special Education/Section 504 information, if applicable

The three middle schools will not have a Meet the Teacher event before school starts, but will instead have an Open House/Parent Orientation scheduled early in September. More information on dates and times will be provided to parents by each individual middle school after the start of the school year.

**JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS**
(7th - 8th Grades)

- McAdams Junior High - 281-229-7100
- Kranz Junior High - 281-309-3600

**RETURNING STUDENTS:**
For 2019-2020 McAdams Junior High and Kranz Junior High will be using an online process of student data verification through the Skyward Family/Student Access link on the Dickinson ISD website. All families must also submit current proof of residency to the campus. This process must be complete before you appear on campus to receive your list of classes.

**August 1 – August 13, 2019**
Online Registration/Verification for Current DISD Students may be accessed through the Skyward Family/Student Access link on the DISD website. Copy of current proof of residency must be delivered to the front office during the hours of 8-11 a.m. or 1-3:30 p.m.

Library computers will be available from 8-11 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. August 7-9, 2019 and August 12-13, 2019.

**Wednesday, August 7, 2019 - 2-6 p.m.**
Returning Dickinson ISD students may come on this day to complete any of the following back to school tasks:

- Present current proof of residency
- Present updated shot records
- Verify classes for 2019-2020
- Find out information about purchasing P.E./Athletic uniforms and school spirit wear.

**Tuesday, August 27, 2019 - 5:30-7 p.m.**
Open House Night at both Kranz Junior High and McAdams Junior High.

**NEW STUDENTS:**
New to Dickinson ISD students may register ahead of time by appointment only on August 8-9, 2019 and August 12-13, 2019 between the hours of 8-11 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. Beginning August 5, 2019, please call McAdams 281-229-7100 or Kranz 281-309-3600, to schedule your appointment.

By having an appointment, this allows the school additional time to work on developing a schedule for your student. New students should bring a copy of:

- Birth certificate
- Immunization record
- Medication information
- Student’s social security card
- Special Education/Section 504 information, if applicable
- Proof of residency (lease, deed, utility bill, etc.)
- Last report card showing promotion/retention in grade for 2019-2020
- Valid/current parent or guardian driver’s license
- Custody papers, if applicable.
2019-2020 Registration Information

DHS Summer Office Hours:
June 3 - July 26 * 7:15 a.m.-5 p.m. (Monday - Thursday)
Starting July 29 7 a.m.-3 p.m. (Monday - Friday)
* Dickinson ISD will be closed July 1-5.

New Student Registration:

Enrollment paperwork for high school students new to the district may be picked up at any time during summer office hours. The paperwork is available in the front office of the high school.

New students MUST be accompanied by parent or guardian at registration and should bring all required documents.

August 6 8-11 a.m. and 12-3 p.m.
August 7 8-11 a.m. and 12-3 p.m.
August 8 1-7 p.m.

Enrollment paperwork must be completed before meeting with counselors, at which time they will evaluate transcripts and assist students with course selections for the 2019-2020 school year. Registration will continue at 12 p.m. on the first day of school.

It is the parent’s responsibility to provide the required documents. If these records are not available, please contact your previous school and have the records faxed to: (281) 229-6403, Attn: Registrar.

Registration requires all of the documents listed:
• Valid/current Parent/Guardian Driver’s License
• Students who are not living with both natural parents must provide a divorce decree stating who the custodial parent is or a notarized letter from the custodial parent granting permission for the non-custodial parent to enroll the student.
• Proof of residency (current water/electric/gas bill, lease agreement or property tax statement)
• Students residing in DISD with someone other than the legal parent/guardian must provide a notarized “Power of Attorney”* form signed by the parent/guardian and a notarized “Acceptance of Responsibility”* form signed by the person with whom the student is residing. These forms are available in the front office.
• Birth Certificate
• Student’s Social Security Card
• Immunization Record
• Unofficial Transcript
• 8th Grade Report Card showing promotion to 9th Grade (1st Year HS students only)

Fish Camp for 9th Graders
August 14, 2019  6 p.m.

All freshman students and parents are invited to attend the Dickinson High School Fish Camp. This is a two-hour orientation during which time students and parents will learn about DHS expectations, tour the building and attend a Pep Rally. The Fish Camp will start in the Competition Gym at 6 p.m.

Current Student Registration:

For 2019-20, Dickinson ISD will use an online process for current student registration. Please drop off proof of residency at the front office between the hours of 7 a.m. - 3 p.m. Monday-Friday, starting August 1 -August 15 or email a copy to lcook@dickinsonisd.org. Please put the name(s) of your student(s) and their grade level for 2019-2020 school year on the document. Proof of Residency includes a current gas, water, electricity bill or lease in the parent’s name. Additional forms will be required, possibly including the service of a notary, to complete the registration process in order to validate enrollment if the bill/lease is NOT in parent/guardian’s name.

August 1- August 15, 2018

Online Registration for all current DISD students will be open August 1-13, 2019. Parents must have access to Skyward in order to do the registration process. The student’s Skyward access does not have the capabilities to do the online registration. Instructions for completing the online registration are available on the Dickinson ISD website. All address changes require proof of residence (current water/electric/gas bill, lease agreement or property tax statement). Proof of residence may be dropped off in the front office. Students not registered by August 13 may not have bus transportation for approximately one week unless there is already a designated stop.

Open Computer Lab at DHS - August 2 and August 5, 2019

DHS will have a computer lab open from 7:30-11 a.m. and 12-3 p.m. to assist families with completing the online registration process.

First Day Schedule Pick-up, August 19, 2019

All Dickinson High School students will report to their NaviGATOR class on the first day of school, August 19, 2019. Student names will be posted in various locations around the building indicating the student’s assigned NaviGATOR room number. During NaviGATOR, student schedules will be distributed.

Parking Permits

Parking permits are required for all student vehicles. Students will be assigned a parking space in a designated school parking lot. In order to purchase a parking permit, students must present a valid Texas Driver’s License and proof of insurance for the vehicle with the student listed as an authorized driver. Parking spaces are limited and will be sold on a space-available basis. Parking permits must be permanently affixed to the inside of the front windshield on the lower right-hand (passenger) side of the windshield. Parking permits are NOT TRANSFERRABLE to a vehicle other than the one for which the permit was purchased. Any vehicle parked in the school parking lot without a valid parking permit is subject to removal at the owner’s expense. Parking permits are $30 each and will be available for purchase the first week of school and on an as needed basis throughout the school year.

Dickinson Continuation Center

DHS students who applied for DCC AND have RECEIVED an acceptance letter must attend the mandatory parent/student DCC meeting at 10 a.m. Thursday, August 8, 2019 at the DCC campus. Current proof of residency must be brought in at this time. Online registration must be completed before attending the meeting.
2019-2020 DICKINSON ISD DRESS EXPECTATIONS

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GRADES PK-6

PANTS, SLACKS, JEANS, SKIRTS, DRESSES, JUMPERS, SHORTS, SHIRTS, BLOUSES OR PULLOVERS:

- May be any color or design
- Shall be appropriately sized with no holes or tears, fitting at the waist, and cuffed/hemmed at or below mid-calf.
- Shorts may be no shorter than mid-thigh in length with a hem. No cut off shorts or athletic/gym shorts.
- The length/slits of skirts, dresses, and jumpers must be clearly below mid-thigh.
- Shirts, blouses, or pullovers must have sleeves and must be appropriately sized and buttoned.
- Shirts, blouses, or pullovers may not be sheer, lace, or any see-through material (even if worn with an undergarment/camisole/slip), backless, cut-out, off-the shoulder, spaghetti strap, sundress, tank-style, sleeveless, low-cut, back exposed, or revealing in any way
- No vinyl, leather, suede, fleece, spandex/stretch, oversized pockets, pajamas, overalls, sweatpants, or coveralls.
- No inappropriate pictures or messages allowed.
- Underclothes may not be worn as outer clothes, including men’s T shirts.

OUTSIDE JACKETS AND COATS

- All jackets/coats that are ¾ lengths (or less) are acceptable.
- “Trench” coats or “Dusters” are not allowed.
- No inappropriate pictures or messages allowed.

SHOES

- Shoes must be safe and appropriate for school.
- No house slippers, slides, flip flops, or shoes with skates, wheels or cleats.

HAIR

- Hair (including facial hair) must be neat, clean, and well-groomed.
- No distracting/extreme styles or unnatural coloring (pink, green, blue, etc.).

BACKPACKS

- May be any fabric.
- No inappropriate pictures or messages allowed.

PROHIBITED ITEMS:

- Glitter, writing or drawing on the face or skin
- Tattoos (temporary and permanent)
- Sunglasses
- Any type of head covering (no cap, hat, hair net, hair rollers, combs, or picks may be worn inside the building)
- Body piercing other than the ear
- Heavy chains, heavy chain necklaces, spike necklaces, or other inappropriate types of jewelry
- Inappropriate decorations or advertisements including, but not limited to, violence, drugs, alcohol, the occult, gang membership, sex, death, suicide, etc.
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**GRADES 7-12**

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- May be any color or design
- Shall be appropriately sized with no holes or tears, fitting at the waist, and cuffed/hemmed at or below mid-calf
- The length/slits of skirts, dresses, and jumpers must be clearly below, and remain below, the mid-thigh, including the front, back, and sides when standing, sitting, or walking.
- Shirts, blouses, or pullovers must have sleeves. Must be appropriately sized and buttoned.
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Board Approved 04/01/19
IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

This chart summarizes the vaccine requirements incorporated in the Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Title 25 Health Services, §§97.61-97.72. This document is not intended as a substitute for the TAC, which has other provisions and details. The Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is granted authority to set immunization requirements by the Texas Education Code, Chapter 38.

A student shall show acceptable evidence of vaccination prior to entry, attendance, or transfer to a public or private elementary or secondary school in Texas.

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NOTE: Shaded area indicates that the vaccine is not required for the respective grade.

1 Receipt of the dose up to (and including) 4 days before the birthday will satisfy the school entry immunization requirement.
2 Serologic evidence of infection or serologic confirmation of immunity to measles, mumps, rubella, hepatitis A, or varicella is acceptable in place of vaccine.
3 Previous illness may be documented with a written statement from a physician, school nurse, or the child’s parent or guardian containing wording such as: “This is to verify that (name of student) had varicella disease (chickenpox) on or about (date) and does not need varicella vaccine.” This written statement will be acceptable in place of any and all varicella vaccine doses required.

Exemptions

Texas law allows (a) physicians to write medical exemption statements that the vaccine(s) required would be medically harmful or injurious to the health and well-being of the child or household member, and (b) parents/guardians to choose an exemption from immunization requirements for reasons of conscience, including a religious belief. The law does not allow parents/guardians to elect an exemption simply because of inconvenience (for example, a record is lost or incomplete and it is too much trouble to go to a physician or clinic to correct the problem). Schools should maintain an up-to-date list of students with exemptions, so they may be excluded in times of emergency or epidemic declared by the commissioner of public health.

Instructions for requesting the official exemption affidavit that must be signed by parents/guardians choosing the exemption for reasons of conscience, including a religious belief, can be found at www.immunizeTexas.com under “School & Child Care.” The original Exemption Affidavit must be completed and submitted to the school.

For children claiming medical exemptions, a written statement by the physician must be submitted to the school. Unless it is written in the statement that a lifelong condition exists, the exemption statement is valid for only one year from the date signed by the physician.

Provisional Enrollment

All immunizations must be completed by the first date of attendance. The law requires that students be fully vaccinated against the specified diseases. A student may be enrolled provisionally if the student has an immunization record that indicates the student has not received at least one dose of each specified age-appropriate vaccine required by this rule. To remain enrolled, the student must complete the required subsequent doses in each vaccine series on schedule and as rapidly as is medically feasible and provide acceptable evidence of vaccination to the school. A school nurse or school administrator shall review the immunization status of a provisionally enrolled student every 30 days to ensure continued compliance in completing the required doses of vaccination. If, at the end of the 30-day period, a student has not received a subsequent dose of vaccine, the student is not in compliance and the school shall exclude the student from school attendance until the required dose is administered.

Additional guidelines for provisional enrollment of students transferring from one Texas public or private school to another, students who are dependents of active duty military students in foster care, and students who are homeless can be found in the TAC, Title 25 Health Services, Sections 97.40 and 97.49.

Documentation

Since many types of personal immunization records are in use, any document will be acceptable provided a physician or public health personnel has validated it. The month, day, and year that the vaccination was received must be recorded on all school immunization records created or updated after September 1, 1991.
### 2019-2020 Supply List for all Dickinson ISD Elementary Campuses
(Bay Colony, Calder Road, Hughes Road, K.E. Little, Lobit, San Leon and Silbernagel)

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<th>PPCD</th>
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<td>1 school-sized backpack</td>
<td>24 pencils, #2 with erasers</td>
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<td>1 pkg. pull-ups (if not toilet trained)</td>
<td>4 pkgs. Crayola crayons, 24-count</td>
<td>2 boxes Crayola crayons, 24-count</td>
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<td>2 large boxes facial tissues</td>
<td>12 small glue sticks</td>
<td>6 large glue sticks</td>
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<td>2 large rolls paper towels</td>
<td>1 Fiskars scissors, blunt tip</td>
<td>1 bottle Elmer’s glue</td>
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<td>1 hand sanitizer</td>
<td>4 pink bevel erasers</td>
<td>4 yellow highlighters</td>
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<tr>
<td>4 plastic folders with pockets and brads (1 red, 1 blue, 1 yellow, green)</td>
<td>2 boxes facial tissue</td>
<td>1 pkg. colored pencils, 12-count</td>
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<td>4 bottles of Elmer’s school glue</td>
<td>1 box Ziploc bags, quart size (girls)</td>
<td>1 pkg. Crayola markers, 8-count</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 boxes of baby wipes</td>
<td>1 box Ziploc bags, gallon size (boys)</td>
<td>1 scissors, Fiskars, pointed tip</td>
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<td>2 containers Clorox wipes (no bleach)</td>
<td>1 hand sanitizer</td>
<td>5 Expo markers, black</td>
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<td>2 cans of shaving cream</td>
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<td>6 plastic folders, pockets and brads, (2 red, 2 blue, 2 green)</td>
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<td>1 box Ziploc bags, gallon size</td>
<td>4 Expo dry erase markers, chisel point</td>
<td>2 pkgs. notebook paper, wide-rule</td>
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<td>2 composition books</td>
<td>3 spiral notebooks, wide-rule, 70-count</td>
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<td>4 composition books,</td>
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<td>3 boxes Crayola crayons, 24-count</td>
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<td>1 box Crayola maps pencils, 24-count</td>
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<td>1 box Crayola classic markers, 8-count</td>
<td>1 Fiskars scissors, pointed tip</td>
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<td>2 boxes facial tissue</td>
<td>1 plastic school box or pouch</td>
<td>6 glue sticks</td>
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<td>1 pkg. Expo dry-erase markers, black</td>
<td>8 glue sticks</td>
<td>2 pink bevel erasers</td>
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<td>4 plastic folders with pockets and brads (1 red, 1 blue, 1 yellow, 1 green)</td>
<td>3 pink bevel erasers</td>
<td>3 boxes of facial tissue</td>
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<td>1 Fiskars scissors, blunt-tip</td>
<td>6 plastic folders, pockets and brads, assorted solid colors</td>
<td>1 hand sanitizer</td>
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<td>1 bottle Elmer’s school glue, 4 ounce</td>
<td>2 pkgs. notebook paper, wide-rule</td>
<td>1 three-ring binder, 1 inch size (for math)</td>
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<td>4 large Elmer’s glue sticks</td>
<td>1 three-ring binder, 1 inch size</td>
<td>1 three-ring binder, 2-inch size</td>
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<td>1 plastic school box, 6 x 8.5</td>
<td>1 hand sanitizer</td>
<td>1 zippered pencil pouch</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 box Ziploc bags, gallon size (boys)</td>
<td>1 three-ring binder, 1 inch size (for math)</td>
<td>1 pkg. manila paper, 12” x 18”</td>
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<td>1 box Ziploc bags, quart size (girls)</td>
<td>1 three-ring binder, 1 inch size (for math)</td>
<td>1 pkg. construction paper, assorted, 12 x 18</td>
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<td>1 container Clorox wipes</td>
<td>4 hard plastic folders, pockets and brads (1 red, 1 blue, 1 green)</td>
<td>4 pink bevel erasers</td>
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<td>1 anti-bacterial hand sanitizer</td>
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<td>1 pkg. construction paper, (boys)</td>
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<td>1 roll paper towels</td>
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<td>1 pkg. construction paper, (girls)</td>
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<td>1 pkg. white card stock (girls)</td>
<td>6 plastic folders, pockets and brads</td>
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<td>1 pkg. construction paper (boys)</td>
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### Kindergarten

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<td>24 pencils, #2 with erasers</td>
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<td>4 pkgs. Crayola crayons, 24-pack</td>
<td>2 boxes Crayola crayons, 24-count</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 bottles Elmer’s school glue, 4 ounce</td>
<td>6 large glue sticks</td>
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<td>1 Fiskars scissors, blunt tip</td>
<td>4 yellow highlighters</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 spiral notebooks, wide-rule, 70-count, solid color</td>
<td>6 plastic folders, pockets and brads, solid primary colors</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 plastic school box, 6 x 8.5</td>
<td>2 red pens</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 boxes facial tissue</td>
<td>2 pkgs. notebook paper, wide-rule</td>
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<td>8 Expo dry-erase markers, black</td>
<td>2 pkgs. index cards, ruled, 4 x 6</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 pkg. Crayola markers, classic colors</td>
<td>1 zippered pencil pouch</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 pink bevel erasers, large</td>
<td>1 pkg. construction paper, 9 x 12, assorted</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 pkg. manila paper, 9 x 12</td>
<td>1 pkg. manila paper, 12 x 18</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 hand sanitizer</td>
<td>1 box Ziploc bags, sandwich size (boys)</td>
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<td>1 pkg. Ziploc bags, quart size (girls)</td>
<td>1 box Ziploc bags, gallon size (girls)</td>
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<td>1 pkg. construction paper, multi-color</td>
<td>1 box Ziploc bags, gallon size (boys)</td>
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This is a generic list of supplies needed at each grade level in Dickinson ISD elementary campuses. Individual teachers may request additional items during the first week of school.
2019-2020 Supply List for all Dickinson ISD Middle Schools including Barber STEM students (Barber, Dunbar and Lobit Middle Schools)

Grades 5 and 6
1 binder, 2-inch
6 glue sticks
3 boxes of facial tissues
2 pkgs. wide-ruled notebook paper
5 marble composition books
2 bottles Germ-X
1 large pencil pouch
1 pkg. colored pencils
48 pencils, #2
200 index cards, 3 x 5 with lines
1 pkg. 3 x 3 Post-It notes
1 pkg. EXPO dry erase markers, 4-count, black
1 Fiskars student scissors
1 pkg. pencil cap erasers
1 pink bevel eraser
3 bottles Elmer's glue
1 pkg. skinny markers
1 pkg. Ziploc baggies

This is a generic list of supplies needed for these grade levels at all Dickinson ISD middle school campuses. Each individual teacher may request additional items during the first week of school or as needs arise during the school year. Elective classes, such as Drama, Art, Band and Choir, will provide a supply list on the first day of school.

2019-2020 Supply List for Dickinson High School

Grades 10-12
All DHS students should report on the first day with a 1.5” three-ring binder, notebook paper and a pen or pencil. High school supplies vary depending on the courses taken. Each teacher will provide a class syllabus on the first day of school which will include a list of the supplies needed for that class. Supplies should be replenished as needed throughout the school year.

Grade 9 - Special Supplies for Freshman Students:
In addition to the information above, all freshman students will be using a binder system for all classes. The school will provide the initial binder for each student; however, students will need to bring the following items to use inside the binder.

• 1 pkg. loose-leaf notebook paper
• 1 pencil pouch with holes to insert in binder
• 7 sheet protectors
• Pens
• Pencils
• Highlighters
2019-2020 Highlights: meal prices not going up, continuing free breakfast for all students, and eliminating reduced-price lunch $.40 charge

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• Free & Reduced Meal Applications Online – will be available August 1 and the district request all to complete the very easy application using any computer, smartphone or any device with internet access. Public computers are available at all schools, Food and Nutrition Services (FNS), and the Education Service Center. FNS staff will assist parents with applications at all schools and the main office at 4003 Video St. Paper applications can be requested.

• Lunch Money Now (LMN) – We encourage all parents to set up a LMN account to view your student’s meals and snacks eaten daily. It is a convenient way for parents to receive not only an email but also a text that your student’s balance is low or has reached a preset dollar amount. Parents with students on the Free and Reduced meal program can also utilize LMN. It allows parents to set up recurring payments to your student’s account and view account balances. Visa, MasterCard, and PayPal can be used to make deposits on the secure (SSL) site and are available on the student’s account within an hour of the transaction. There is a small $2.50 charge per transaction and multiple students can have money deposited in a single transaction. Parents and guardians who prefer to make their payment in person may do so daily in the cafeteria. This year there will be an option to donate to “Feed All Kids” on Lunch Money Now each time you make a deposit in your student meal account.

• Other Information: Menus, health and fitness materials, policy and procedures, and much more are available on our food and nutrition website.

• Meal Prices will not increase for the 2019-2020 school year.
  * Breakfast: Free for all students
  * Universal Free Breakfast will be provided for the 2019-2020 school year on a trial basis.
  We will re-evaluate for the 2020-21 school year.

Lunch Prices: Remain the same as 2018-2019.
  Lunch: Paid student prices are:
  $1.50 (grades PK-4)  $2.00 (grades 5-6)
  $2.25 (grades 7-8)  $2.50 (grades 9-12)
  * Reduced Price – (The $.40 Lunch Payment for Reduced students will be Eliminated)

• In-Sufficient Checks: Checks returned for insufficient funds will not be accepted for future payments and will be charged a fee and assessed to the student account. Cash, money orders or using Lunch Money Now will be the only payment options.

• District Meal Charge Policy:
  The meal charge policy must be communicated in writing to all households at the start of each school year and to households transferring to the school during the school year. This charge policy will be included in with the ‘letter to households’ about the free and reduced program.
  Students at ALL SCHOOLS will be offered a Free Breakfast daily. All Students are Encouraged to eat Breakfast at School to enhance learning.

When account balance is negative an automated call and an email will occur 3X week and will continue until the account is brought to a positive balance and/or applied for Free/Reduced lunch.
  Parents will receive an Email weekly reminding you to use Lunch Money Now online to check balance, make deposit, or pay with cash or check to cashier before 2 p.m.

If FNS has not received payment and the Grace Period is exhausted and meal charges have not been paid then FNS will send a U.S. Postal letter to the parent to remind them we have been feeding your child in good faith, and that money is owed to the student’s account. Automated calls and emails will continue to the parent phone number on file with the district. If after being notified by mail and FNS has not received payment FNS managers will contact their school principal to make contact with the parent. A decision will be made by the Principal to either continue feeding the child in good faith or discontinue feeding lunch at school. The parent will be informed and expected to send a lunch to school so your child does not do without a lunch or parents will apply for the Free/Reduced meal program. Nonprofit School Food Service resources may not be used to cover costs related to Bad Debt arising from uncollected student meal accounts and Dickinson School District will be responsible for paying those delinquent accounts.

Dickinson ISD will collect on all unpaid meal charges. The parent/guardian is responsible to repay any charges that have accrued before the end of the school year and for charges made prior to application approval. All charges will be carried over to the students account the following year. We will stop taking checks 2 weeks before the end of school.

Revisions to the Charge Policy will be updated and posted online at Dickinson ISD website as TDA/USDA makes available.

Nondiscrimination statement reads as follows: In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, and reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.) should contact the responsible State or local Agency that administers the program or USDA’s TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information is available in languages other than English. To file a complaint alleging discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, AD-3027, found online at http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html, or at any USDA office or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by: mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410 fax: (202) 690-7442; or email: program.intake@usda.gov.
### 2019–2020 Academic Calendar

**First Semester**
- August 19 – December 20, 2019

**Second Semester**
- January 8 – May 21, 2020

**Student/Teacher Holidays**
- Labor Day - September 2, 2019
- Thanksgiving - November 25-29, 2019
- Christmas/Winter
  - December 23, 2019 - January 3, 2020
- Martin Luther King Day - January 20, 2020
- Spring Break - March 9-13, 2020
- Easter - April 10, 2020
- Memorial Day - May 25, 2020
  - (Teacher/Staff Holiday)
- Mentor/Protege In-Service
  - August 5, 2019
- New Teacher In-Service
  - August 6–8, 2019
- Teacher In-Service/Student Holiday
  - August 9, 2019
  - August 12–16, 2019
  - January 6–7, 2020
  - February 17, 2020
- Parent Conference Day/Student Holiday
  - November 1, 2019
- Early Release All Campuses
  - (2 hours early)
  - December 20, 2019 — May 21, 2020
- Early Release All Campuses
  - (3 hours early)
  - September 6, 2019
- Dickinson High School Graduation
  - Date will be determined in June 2019

**Nine Weeks Grading Cycle**
- 1st 9-weeks: 44 days, 19,180 minutes
- 2nd 9-weeks: 39 days, 17,040 minutes
- 3rd 9-weeks: 41 days, 18,040 minutes
- 4th 9-weeks: 48 days, 21,000 minutes

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| Grand Total | 176 days | 77,120 minutes |

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  - SD Waiver Days: 4 days, 1,680 minutes
- **September 2019**
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- **October 2019**
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- **December 2019**
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- **January 2020**
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- **February 2020**
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- **March 2020**
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- **April 2020**
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- **May 2020**
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- **June 2020**
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- **July 2020**
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**Dickinson Independent School District**

- 2019–2020 School Hours
  - **Elementary** (grades K–4)
    - 8:35 a.m. - 3:55 p.m.
      - (AM Pre-K)
    - 8:35-11:45 a.m.
      - (PM Pre-K)
    - 12:45 p.m.-3:55 p.m.
- **Middle School/Junior High** (grades 5–8)
  - 7:55 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
- **High School** (grades 9–12)
  - 7:15 a.m. - 2:35 p.m.

Board approved February 4, 2019.
Revisions approved May 6, 2019.