



ROSSVIEW HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

July 29, 2022

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to the 2022-2023 school year! We look forward to a wonderful school year.

<https://rossviewhigh.cmcss.net/>

Upcoming Events

Aug. 2-3	Freshman Orientation 9-11:30 AM
Aug. 3	Golf vs. Montgomery Central & Springfield @ Swan Lake
Aug. 5	New Student Orientation 1-2 PM
Aug. 6	Pass and Go at Wyatt Johnson Hyundai 9-11 AM
Aug. 8	First ½ Day for Students
Aug. 9-10	Students do not report; Faculty in-service days
Aug. 9	Girls Soccer vs. Fairview @ RHS
Aug. 10	Golf vs. Clarksville Academy & West Creek @ Swan Lake
Aug. 11	First full day for students Girls Soccer vs. Hume Fogg @ West End Middle School “Meet the Hawks” at 7PM at RHS Stadium
Aug. 12	Football Jamboree @ NEHS; RHS vs. NWHS at 6PM
Aug. 25	RHS Open House from 5-7 PM
Sept. 9	Homecoming vs. Northeast
May 27	Graduation at APSU Dunn Center 3-4 PM

Thank you to our football team, who helped a community member move into a new house. We appreciate our football coaches for teaching our athletes to give back to the Rossview community!



ROSSVIEW High School

Freshman Orientation- Class of 2026

Grade 9 students attend both days, August 2 and August 3, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday, August 2nd	Wednesday, August 3rd
Enter through the side of the school. (Activities Entrance) 8:30- 9:00 Student Registration 9:00 Parent Information Meeting *Parents will be dismissed at the conclusion of the meeting. Freshman Orientation Begins 11:30 Orientation Concludes	Enter through the side of the school. (Activities Entrance) 8:45 Doors Open for Students 9:00 Freshman Orientation Begins 11:30 Orientation Concludes

CAR RIDER PROCEDURES FOR DROP-OFF & PICK-UP:

- Park in the lower student parking lot near the baseball/football fields.
- Parents or their designees will remain in their vehicle for student pick-up.
- Students will be dismissed to the lower level student parking lot to locate parent vehicle.
- Please allow for ample travel time to accommodate heavy traffic on Rossview Road.

BUS PICK-UP & DROP-OFF LOCATIONS:

Pick Up

8:00-8:10 a.m. – Clarksville-Montgomery County Public Library

8:15-8:25 a.m. – Burt Elementary School

8:40-8:50 a.m. – Bell Crossing (playground area on Kettering Ct)

Drop Off

11:45 a.m. – Bell Crossing (playground area on Kettering Ct)

12:00 p.m. – Burt Elementary

12:15 p.m. – Clarksville-Montgomery County Public Library

Please email becky.padgett@cmcss.net with questions concerning Freshman Orientation.
Freshman Class of 2026 t-shirts will be on sale for your student to purchase during orientation.

IMPORTANT SENIOR DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
Senior Portraits - must schedule by www.rebrand.ly/CMCSS23	August 14		
Senior Financial Aid Night	August 25	5:30 PM	Theater
ASVAB	August 26	7:30 AM	Cafeteria
College Fair	September 14	6:00-8:00 PM	APSU Foy Center
College & Career Week	Sept 19 – 23	All Week	RHS
Senior Portraits (makeup day)	September 22	TBA	RHS
TN Promise App Night	September 22	5:00-7:00 PM	RHS
TN Promise Application Deadline	November 1		www.TNPromise.gov
FAFSA Frenzy Day Workshop	February 2	7:30 AM-2:30 PM	Library
FAFSA Night	February 2	4:30-6:30 PM	Library
TN Promise FAFSA Deadline	March 1		https://fafsa.gov/
Senior Hiring Expo	May 3	TBA	TBA
Senior Awards Night	May 9	7:00 PM	Theater
Prom	May 13	8:00-11:30 PM	Valor Hall
Graduation	May 27	3:00 PM	APSU Dunn Center

Dates and time are tentative and subject to change. Updates will be posted on our RHS School Counseling Webpage.

General Announcements

- Would you like an opportunity to show your appreciation for our amazing faculty and staff? Our teachers have professional development/ in-service on August 4, 5, 9, and 10. We are looking for local businesses, organizations, clubs, and churches to sponsor breakfast, lunch, or snacks/treats for our faculty and staff. If you would like to support us as we work hard to prepare for another fabulous year, please email Dr. Sanders at Meghen.Sanders@cmcsc.net for more details!
- RHS Freshman Orientation (Class of 2026)
 - August 2 and 3, 2022
 - 9:00 AM- 11:30 AM
 - Enter through the **RHS Activities Entrance**
 - Parent meeting will be held on **August 2 at 9:00 AM**
- **Softball:** Rossvie High School Lady Hawks Softball team will host tryouts on August 3rd & 4th from 6:00 to 8:00PM on the softball field. ALL participants must be dressed appropriately for this tryout. In addition, all participants must bring their own equipment and water. This is a CLOSED TRYOUT.
 - Interested Rossvie student participants must submit the Google form linked below by August 2nd: <https://forms.gle/jcPWxKZbr1xL6bYK8>
- Parking passes will be sold on the following dates during lunch:
 - August 15: Honor Society Members and Freshman Focus Mentors
 - August 16: Seniors
 - August 17: Juniors
 - August 18: Sophomores
- Check out the School Counseling webpage at <https://sites.google.com/cmcsc.net/rhs-school-counseling/home> for important information and upcoming senior dates! Bookmark it, and check back weekly.
- Tennessee Tax-Free Weekend: The state of Tennessee's annual sales tax holiday is held every year, beginning at 12:01 a.m. on the last Friday in July and ending at 11:59 p.m. the following Sunday night. During this weekend, certain goods may be purchased tax-free. The 2022 tax-free holiday weekend begins at 12:01 a.m. on Friday, July 29, and ends Sunday, July 31 at 11:59 p.m.

RHS Points of Contact

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2022-2023 Schedules

Schedules will be available on August 5th in Powerschool. Students can view their schedules by going to the following website and entering their username and password.

<https://powerschool.cmcss.net>

Schedule Corrections

Schedule corrections are made during the FIRST 10 DAYS OF SCHOOL for the following reasons only:

- A class is missing from the schedule
- Required prerequisite has not been met
- A failed course needs to be repeated
- Course was passed or already repeated
- There is a blank period in the schedule

Students enrolled in AP and Honors classes are expected to remain in the selected classes as stipulated in the AP or Honors contract. Students meeting one of the criteria above should click the link below.

Schedule Correction Form

Students unable to submit the form using the google link will be able to turn in a schedule correction form through their English teachers during the first few days of school.

*Please note that scheduling for the 2022-2023 school year is not yet finalized, changes are still being made. If schedules are viewable online, please note that the only correct schedule is the one that will be available through Powerschool on Aug 5th.

School Lunch Information

Note: Universal Free Breakfast and Lunch Has Ended ☹

Free and Reduced Application Information-For Parents and Guardians

- Parents and guardians that feel their household may be eligible for free or reduced meal benefits, will need to submit an application for the 2022-2023 school year. Even if they have applied in previous years, **it is important to re-submit each year**
- Once on the website <https://www.schoolcafe.com/>, parents and guardians will be asked to set up an account and create a username and password. Once your account is set up, you will follow the steps to fill out the application

Payments and Charges-For Parents and Guardians

- Parents and guardians who wish to use the cafeteria this year are encouraged to pre-pay their students' cafeteria accounts via School Cafe, this is a safe and convenient online system that allows parents to make payments, track meal balances and purchases, and monitor their student's account.
- If you choose not to use the pre-payment method, **exact change is required**. If you do not have exact change, the surplus will be added to your account balance.

Helpful Directions:

- Go to <https://schools.mealviewer.com/school/RossviewHighSchool>
- Link to School Café (to load money or pay debt): <https://www.schoolcafe.com/>

Staying Connected with Communications from RHS and the District:

CMCSS families are encouraged to sign up for PowerSchool and SchoolMessenger notifications. These are the primary means of communication from both school-based administrators and the district. Families will receive everything from inclement weather messages to instruction updates. You can download the PowerSchool Mobile app (free) on any Android or iOS device, including Apple Watch, and sign up for text alerts, too.

- **UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION:** Throughout the year, if a parent or guardian needs to update his or her contact information, please visit **CMCSS Parent Self-Service** and click the **“Update Student Information”** tile to enter new contact information.
- **CMCSS ON SOCIAL MEDIA:** Follow CMCSS on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram @cmcssinfo. Subscribe to the district’s Focus Video YouTube Channel @cmcssfocus.

For the directions below, please note that PowerSchool will be enabled on August 5, 2022. If you do not already have an account, please check back on or after August 5 to create an account.

CREATING A POWERSCHOOL ACCOUNT: To create a PowerSchool account, visit powerschool.cmcss.net, click the Create Account tab, and complete the form. You can find your child’s Access ID by visiting <http://www.parent.cmcss.net> and click on Get Student Security Info.

POWERSCHOOL MOBILE APP: The PowerSchool app is a free and convenient resource for families to review their child’s academic progress. Once you set up an account using the directions above, download the app from the App Store or Google Play. Use CMCSS’ district code P Z Q N when you register.

SCHOOLMESSENGER TEXT ALERTS: Once you’re registered in PowerSchool, text (Y) to (67587) and opt-in to mobile messaging.*Messaging and data rates may apply.

Reminder for Back to School Shopping: CMCSS Dress Code

Student Code of Conduct, pages 50-51

The dress code is designed to ensure the health and safety of students and to avoid distractions to the educational process, while preserving the basic rights of individuals. The following guidelines must be followed:

1. Attire must not be destructive to school property (i.e. body chains, spikes).
2. Dress must comply with the health and safety codes, regulations, and recommendations of the State of Tennessee and federal health agencies.
3. Dress or appearance must not interfere with the educational process or the rights of others.
 - a. Hats, caps, hoods, and distracting headwear are prohibited inside buildings during school hours.
 - b. Sunglasses are prohibited inside buildings unless prescribed.
 - c. Bare midriffs, see-through garments, undergarment type shirts, bare backs, halter tops, low-cut blouses and pants, mini-skirts, tank tops, cut-offs, and pajama pants are prohibited.
 - d. Shorts, in appropriate lengths and materials, are permitted in grades K-12. No spandex or brief type shorts are permitted.
 - e. Leggings are permissible as long as they are not see-through.
 - f. Skirts and dresses must be longer than mid-thigh.
 - g. Obscene, profane, provocative, violent, or inflammatory words or pictures on body/skin, clothing or jewelry, or clothing advertising alcoholic beverages, drugs, drug paraphernalia or tobacco products are prohibited.
 - h. Students in grades 6-12 are prohibited from wearing, while on school property or at any school-sponsored activity, any type of clothing, apparel, or accessory, which denotes such students’ membership in or affiliation with any gang (T.C.A. § 49-6-4215).
 - i. Extremely low-riding pants are not allowed because they are a safety hazard. "Sagging" is not permitted.
 - j. Body piercings shall not distract from the instructional process.
 - k. Jewelry ornaments or accessories which distract from the educational process or which present a safety concern will not be allowed (i.e. grills).
 - l. Clothes worn with holes above mid-thigh must have garment worn beneath them.
 - m. Standard footwear including shoes, boots, athletic shoes, ~~and~~ **or** sandals must be worn. House shoes or skate shoes will not be allowed.

NOTE: Individual schools will assume responsibility for determining compliance with the dress code for ruling on specific items of clothing and general appearance for reasons of safety and health, or for the order, well-being, and general welfare of students.

Additionally, existing laws and/or school regulations require the wearing of protective clothing, eye shields or other dress for the health or safety of students participating in certain activities. Each school will notify students of these rules. Students failing to comply with the dress code shall be required to make immediate arrangements for appropriate clothing. Refusal to make such arrangements shall result in suspension for one school day for the first offense and up to 10 days for repeated violation.

Dismissing Students

In order for a student to be dismissed, the following must be done:

- A student brings a hand-written parent note in the morning of the school day they need to be dismissed. The note MUST have guardian's name giving permission, phone number, and time the student is to be dismissed.
- Parent/Guardian comes into the front office with their driver's license to check the student out.

NOT acceptable for dismissal:

- Phone calls
- Emails
- Faxes
- Self-dismiss

Drivers' Permit:

- Must fill out an SF-1010 form, these can be picked up in the front office.
- After filling out the form, the front office assistants will check for the following State of Tennessee Requirements:
 - Student must be at least 15 years of age
 - Students must pass more than half of their courses during the previous semester
 - Students must have fewer than 15 non-consecutive unexcused absences and/or days of suspension during the previous semester OR fewer than 10 consecutive unexcused absences and/or days of suspension during the previous semester.
- When the student's form is ready, they will be notified when to pick up in the front office.
- Please allow 24 hours to process.
- Forms are valid for 30 days from the date. When expired, students will have to complete the process again.
- **If students owe any fees (books, laptops, charger, etc). They will not receive an SF1010 form until these fees are paid. **

Helpful Links:

Calendars: <https://www.cmcss.net/calendars/>

School website: <https://rossviewhigh.cmcss.net/>

RHS on Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/Rossview-High-Hawks-1209149245867625/>

Rossview Traffic Plan:
<https://www.cmcss.net/rossview-traffic-plan/>

School Counseling webpage:
<https://sites.google.com/cmcss.net/rhs-school-counseling/home>

CMCSS Safety & Health Protocols:

What COVID-19 health and safety protocols are in place? Click on this link to learn more:
<https://www.cmcss.net/blog/2021/05/19/2021-2022-health-and-safety-overview/>