

SPRING 2019 AIR TESTING COMMUNICATION AND FAQs

In an effort to protect as much instructional time as possible and to give students the best possible testing conditions we can, we will be following an alternate testing schedule on a few days this spring. Although the schedule has been presented before, here it is again with some answers to Frequently Asked Questions.

**** 9th and 10th graders -- BE SURE TO CHARGE AND BRING YOUR CHROMEBOOK EVERY DAY AS YOU WILL USE THAT FOR TESTING**

Monday April 8th and Thursday April 11th -- (English I and English II AIR Test)

All students will be in attendance with the regular start time and end time to the school day of 7:20-2:30. However, during the day, they will be attending only periods **1-3-5-7** for a double-blocked length of time. This will allow students to finish each part of the English I or English II AIR Test during their scheduled English class.

1st Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 1st and 2nd Bell classtime.

3rd Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 3rd and 4th Bell classtime.

5th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 5th and 6th Bell classtime.

7th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 7th and 8th Bell classtime.

Tuesday April 9th and Friday April 12th -- (English I and English II AIR Test)

All students will be in attendance with the regular start time and end time to the school day of 7:20-2:30. However, during the day, they will be attending only periods **2-4-6-8** for a double-blocked length of time. This will allow students to finish each part of the English I or English II AIR Test during their scheduled English class.

2nd Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 1st and 2nd Bell classtime.

4th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 3rd and 4th Bell classtime.

6th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 5th and 6th Bell classtime.

8th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 7th and 8th Bell classtime.

**** FAQs FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 8th ****

- 1) How will lunch work on these days, especially on the 9th and 12th since we don't have 5th period?

Answer -- A special lunch schedule has been created that teachers will share in class the week before. Everyone will still have a 30-minute lunch.

- 2) What if I am a senior and have 8th bell "Early Out"?

Answer -- Since we don't have 8th bell on the Monday and Friday, your school day will go until 2:30. However, since 8th bell begins earlier on Tuesday and Friday, you will get out even earlier on those days. The total result is you still have the same total amount of "Early Out" time that you normally do for the week.

- 3) What if this schedule creates a conflict with a CCP class I am taking?

Answer -- If there is no conflict with an actual CCP classtime and it just a change to your normal daily routine, you will be expected to be at your classes at LHS. If there is an actual conflict with a CCP classtime you certainly can't be in two places at once. Please communicate with either your LHS teacher or your professor and make them aware if you will be missing their class due to the schedule this week. If you have to sign out of LHS and miss a class you normally attend, please provide Mrs. Murphy a note from a parent/guardian verifying you will be attending a CCP class. This will not count against perfect attendance as you will still be attending school.

- 4) Does this change anything in regards to bus transportation?

Answer -- No. The buses will still run as normally scheduled at the beginning and end of the school day. The only difference for students will be on Tuesday and Friday when they arrive at school. Instead of reporting to 1st Bell, students will report to 2nd bell at the start of the day.

- 5) Are there any changes for Wednesday, April 10th?

Answer -- No. This will be a regularly scheduled day like every Wednesday.

Thursday April 25th and Friday April 26th -- (Biology AIR Test)

Since Biology is already a double-blocked class, students will be taking Part I of the Biology Air Test in class on Thursday and Part II of the Biology Air Test in class on Friday. This will be a regular day for everyone else.

Monday April 29th -- (Government and U.S. History AIR Test)

Testing Time -- 7:20-10:30 Class Periods 1-2-3-4 from 10:40-2:30

- 1st Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 5th Bell classtime.
- 2nd Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 6th Bell classtime.
- 3rd Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 7th Bell classtime.
- 4th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 8th Bell classtime.

Tuesday, April 30th -- (Algebra I and Geometry AIR Test)

Testing Time -- 7:20-10:30 Class Periods 5-6-7-8 from 10:40-2:30

- 5th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 5th Bell classtime.
- 6th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 6th Bell classtime.
- 7th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 7th Bell classtime.
- 8th Bell Class -- will meet during the normal 8th Bell classtime.

**** FAQs FOR APRIL 29th and APRIL 30th ****

- 1) What time do I arrive at school on these days?

Answer -- **If you are in** one of the classes being tested on either of these days, you will arrive at the regular time and take your test in the morning. **If you are not in** one of those classes being tested on those days, you will have a late arrival and be allowed to arrive by 10:30. This would be similar to arriving later than normal during our final exam schedule if you did not have a final exam at the beginning of the day. If you need to ride the bus or be dropped off at the regular time, you will have a supervised study hall in the cafeteria.

2) What if I am a senior and have 8th bell "Early Out"?

Answer -- Since we do not have 8th bell on Monday, you will not have "Early Out" on this day. You will have it as normally scheduled on Tuesday.

3) What if this schedule creates a conflict with a CCP class I am taking?

Answer -- If there is no conflict with an actual CCP classtime and it just a change to your normal daily routine, you will be expected to be at your classes at LHS. If there is an actual conflict with a CCP classtime you certainly can't be in two places at once. Please communicate with either your LHS teacher or your professor and make them aware if you will be missing their class due to the schedule this week. If you have to sign out of LHS and miss a class you normally attend, please provide Mrs. Murphy a note from a parent/guardian verifying you will be attending a CCP class. This will not count against perfect attendance as you will still be attending school.

4) Does this change anything in regards to bus transportation?

Answer -- The buses will still run as normally scheduled at the beginning and end of the school day. Just like our final exam schedule, if you still need to ride the bus or be dropped off at school at the regular time and you do not have an exam, you will report to the cafeteria for a supervised study hall time.

5) How will lunch work on these days, especially on the 29th since we don't have 5th period on that day?

Answer -- The 3-lunch rotation will begin at 10:40 like it usually does. A special lunch schedule has been created for April 29th for 1st Bell classes that teachers will share in class the week before. On April 30th, we will begin our day at 10:40 with 5th bell and will then proceed as we normally do including the lunch schedule. Everyone will still have a 30-minute lunch.

ADDITIONAL FAQs ABOUT AIR TESTING IN GENERAL

- 1) Does this schedule apply to students who are re-taking an AIR test or need to take the AIR test but are not currently enrolled in the course?

Answer -- No. Re-takes will be scheduled at other times and you will be notified individually as to where and when you will be taking one of these.

- 2) Does any of this information apply to students at the Warren County Career Center or Alternative School?

Answer - No. You will be testing according to the dates and times that either the Career Center or the Alternative School has set for you. You should report to school as you normally would on any of the days listed above.