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Dear BHS Families,

We are writing to address the BHS Chromebook pickup on Monday, Sept. 14. As you are aware, we asked students to indicate a need for a device through a pre-registration process. In last week's email to families, hybrid students were instructed to report, alphabetically by last name, to the building for orientation and Chromebook pick-up at certain time slots, which were staggered from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.. The 4 to 6 p.m. window was specifically reserved for remote learners. Students were asked to only report to the building during their assigned time slot.

Despite the schedule that was in place, many hybrid students reported to the building around 4 p.m., creating a situation that became unorganized and unsafe. Any student who arrived without a mask was given one, and staff worked to try to enforce social distancing. However, due to the large crowds, staff made the decision to end the Chromebook distribution early, around 5 p.m. Anyone who arrived after 5 p.m. or who had not already received a Chromebook had their names taken and can receive their devices today or tomorrow.

Students will have another opportunity to retrieve a device, if needed.

Tuesday, September 15th

Only students who **pre-registered** and have received a phone call confirming their registration can pick-up during the following designated times and locations:

Main Entrance of BHS (9th and 10th graders) By Last Name -

3:00-3:30 pm	A through B
3:30-4:00 pm	C through D
4:00-4:30 pm	E through Ha
4:30-5:00 pm	He through L
5:00-5:30 pm	M through N
5:30-6:00 pm	O through R
6:00-6:30 pm	S through T
6:30-7:00 pm	U through Z

Front Street Back Entrance/Adjacent to Parking Ramp (11th and 12th graders) By Last Name -

3:00-3:30 pm	A through B
3:30-4:00 pm	C through D
4:00-4:30 pm	E through Ha
4:30-5:00 pm	He through L
5:00-5:30 pm	M through N
5:30-6:00 pm	O through R
6:00-6:30 pm	S through T
6:30-7:00 pm	U through Z

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Wednesday, September 16th

Remaining students. Pre-registration not required. If you received a device this summer and are still in need of a device, please contact your guidance counselor.

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Additional staff will be present to ensure that social distancing and mask requirements are strictly enforced. Students should not report to the building outside of their assigned time slot. If your student cannot report at their assigned time, please contact the main office at 762-8200 to make other arrangements.

Thank you for your support and cooperation as we strive to begin the 2020-2021 school year in the safest way possible.

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