

# Hoover Middle School

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: What are the normal school hours and drop off times?**

A: School classes begin at 7:45am and our final class ends at 2:45pm. Breakfast is served starting at 7:20am. Students are allowed to go to their lockers and make their way to class starting at 7:35am.

**Q: What is the normal drop off and pick up procedures for students?**

A: 7th and 8th doors are on the parking lot side of the building from our entrance off Hillcrest Road. 6th grade will use the doors between Hoover and Lou Henry on Colby Street. 6th grade will use the doors by the "Big Rock" next to our new addition on Colby Street. All 6th grade students are to be dropped off at the Lou Henry parking lot in the morning. We do ask that no parents use the street or bus lane to drop off/pick up due to the danger of a possible traffic accident.

**Q: How do I sign up for Parent Portal access on Infinite Campus?**

A: You will need your ID Portal number. At the time of receiving your Portal ID number you will be emailed documents that walk you through the process. Call Hoover at 433-2830 and receive your ID Portal code to access.

**Q: Is there a monthly lunch menu?**

A: Yes, you may access that at the District's website under "Families" then "Menus" The link is here: [District Lunch Menu](#)

**Q: What is the Exploratory program at Hoover? How does it work?**

A: The Exploratory system at Hoover is a way we are able to offer many different curriculums and passion areas for students to help them discover their own gifts and talents. These classes include work in the area of STEM, leadership, fitness, and the arts. Each student at Hoover has one class period that is dedicated to taking exploratory classes. The student then rotates 5 times throughout the year to try each of our offerings. Each rotation is 7.5 weeks long and graded.

**Q: If school is delayed or dismisses early (unexpected) what is the policy for athletics and activities?"**

A: All athletics and activities are canceled.

**Q: What is the process for picking my student up for appointments or to leave early?**

A: Please allow 5-8 minutes when picking up your student in the Main Office. If you prefer, you may call Attendance at 433-2830 anytime prior to picking up your student, and we will have them present in the Main Office at the designated time. You will need to sign your student out at the Attendance Counter in the Main Office.