Welcome to CBMS!
Home of the Cougar Cubs

It is our mission to make a difference in the lives of children **one day, one student at a time** by empowering them to become students who are lifelong learners, self reliant problem solvers, and empathetic citizens.
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Today’s agenda:

1. Schedule basics (bell schedule including advisory information, your student’s schedule)
2. First day of school information
3. How/Who to get in touch with
4. PBIS/School Rules
5. Join the PTA!
6. Tour the school
School Schedule

- Students are permitted to enter the building at 9:05 am.
  - Students will use grade-level entrances (next slide)
  - Report directly to advisory (unless eating breakfast)
- Classes begin at 9:15.
- Dismissal is at 3:55 pm.

**For the first few days of school, teachers will walk students out to their buses/pick up location.**
6th grade entrance - A stairwell
Core Classes
• 4 Subjects
  – Language Arts
  – Mathematics
  – Social Studies
  – Science

Encore Classes (Rotate, 2 periods)
• “Specials” (For example: PE, True Colors, Band, etc.)
## Cub Cafe Weekly Planner - Advisory

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**Notes:**

Cub Cafe = academic intervention with students who have <75% in class
Student Schedules

● Copies of schedules will be given @ 6th grade orientation & Back to School Night.
  ○ Also available 1st day of school and on Parent/Student Portal.
● We do our best to place students in the classes they requested. However, not all classes fit into students schedules due to scheduling/staffing conflicts.
● At this time, classes are mostly full. Schedule changes are not likely.
Understanding Your Schedule

- A day/B day is a rotation, the classes switch every other day
  - Only for encore classes (say 5(A) on the schedule)
  - Core classes are every day (say 1(A-B) on the schedule)
- Semester classes
  - Some classes are only ½ the year (say S1 or S2 on the schedule, encore only)
  - Some classes are the full year (say 23-24 on the schedule, all core and some encore like PE)
- Period 7 is Advisory (first thing in the morning)

- Monday, August 28th = A Day
  - First Day 6th Grade
- Tuesday, August 29th = A Day
  - First Day 7th and 8th Grade
- Wednesday, August 30th = B-Day
## AACPS Student Schedule
### 2023-2024
#### Chesapeake Bay Middle School

| Student: | Grade: 6 | Counselor: |

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**Term** = When in the year you have that class  
(23-24 = all year, S1 = 1st semester, S2 = 2nd semester)

**Period** = When in the day you have that class  
(A-B = every day, (A) = A day only, (B) = B day only, 7(A-B) = Advisory)
Finding Your Classrooms on the Map

1. Find your room number for your class.
2. Determine if it is on the 1st or 2nd Floor
3. Determine on which side of the building the class is located

How to read the room number:

Side of Building
A = A side
B = B side

Floor
100 = 1st floor
200 = 2nd floor

MOST 6th grade classes are upstairs on the A side!
Schedule Notes - New Staff

- If your schedule says Vacancy 13, your teacher is Ms. Fitch (Room B120/121)
Schedule Notes - Building

- Please do NOT access the areas near the elevator - it is still under construction!
First Day for 6th Graders

Monday, August 28th (A Day)

- 6th grade ONLY
  - Really about learning their schedule, learning about middle school, and learning the building
- Recommend students ride bus to become familiar
- Meet in cafeteria (bring schedule or pick it up)
- Find the table with their advisory teacher’s name
- Advisory teacher escorts the students to their classroom to start the day’s program
First Day for 7th and 8th Graders (2nd day for 6th Graders)

Tuesday, August 30th (A Day)

- 6th graders will enter the building and report directly to their advisory class.
- 7th graders will report to the A-side cafeteria to pick up their schedules.
- 8th graders will report to the B-side cafeteria to pick up their schedules.
- 7th and 8th grade students will report to their advisory classes.
Things to Know - Getting in Touch

**Grades/Class Concerns**
Checking the team newsletter?
Contact the IDT leader (all teachers need to know) or that specific teacher

**Student Welfare**
Counselor - rpyne@aacps.org (or ktepper@aacps.org)

**Behavior**
Administration - mkrzys@aacps.org
PBIS - BLUE Pride

B - Be There, Be Prepared
L - Live Responsibly
U - Uphold Integrity
E - Earn and Give Respect
What can you use Cub Notes for?

- Participate in raffles
- Win prizes
- Enjoy your lunch outside
- Gain access to specific monthly events/incentives Ex: Kickball, Friendsgiving, Karaoke, Rent-a-Teacher
- Ask your teachers how you can spend cub notes in their classroom!
Things to Bring

- Backpack (labelled) - no lockers
- Water bottles (labelled)
- Sweatshirt or jacket (labelled)
- Lunch (or have money added onto School ID)
- School supplies
  - Charged chromebook (and charger just in case)
  - Wired headphones
  - Pencils, pens, binder, folder, pencil pouch
  - Agendas
- PE uniform, especially athletic shoes
- Cell phones? (Cell phones are allowed, but please exercise caution! School rules are off and away during classes)
Please Consider Joining Our PTA!!!

CBMS BACK TO SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Hours - 9:15 - 3:55

Important Dates
- 8/18/23 - Teachers Return
- 8/19/23 - Chesapeake Car Show 9-12 @CBMS
- 8/21/23 - 6th grade and new student orientation, 10 am & 1 pm (choose one)
- 8/24/23 - Back to School Open House 4-6 pm
- 8/28/23 - 6th Grade - First Day
- 8/29/23 - All students return
- 9/4/23 - NO SCHOOL
- 9/21/23 - CBMS PTA meeting @CBMS 7 pm
- 10/14/23 - Trunk or Treat @ CBMS 3-6

Other Information
- Students take Chromebooks every day in addition to school supplies
- School supply list found on CBMS PTA FB page, or CBMS webpage
Free to tour!

- Student helpers will be stationed around the building to help you find your way
- Teachers are in PD (some are here virtually)
  - PE uniforms are for sale
- Welcome wishes board is upstairs in the 6th grade area - stop by to leave a message for the incoming 6th graders!