

## Coleman Middle School 1724 S. Manhattan Ave. Tampa, FL 33629 813-872-5335

School hours 9:00-4:15 Tues-Fri with early release at 3:15 on Mondays. The campus opens to students at 8:35am, no drop offs prior to this unless registered for before care. First day of school is Tuesday August 25<sup>th</sup> with an orientation the week before, Thursday August 20<sup>th</sup> (Times to be determined). A week prior to the open house you will receive a school newsletter that will have your student's Homeroom. At open house you will report to HR and will receive your official schedule. This meet and greet with teachers is important since you may not conference with every teacher during the year.

Join EDSBY at: <u>https://sdhc.edsby.com/</u> all teacher assignments and best communication with teachers for progress and grades, homework and copies of textbooks.

**Coleman School Website**: <u>http://coleman.mysdhc.org/</u> for campus events, bus schedules, bell schedules and dress code see **Parent and Student** link. Also within this link **programs/extramural sports**, if your child is thinking of playing a sport Mr. Hoskinson strongly suggested that you download the <u>Preparticipation Physical Evaluation</u> and have your child's physician complete it and purchase the mandatory student insurance (\$20.00) and complete the student sports package <u>before</u> school starts.

## Middle School Sports Schedule: 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter: <u>Basketball</u> 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter: <u>Track</u> 3rd Quarter: <u>Soccer</u> 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter: <u>Flag Football & Volleyball</u>

## Facebook page: Coleman Middle School PTSA and Twitter page: @HCPSColemanMS

<u>Parent</u>Teacher<u>S</u>tudent<u>A</u>ssociation (PTSA) willingness to serve forms, Board Contacts and a link to join the Coleman Chronical newsletter can all be found on the website <u>www.colemanptsa.com</u>. An invitation to volunteer for PTSA committees will be sent home on the first day of school. Coleman has a very active PTSA and Dad's club, we look forward to your support.

6<sup>th</sup> grade lunch (30 minutes) is during their **4<sup>th</sup> period** and they will sit with their 4th period class at assigned tables. Each class is 55 minutes and 5 minutes to change classes (most of the 6<sup>th</sup> grade classes are in the same wing along with their lockers) so they'll have plenty of time to navigate lockers and get to class on time, please encourage them to use lockers instead of backpacks while there.

Your child's <u>placement is based on last year's test scores</u> since this year's results won't be available in time for scheduling. The codes for placement are (ending number) **4**-regular class, **5** advanced, **0** honors, **G**-gifted and you will receive your child's placement schedule by mail in the next month or so.

Check out the media center for summer reading suggestions and ratings on movies and books. If you'd like an invite to the parent run **6<sup>th</sup> grade ICEBREAKER** scheduled for August 23<sup>rd</sup> please to submit your email information to: <u>ColemanIcebreaker@gmail.com</u>

All medical issues or medications go to the nurse (forms for medication authorization available). Any 504 plans will travel with your student (so does their student #), if you have any questions there are two guidance counselors, Ms. Wicker **A-L** & Mrs. Morter **M-Z**. All 6<sup>th</sup> graders take PE every day, and the wheel is the elective period and will consist of Band, Orchestra, Art, Technology, and Beginning Foreign Language.

For any general school related questions please call **813-872-5335** to be connected with the appropriate resource.

For PTSA related questions please contact Mindy Taylor at <u>mindy taylor@live.com</u> or Jen Carlstedt at <u>jcarlstedt@verizon.net</u>. For Dad's club related questions contact Paul Carlisle at <u>pcarlisle@artisanprogroup.com</u>.