

# Pepe's PSA #2



**Southington High  
School**

## SENIOR SUNRISE IS ON!

Senior Sunrise will occur on Tuesday, September 8th.

- The actual sun rise is scheduled for 6:25 AM. Students will arrive starting at 6 AM.
- Students park in the main parking lot and walk over to the football field.
- Students need to be distanced and masked. The bleachers are still marked from graduation so there are visuals to show how far apart students need to sit from one another.

I will share a few words and once the sun rises, students will disperse so as to not interfere with the freshman orientation.

Things look a little different.....and we have some new procedures

Masks on at all times unless it is a designated mask break.  
Respect social distancing.





## Navigating the building...Common sense rule



We continue to work with our first responders to schedule safety drills.  
Guidance from the State has been received specifically on this topic.





## Our Cafeteria



## Our Library





## Bathrooms

- 23 bathrooms are open
- Google sign out sheet
  - EVEN IF YOU ARE DISTANCE LEARNING



## Student Drop Off/ Enter and Exit

Reminder: Doors do not open until 7:17. If you choose to drop off your child, they need to socially distance from one another outside of the respective doorway. If you arrive early and wish to wait until the doors open, please use the first parking lot (brand new) located closest to Pleasant Street.

East Classrooms enter/exit via door #4 (corner of pleasant Street and main driveway entrance area) and #7 (Pleasant Street area facing the Ag-Sci building)

Central Classrooms enter/exit via doors #1 (SHS Main Entrance), door #2 midway between the Main entrance and Pleasant Street) and door #8 (which is the designated Ag-Sci doorway located further to the left of door #7)

West Classrooms enter using door #26 (identified as the Gym door and is to the right of the Main Entrance)

(Student schedules contain the classroom number combined with an “E” for East, “C” for Central and “W” for West.)

## Medication Drop Off and Drop Box

The nurse's office will be available Friday September 4th from 8am-2pm, for medication drop off. Please have properly filled out paperwork and medication. Contact the nurses office at 860-628-3255 if you have any questions.

A locked Drop Box is mounted outside of the nurse's office so students do not need to enter if simply dropping off a form.



## **What If I Need a Device?**

Device pick up continues at door #5 (Pleasant Street overhang location) tomorrow (9/4), and next week on Tuesday (9/8), Wednesday(9/9) and Thursday (9/10) from 9am-3pm. Ideally, a parent is present when picking up to sign the form, but we understand if that does not always happen.

# Remote intro to Canvas

## Before we learn this...

Make sure you **use your school email account!**

To learn how to do this, use [this tutorial](#) link or QR code to link to the tutorial.



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## What is Canvas?

- Like Google Classroom except better!

Use this [Video Link](#) or this QR code as the link.



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## How do I log into Canvas?

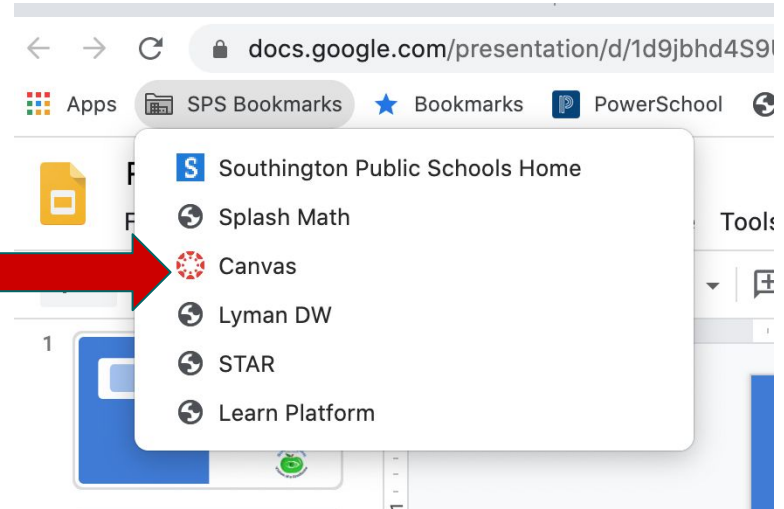
### On a Chromebook

Using the SPS Bookmarks folder, a link is provided to access Canvas

OR



This [Video Tutorial](#) or QR code link is another way to learn how to login; it gives some helpful advice on what to do/not do.



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## How do I log into Canvas?

### On a Non-Chromebook

- a. You should log into the Chrome Browser and then into Canvas
- b. [Video Tutorial](#)--or QR code link--**very important that you follow these steps to set up your account.**



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## What is the Dashboard?

The Dashboard includes all the active courses for each student along with...

- Course tiles,
- a To-Do list
- and a Feedback area.

[Video Tutorial](#) or QR code link to introduce you to Dashboard



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## When I'm remote, how do I “Go to Class?”

**Join a Google Meet!**

This [Video Tutorial](#) (or QR code link) will show you how to join a Google Meet through Canvas. It is pretty easy to do!



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## What are the Modules?

Once you are in a class in Canvas, you will see modules. They are essentially like classes or they can be assignments/projects. Each teacher will set these up based on his/her curriculum.

This [Video Tutorial](#) (or QR code link) explains them further.





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## Where do I see what I need to do?

This [Video Tutorial](#) (or QR code link) will help you figure out how to use the To-Do list feature and the Calendar that will help organize your work visually.



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## Where do I see my teacher's feedback?

The Feedback area is a list of links to all feedback provided by teachers in all courses. Clicking on the link will take the student to that assignment, discussion, or quiz. That information was covered in the [Dashboard Tutorial](#) link (or QR code link).



# The rules of remote...

Please see the attached PDF regarding the use of technology in the classroom.



## SOUTHINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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### USE OF PRIVATE TECHNOLOGY DEVICES BY STUDENTS

Students may possess privately-owned technological devices on school property and/or during school sponsored activities, in accordance with the mandates of this policy and any applicable administrative regulations as may be developed by the Superintendent of Schools.

#### **Definitions**

##### Board Technology Resources

For the purposes of this policy, "Board Technology Resources" refers to the Board's computers and instructional technologies; communications and data management systems; informational technologies and the Internet; and any other technology resources owned and/or used by the school district and accessible by students.

##### Privately Owned Technological Devices

For the purposes of this policy, "Privately Owned Technological Devices" refers to privately owned wireless and/or portable electronic hand-held equipment that can be used for word processing, wireless Internet access, image capture and recording, sound recording, information transmitting and/or receiving, storing, etc. These devices may include, but are not limited to, personal laptops, Smartphones, network access devices, Kindles, Nooks, cellular telephones, radios, personal audio players, I-Pads or other tablet computers, walkie-talkies, Blackberries, personal data assistants, I-Phones, Androids and other electronic signaling devices.

#### **Use of Privately-Owned Technological Devices**

Privately-owned technological devices may not be used during instructional time, except as specifically permitted by instructional staff.

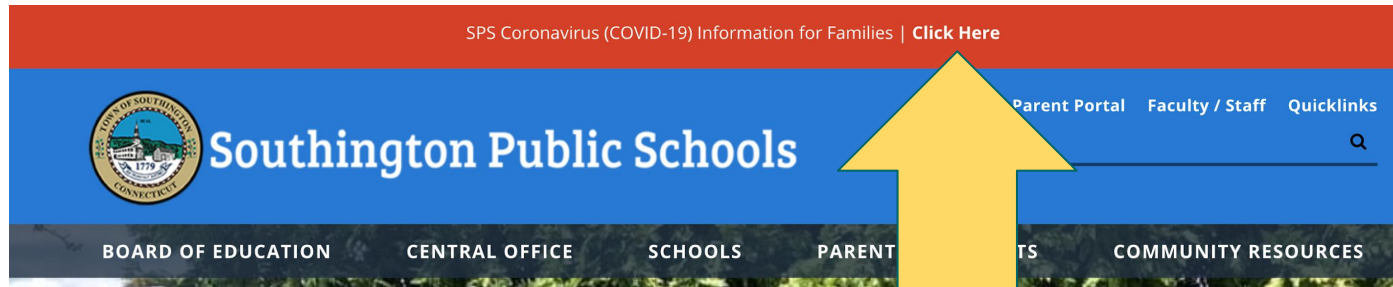
Use of any such device for an improper purpose is prohibited. Improper purposes include, but are not limited to:

- Sending any form of harassing, threatening, or intimidating message, at any time, to any person (such communications may also be a crime);
- Gaining or seeking to gain unauthorized access to Board technology resources;
- Damaging Board technology resources;
- Accessing or attempting to access any material that is obscene or contains pornography;
- Cyberbullying;

# How do I access tech support?

Here is [the link](#) or QR code for students/parents to submit support requests.

This is also available on the COVID-19 Technical Support section on our website.



## Final Thoughts

Continuity of education.

One day at a time.