

MARTIN LUTHER KING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RE-OPENING PLAN 2020-2021



Date: August 10, 2020
Principal: B.T. McMillian

General Information

To begin the school year, we will be taking it slow with everyone in mind. We will begin with a “soft opening.” We will use the Schoology platform (*website below*) along with; but not limited to textbooks, workbooks, student packets, and other resources.

We are fully committed to the work before us. We will be available to assist you in getting prepared. We are anticipating technical difficulties as we move forward. *Please...remain patient and understanding.* There is a lot of work that goes into setting up a virtual classroom at school and at home. We are in the process of contacting all students and their families. We want a clear line of communication; maintaining contact with you is essential. Please make sure we have a phone number on file so that we may be able to reach you.

We want to provide you with as much information as necessary; yet, not overloading you. We want to take “baby steps,” as we engage in virtual learning. We want to walk you [smoothly] through the process. New information is coming out every day and we are trying to streamline the process. Don’t fret; you are going to be a “pro” before long.

Log-In Information for Schoology

Follow these steps:

1. Log your child in using your child’s Student Number (S#) and Social Security Number (SS#). Students will log in as indicated below using their Google credentials.
Username: S#@stu.mps-al.org (Example – **S654321**@stu.mps-al.org)
Password: last 4 digits of the SS# twice (Example – 12341234)
2. Type the Schoology website in the browser:
<https://mpsk12alus.schoology.com/>
3. Click on the student’s name and you are ready to work. Student work will not be available until Monday morning – August 10, 2020.

If you get any error messages, call us. Feel free to leave a message; we are anticipating a high volume of calls. Be prepared to give us the exact error message so that we can resolve the problem efficiently. We want to keep you well-informed. We will be placing information on our local school website; in addition to the MPS website.

MLK – <http://www.mlk.mps-al.org>
MPS website - www.mps.k12.al.us