***Herbert Hoover Middle School After-School Activity Programs will conclude 30 May 2019. See attached schedules and website for specific dates of activities. New clubs may be added so check back from time to time.***

**Signing the Permission Form acknowledges that you are agreeing to the terms and conditions set by the Montgomery County Public Schools and Herbert Hoover Middle School regarding every student’s rights and responsibilities to participate in activities after school hours.**

**Signing the Permission Form also acknowledges that you are permitting your student to attend an activity or activities sponsored by Herbert Hoover Middle School, Montgomery County Public Schools and their staff members.**

1. All students that participate in activities at Hoover Middle School must abide by all set rules and regulations in the handbook they received at the beginning of the school year.
2. **Students must remain in only one activity each day for the duration of the after school program**. Students MAY NOT roam the halls or switch activities during the after school time period. Any student found in the halls without permission will be asked to sit in the office or be asked to leave (with parent permission) for the remainder of the afternoon.
3. All students must be in their sponsored activity by 3:10 pm and may not leave without permission before 4:10 pm.
4. **All students must meet the Academic Eligibility requirements.** Please read, MCPS Regulation IQD-RD, *Academic Eligibility for Middle School Students who Participate in Extracurricular Activities* establishing eligibility standards for participation in extracurricular activities. In summary, it reads: The regulation will not apply to first quarter for grade six students or any student entering MCPS schools for the first time. It also does not apply to students engaged in activities which are extensions of a graded course. Students in grades 6-12 must maintain a 2.0 grade point average with no more than one “E” in the previous marking period to be eligible to participate in the listed activities. A student’s report card will state whether they are eligible for **extracurricular activities.**
5. ***Students will no longer be required to pay the Extracurricular Activity Fee to participate in sports or after school activities***

Below is a chart that indicates when the After-School bus will run. For detailed information on a particular club/activity, please see the table on pages 3 and 4 as well as the link available on the Hoover Homepage. Please note that after school activities ***are not*** held on scheduled half days, the day before a holiday, and when schools are closed early due to inclement weather.

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| **MONTH** | **TUESDAY DATES** | **WEDNESDAY DATES** | **THURSDAY DATES** |
| ***October***  | 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 | 4, 11, 18, 25 |
| ***November***  | 6, 13, 20, 27 | 7, 14, 21, 28 | 1, 8, 15, 29 |
| ***December***  | 4, 11, 18 | 5, 12, 19 | 6, 13, 20 |
| ***January***  | 8, 15, 22, 29 | 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 |
| ***February***  | 5, 12, 19, 26 | 6, 13, 20, 27 | 7, 14, 21, 28 |
| ***March***  | 5, 12, 19, 26 | 6, 13, 20, 27 | 7, 14, 21, 28 |
| ***April***  | 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | 3, 10, 24 | 4, 11, 25 |
| ***May***  | 7, 14, 21, 28 | 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 |

**ACTIVITY BUSES**

* Activity bus schedules are below and more detailed information is on the Hoover website under the activities link. Students must know their address and cross street.
* Hoover Middle School will have two bus routes from October 2 through May 30.
* Starting October 2, the bus routes are as depicted in the following chart.

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| **Bus #1 Route 1204 Departs at 4:25**Some stops listed –make others as required | **Bus #2 ROUTE 1221 Departs at 4:25**Some stops listed –make others as required |
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**Club Schedule: *Specific schedule located on the Hoover Homepage Activities link. Sponsors’ names are hyper-linked to their e-mail.***

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| **ACTIVITY** | **SPONSOR** | **ROOM #** | **DAY** | **TIME** | **DATES** |
| **Art Club:**Students will have the opportunity to explore and create using a variety of mediums.  The Art Club students will be able to help plan and develop some projects & enjoy some seasonal projects along the way.  Students will also be able to help with the Drama production and earn SSL hours.  Donations of newspaper & any craft supplies are always welcome.  If you love Art this is a club for YOU! | DeBoy | 189 | 2nd & 4th Thursdays | 3:10 -4:10 PM | Nov. 8  |
| **Board Game Club:**Students will be able to play a variety of new and classic board games with their friends | Mckain, Clifford | 170 | Wednesdays | 3:10-4:10 PM | Oct. 3 |
| **Book Wars!:**Book Wars is in its 5th year in MCPS middle schools, and this is Hoover’s 3rd year participating. In Book Wars club, students read selected books, discuss them and answer questions about the books to prepare for the Book Wars competition in April against four other middle schools. Basically, it is an interscholastic trivia competition about a selection of books. Hoover has had two winning teams: the 6th grade team in 2016-17 and in 2017-18, our 7th grade team won our Division! The Book Wars competition will be an all-day event at another MCPS middle school on Friday, April 5. | Crossley | Media Center | Wednesdays-on these dates: : 10/10, 10/24, 11/14 11/28, 12/12, 1/ 9, 1/23, 2/ 6, 2/20, 3/6, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3-lunch, 4/5 competition  | 3:10-4:10  | Oct. 10 |
| **Creative Writing Club:**Students write in different genres, including, but limited to, fiction, poetry, free verse, comics, fantasy, personal narratives, and more.  This is an excellent opportunity for students to flex their writing muscles and write for fun. | Husain, Perucci | 018 | Thursdays | 3:10 – 4:10 PM | Oct. 11 |
| **Girls on the Run:**Girls on the Run encourages running and reflection through biweekly practices that include exercising, mainly running, and journaling.  All participants are registered and will participate in a Montgomery County 5k race at the end of the season. For information: Email:hoovergotr@gmail.com | Gatti, Gumlia, Weiner, Beatty | Auxiliary Gym/School Grounds | Tuesdays and Thursdays | 3:10 – 4:10 PM | Sept. 18-Nov. 20Spring dates TBD |
| **Jazz Band:**Jazz band is open to 7th and 8th grade students enrolled in a band ensemble. Students in jazz band will learn the fundamentals of jazz and explore the different styles and techniques jazz has to offer, including improvisation, swing, Latin, funk, and rock. Performances include the Winter and Spring Concerts and the MCPS Jazz Festival.  | Cameron | 195 |  Wednesdays | 6:45-7:55 AM | Sept. 26 |
| **Math Team:**Hoover Math Team is a place for students interested in learning about and/or competing in mathematics competitions.   We do fun puzzles and work on math topics that include math proofs that will blow your parents' minds!  Come on down to Mrs. Sachs’s Math Club if you want to have some Pi! | Ridge | 030 |  Wednesdays | 3:10-4:10 PM | Oct. 3 |
| **Morning Announcements:**Utilizing the whole-school PA system, students rotate every 2 weeks to collaboratively announce important school announcements for each day of the week in 2 week intervals.  This is a fantastic opportunity for students to gain confidence in public speaking and teamwork.  | Shenk | 29 | Monday-Friday | 8:00AM8:20AM | Sept. 13 |
| **Science Bowl:**Science Bowl club is for students in all grades who enjoy answering science questions in a friendly, competitive environment.   Eventually we choose a team that competes in the state tournament.  | Halperin | 153 | Tuesdays | 3:10-4:10 PM  | Oct. 9 |
| **Science Olympiad:**Science Olympiad is a national organization that focuses on STEM related content.  Students prepare for various events by researching, building products, practicing lab skills and preparing impromptu activities, to compete against other students from all over Maryland. There will be 2 teams this year. All interested students must attend first meeting. This is a school year long commitment.  [www.scioly.com](http://www.scioly.com) | Marsteller | 149 | Thursdays | 3:10-4:10 PM | Oct. 4 |
| **SGA Club:**Elected students discuss and act on issues, problems, and concerns in the schools, as well as engaging in countywide activities. | DeBoy, Shiffman | 207 | See Schedule on Website for Election Info | 3:10-4:10 PM | Nov. 8 |
| **Yearbook Staff:***Photography class prerequisite.* Students will create and design the yearbook for this school year. | Baker | 183 | Tuesdays | 3:10-4:10 PM | Oct. 9 |
| **Drama Club & Productions**:The HHMS Drama Club seeks to provide students with opportunities to pair creative thinking with critical thinking- as they collaborate to put on a spectacular show! This after-school program begins in December and requires participants to attend weekly rehearsals leading up to a scripted performance in March. If you are a talented actor, singer, or dancer - or if you prefer to be involved behind the scenes, join our Google Classroom for more information (Code  8w73v6r ) | Jeffrey | Cafeteria | TBD-Parent info meeting Oct. 18, 3:00-9:00 p.m. | 3:10 – 4:10 PM | See Google Calendar on Hoover website for important dates |
| **Heritage Club:**Heritage Club is a place for students of diverse backgrounds to carefully consider how to make Hoover more inclusive for all.  Over the course of the year, we will learn about world cultures from guest speakers, have conscious conversations about diversity, share our own traditions and celebrations with one another, and will find positive and constructive ways to share all we learn with the rest of Hoover Middle School. | CliffordAbbas | 163 | Tuesdays | 3:10-4:10 PM | Oct. 2 |

**Interscholastic Schedule:** Consistent with all other middle schools in MCPS, Hoover will offer the following interscholastic sports for 7th and 8th graders only:

* Fall- boys’ softball, girls’ softball and co-ed cross country
* Winter- boys’ basketball and girls’ basketball
* Spring- boys’ soccer and girls’ soccer

Students must have an updated physical (within two years) on file in the health room and they must be academically eligible to participate. Sixth grade students may not participate in interscholastic sports, but they are encouraged to join intramural activities that are advertised during the school year***.*** *Specific game schedules can be found on the Hoover webpage activities link.*

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| **Activity** | **Sponsor** | **Room** | **Day\*** | **Time** | **Start** |
| Cross Country Team | Ridge | Track | **Try-outs Sept. 13** | 3:20 PM | Sept. 13 |
| Softball Team | Boys: GemmillGirls: Hamilton | Fields | **Try-outs Sept. 13** | 3:20 PM | Sept. 13  |
| Basketball Team | Boys: RomanGirls: Gemmill | Gym | **Try-outs Nov. 27** | 3:20 PM | Nov. 27 |
| Soccer Team | Boys: BalsamoGirls: Adamou | Fields | **Try-outs March 5** | 3:20 PM | March 5 |

\*Players will receive a schedule from coaches identifying practice dates.

[**http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/athletics/events/ms-schedules.aspx**](http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/athletics/events/ms-schedules.aspx)

**Intramural Schedule:** Open to all grade levels. These games take place before or after school. If the event takes place before school, students are still expected to arrive to first period on time. *Specific schedules can be found on the Hoover webpage activities link. Please contact Mr. Gemmill if you have any questions at Raymond\_E\_Gemmill@mcpsmd.org*

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| **ACTIVITY** | **COACH** | **LOCATION** | **MEETING DAY** | **START DAY** | **TIME** |
| Basketball | Gemmill | Blacktop | 9/14/187:50 AMGym | 9/24/18 | 7:50-8:05 |
| Tennis | Hamilton | Tennis Courts | 9/26/188:00 AMGym | 10/03/18 | 7:50-8:10 |
| FlagFootball | Gemmill | Fields/Gym | TBD | TBD | 3:15-4:15 |
| Soccer | Bowen/Gemmill | Gym | TBD | TBD | 7:40-8:05 |
| Gaga | Gemmill | Aux Gym | TBD | TBD | 3:15-4:15 |
| Fitness | TBD | Weight Room | TBD | TBD | 7:40-8:05 |
| UltimateFrisbee | Gemmill | Fields/GYM | TBD | TBD | 7:40-8:05 |
| Volleyball | TBD | GYM | TBD | TBD | 3:15-4:15 |

**Student Participation Permission Slip**

***Directions: Return this page to the activity sponsor on the third date of the activity.***

**Part A:**

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Please print child’s name clearly, first and last name Grade

**Part B:**

I have read and reviewed the rules and regulations for participation in the after school activities program at Herbert Hoover Middle School and allow my son/daughter to participate in the activities they have signed up for.

**Part C:**

Please place a check next to the following option that applies:

* My child will ride Activity Bus # \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (See page 2 for bus stops for Buses 1, 2, and 3)
* My child will be picked up by a guardian/parent.
* My child is a walker.

**Part C:**

Please list the activity or activities for which your child would like to participate:

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**Part D:**

In case of emergency, I can be reached at: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Parent/Guardian telephone #

Or contact the following person: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Print name clearly

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Emergency contact telephone # Parent Signature