

November
2020



Valleyview School

Important Dates:

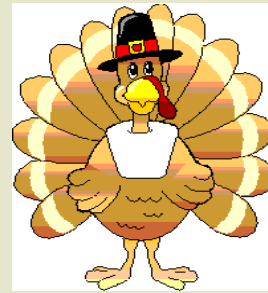
- Sun 11/1 Daylight Saving Time ends
(turn clocks back 1 hour)
- Tue 11/3 Election Day
- Tue 11/3 PTO meeting via Zoom, 6:30 pm
- Wed 11/4 Board of Ed meeting via Zoom,
6:00 pm
- Wed 11/11 NO SCHOOL - Veterans Day**
- Thu 11/12 Half Day 11:40 am Dismissal** for
parent/teacher conferences
- Fri 11/13 11:40 am early dismissal** for
parent/teacher conferences
- Fri 11/13 End of 1st Quarter
- Mon 11/16 11:40 am early dismissal** for
parent/teacher conferences
- Tue 11/17 School Pictures for Blue Cohort
- Wed 11/18 School Pictures for Remote
Learners only, 2:00-4:00 pm
(more details to come)
- Wed 11/18 Board of Ed meeting via Zoom,
6:00 pm
- Thu 11/19 School Pictures for Yellow Cohort
- Wed 11/25- NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break**
Fri 11/27

***Please remember to send
the school picture order
form to school with your
child on the day of their
scheduled session.***



VALLEYVIEW PHONE NUMBERS 607-433-8252

Principal, Mr. Baskin	ext. 6400
Main Office, Mrs. Corna	ext. 6401
Guidance Counselor, Mrs. Hoffman	ext. 6403
Health Office, Mrs. Zakala	ext. 6402
Library, Mr. Parmerter	ext. 6405
Bus Garage	433-8205



1. Emergency Closings

Please read the information on the back regarding emergency school closings. Students should know ahead of time where they are to go in the event of an unscheduled closing.

2. Parking

Please do not park in front of the school between 8:20 am and 3:20 pm as this is a fire lane and bus loading area. In addition, please do not park near the stairs in the parking lot. This blocks the parking lot entrance and backs traffic up into the street.

3. Winter Weather Clothing

As the weather turns colder, students should come to school prepared to go outside for recess (boots, hats, gloves, snow pants). Students who do not have weather appropriate clothing will be asked to stay on the blacktop and will not be allowed on the back field at recess. In addition, please note that school policy states that students may not wear shorts to school from November 1st through April 1st.

4. Student Drop-Off and Pick-Up Reminders

- If you are dropping off or picking up students from the parking lot, please park in one of the designated parking spaces.
- If you are dropping off or picking up students from Valleyview Street in front of the school, please utilize only the side of the street that allows students to exit your vehicle directly on to the sidewalk in front of the school so students do not have to cross the street.
- Hudson Street (behind the school) can be used as an alternate pick-up/drop-off location. Students may enter school grounds from Hudson Street through the playground gate entrance.

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EMERGENCY SNOW DAYS, EARLY CLOSINGS & SCHOOL DELAYS

- * In the event it is necessary to close school for the day due to inclement weather or other emergency reasons, the district's auto-notification system will call the home/primary number, cell number and work number for all parents/guardians to alert them of the news. Please note that this information is also publicized on our local radio and television stations, as well as the Oneonta City School District website, and The Daily Star website.
- * A one hour or two hour delay means that school will start one hour (9:25 am) or two hours (10:25 am) later than usual and that buses will be one or two hours late in their normal morning pick-ups depending on the length of the delay.
- * If school is delayed ONE HOUR, the morning program will begin at 8:15 am. If school is delayed TWO HOURS, the morning program will begin at 9:15 am.

Food Pantries and Meal Sites in Oneonta

As of October 20, 2020 during COVID-19

Food Pantry	Hours and/or By Appointment Only
Helping Hands Food Pantry 7thDay Adventist Church 634 NYS 205, Oneonta Nancy Vroman: 432-8354; nvroman@stny.rr.com	By Appointment Only 607-432-2193
Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry St. James' Episcopal Church 18 Elm Street, Oneonta Joyce Mason: masonj@stjamesoneonta.org	Monday thru Friday 9:00am to 2:00pm 432-3558 (Lord's Table) 432-1458 (church)
St. Mary's Food Pantry 38 Walnut Street, Oneonta Linda Burns: doeridge2016@gmail.com	By Appointment Only Monday/ Wednesday/Friday 607-386-2623
Salvation Army Food Pantry 25 River Street, Oneonta Samuel Reeder: samuel.reeder@use.salvationarmy.org	By Appointment Only Monday/Wednesday/Friday 10:00am to Noon and 1:00 to 4:00pm 607-432-5960

Oneonta Meal Sites – All Take-Out

The Lord's Table St. James' Episcopal Church 18 Elm Street, Oneonta	Monday thru Friday 4:30 to 5:30 PM 607-432-3558
Meal with a Message The Salvation Army Church 25 River Street, Oneonta	Sundays 4:00 to 5:00PM 607-432-5960
Saturday's Bread First United Methodist Church 66 Chestnut Street, Oneonta 607-432-4102	Saturdays -11:00AM to 1:00PM Go to Church Street entrance. Deliveries within 10 miles of Oneonta. For info call (607) 386-0522 Working with Family Service Assoc. to also de- liver personal hygiene items, baby formula, dia- pers, prescriptions For more info call (607) 432- 2870