

Central Bell Times FY2020

Doors open at 8:15 Daily

M, T, F Bell Times

Period	Central: High School	Minutes
1	8:45 – 9:30	45
2	9:35 – 10:20	45
3	10:25 – 11:10	45
LUNCH	11:15 – 11:45	30
4	11:50 – 12:35	45
5	12:40 – 1:25	45
6	1:30 – 2:15	45
7	2:20 – 3:05	45

Wednesday Bell Times

Block	Central: High School	Minutes
1	8:45 - 9:35	50
2	9:40 – 11:10	90
LUNCH	11:15 – 11:55	40
4	12:00 – 1:30	90
6	1:35 – 3:05	90

Thursday Bell Times

Block	Central: High School	Minutes
1	8:45 - 9:35	50
3	9:40 – 11:10	90
LUNCH	11:15 – 11:55	40
5	12:00 – 1:30	90
7	1:35 – 3:05	90

Period	8 th Grade Academy	Minutes
1	8:45 – 9:30	45
2	9:35 – 10:20	45
3	10:25 – 11:10	45

Period	8 th Grade Academy	Minutes
1	8:45 - 9:35	50
2	9:40 – 11:10	90

Period	8 th Grade Academy	Minutes
1	8:45 - 9:35	50
3	9:40 – 11:10	90

Period	Prep Academy	Minutes
4	11:50 – 12:35	45
5	12:40 – 1:25	45

Period	Prep Academy	Minutes
4	11:55 – 12:40	45
5	12:45 – 1:30	45

Period	Prep Academy	Minutes
4	11:55 – 12:40	45
5	12:45 – 1:30	45

Approximate Bus Times

Note: The bus requires a 20-minute window for loading, departing, in-transit, and unloading. But some schools are closer to Central than others so actual bus times will vary by a few minutes at each school. The bus should arrive at the school at the load time or earlier and will leave as soon as it is loaded. The arrival times include time to unload—usually the bus will arrive earlier than the time listed so that there is time to unload and walk to class. Academy does not count students tardy if the bus is late. Actual arrival times also depend on weather and traffic.

Approximate High School M, T, F Bus Times			
Home School -> Central	Arrive Central	Central -> Home School	Arrive Home School
Load: 8:20 Leave: 8:25	8:40		
Loads: 9:10 Leaves: 9:15	9:30		
Loads: 10:00 Leaves: 10:05	10:20		
Loads: 10:50 Leaves: 10:55	11:10	Loads: 11:10 Leaves: 11:15	11:30
Loads: 12:20 Leaves: 12:25	12:40	Loads: 12:35 Leaves: 12:40	12:55
		Loads: 1:25 Leaves: 1:30	1:45
		Loads: 2:15 Leaves: 2:20	2:35
		Loads: 3:05 Leaves: 3:10	3:25

Approximate High School Wednesday & Thursday Bus Times			
Home School -> Central	Arrive Central	Central -> Home School	Arrive Home School
Loads: 8:20 Leaves: 8:25	8:40		
Loads: 9:15 Leaves: 9:20	9:35		
Loads: 10:55 Leaves: 11:00	11:15	Loads: 11:15 Leaves: 11:20	11:35
*Loads: 1:10 Leaves: 1:15	1:30	Loads: 1:30 Leaves: 1:35	1:50
		Loads: 3:05 Leaves: 3:10	3:25

(*this bus runs on Wed. only – No one comes for p. 7 only on Thurs.)

Approximate Middle School M, T, F Bus Times			
Home School -> Central	Arrive Central	Central -> Home School	Arrive Home School
8 th Loads: 8:20 Leaves: 8:25	8:40	8 th Loads: 11:10 Leaves: 11:15	11:30
7 th Loads: 11:30 Leaves: 11:35	11:50	7 th Loads: 1:25 Leaves: 1:30	1:45

Approximate Middle School Wednesday & Thursday Bus Times			
Home School -> Central	Arrive Central	Central -> School Home	Arrive Home School
8 th Loads: 8:20 Leaves: 8:25	8:40	8 th Loads: 11:15 Leave: 11:20	11:35
7 th Loads: 11:35 Leaves: 11:40	11:55	7 th Loads: 1:30 Leaves: 1:35	1:50

FIGURING OUT THE NEW 7-period HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULE

For middle school students (7th and 8th graders), this is easy. You eat lunch at your home school— 8th graders when they get back to home school and 7th graders before they leave for Academy.

For high school students this is a big change.

- Central high school students will not have MTSS (aka: Scarlet Time, Huskie Time, Rails Time, Polar Bear Time, Rider Time) at their home schools. They will have to use that time to travel or eat.
- If high school students come to Central for periods 1, 2, 3 or 4, the MTSS time is for travel and they eat lunch wherever they have their p. 4 class.
- If high school students arrive at Central for period 5, they will use MTSS time to eat lunch at their home school since their normally scheduled lunch time will be used for travel. This only affects students who ARRIVE for FIVE.

Find your schedule for M, T, F in the left-most column. Follow it across to see what you should do during MTSS time and where your lunch is all week long. (This assumes your home school has 2 main lunch periods).

Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays			Wednesdays			Thursdays		
If you are at Central these periods:	This is what you do during MTSS on M, T, & F	Lunch (MTF)	Then on Wed you will be at Central for these periods:	This is what you do during MTSS on Wed.	Lunch (W)	And on Thurs you will be at Central for these periods:	This is what you do during MTSS on Thursdays	Lunch (Th)
1-3 (3 periods)	Travel to HS	HS 11:35 or 12:25	1 & 2	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15	1 & 3	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15
1-4 (4 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	1-2 & 4	At Central	C 11:15	1 & 3	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15
1-5 (5 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	1-2 & 4	At Central	C 11:15	1, 3, & 5	At Central	C 11:15
1-6 (6 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	1-2 & 4, 6	At Central	C 11:15	1, 3, & 5	At Central	C 11:15
2-3 (2 periods)	Travel to HS	HS 11:35 or 12:25	2 only	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15	3 only	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15
2-4 (3 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	2 & 4	At Central	C 11:15	3 only	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15
2-5 (4 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	2 & 4	At Central	C 11:15	3 & 5	At Central	C 11:15
2-6 (5 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	2, 4 & 6	At Central	C 11:15	3 & 5	At Central	C 11:15
2-7 (6 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	2, 4 & 6	At Central	C 11:15	3, 5 & 7	At Central	C 11:15
3 only	Travel to HS	HS 11:35 or 12:25	X	X	X	3 only	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15
3-4 (2 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	4 only	Travel to C	C 11:15	3 only	Travel to HS	HS 11:40 or 1:15
3-5 (3 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	4 only	Travel to C	C 11:15	3 & 5	At Central	C 11:15
3-6 (4 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	4 & 6	Travel to C	C 11:15	3 & 5	At Central	C 11:15
3-7 (5 periods)	At Central	C 11:10	4 & 6	Travel to C	C 11:15	3, 5 & 7	At Central	C 11:15
4 only	Travel to C	C 11:10	4 only	Travel to C	C 11:15	X	X	X
4-5 (2 periods)	Travel to C	C 11:10	4 only	Travel to C	C 11:15	5 only	Travel to C	C 11:15
4-6 (3 periods)	Travel to C	C 11:10	4 & 6	Travel to C	C 11:15	5 only	Travel to C	C 11:15
4-7 (4 periods)	Travel to C	C 11:10	4 & 6	Travel to C	C 11:15	5 & 7	Travel to C	C 11:15
5 only	Lunch @ HS during MTSS	HS P.4 w/2nd lunch, Travel to C at 12:20	X	X	X	5 only	Travel to C	C 11:15
5-6 (2 periods)	Lunch @ HS during MTSS	HS P.4 w/2nd lunch, Travel to C at 12:20	6 only	Lunch @ HS during MTSS	HS P.4 w/2nd lunch, Travel to C at 1:10	5 only	Travel to C	C 11:15
5-7 (3 periods)	Lunch @ HS during MTSS	HS P.4 w/2nd lunch, Travel to C at 12:20	6 only	Lunch @ HS during MTSS	HS P.4 w/2nd lunch, Travel to C at 1:10	5 & 7	Travel to C	C 11:15

AG and Aviation

If you travel to the Ag and Aviation building on the south side of Des Moines for your Campus class, your schedule is a little different. (NOTE: aviation classes that only meet for one period will be at the Campus building on Grand).

Period	M, T, F Ag/Av	Minutes
1	8:55 – 9:35	40
2	9:35 – 10:15	40
3	10:15 – 10:55	40
5 AG	12:55 – 1:35	40
6 AG	1:35 – 2:15	35
7 AG	2:15 – 2:50	35

Period	Wed. Ag/Av	Minutes
1	8:55 – 9:55	60
2	9:55 – 11:00	65
6 AG	1:45 – 2:50	65

Period	Thurs Ag/Av	Minutes
1	8:55 – 9:55	60
3	9:55 – 11:00	65
5 AG	12:05 – 1:30	85
7 AG	1:30 – 2:50	80

If you are at Ag/Av building these periods:	* PM Aviation Courses will be held at Central Campus periods 4, 5, 6. *PM Ag courses will be held at McCombs Campus periods 5, 6, 7. On Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays this is your travel and lunch schedule:					
1-3 (AM) AG & Aviation	Travel to C at 8:20	Travel to Ag/Av at 8:40	Class 8:55 – 10:55	Travel to C at 10:55	Travel to HS at 11:10	Lunch at HS at 11:35 or 12:25
5-7 (PM) AG ONLY	Lunch at HS during MTSS Time	Travel to C at 12:20	Travel to Ag/Av at 12:40	Class 12:55 – 1:35	Travel to C at 2:50	Travel to HS at 3:05
Ag/Av periods:	On Wednesdays this is your travel and lunch schedule:					
1-2 (AM) AG & Aviation	Travel to C at 8:20	Travel to Ag/Av at 8:40	Class 8:55 – 11:00	Travel to C at 11:00	Travel to HS at 11:15	Lunch at HS at 11:40 or 1:15
6 (only) (PM) AG Only	Lunch at HS during MTSS Time	Travel to C at 1:10	Travel to Ag/Av at 1:30	Class 1:45 – 2:50	Travel to C at 2:50	Travel to HS at 3:05
Ag/Av Periods:	On Thursdays this is your travel and lunch schedule:					
1 & 3 (AM) AG & Aviation	Travel to C at 8:20	Travel to Ag/Av at 8:40	Class 8:55 – 11:00	Travel to C at 11:00	Travel to HS at 11:15	Lunch at HS at 11:40 or 1:15
4 & 6 (PM) AG ONLY	Travel to C at 10:55	Lunch at C at 11:15	Travel to Ag/Av at 11:50	Class 12:05 – 2:50	Travel to C at 2:50	Travel to HS at 3:05