



Edmunds Central School District #22-5

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Date: August 25th, 2026

To: Parents/Guardians

From: Kevin Kunz, Superintendent
Edmunds Central School District

Re: Student-Help Friday Format & MS/HS Late Work

At the regular meeting of the Edmunds Central School Board held on Monday, August 10th, discussion was held regarding the MS/HS Late Work Policy and the format of Student-Help Fridays. That discussion resulted in the following modifications:

1. Points will not be deducted from work that is turned in late; however, late assignments will not be accepted after end of quarter dates unless approved by the principal. Work not turned in by end of quarter deadlines will be awarded no credit.
2. The timeframe for student-help on Fridays run from 8:15 AM to 11:15 AM. Attendance for MS/HS students will be required and tracked as it would on any regular school day. There will be a formal process in place for MS/HS students that will allow them to exempt themselves from attendance on Fridays provided they have no missing assignments, are not failing any classes, and have received the proper "sign-off" from each of their classroom teachers.
3. Parents will be notified via Rooms on Thursday evening should their student be required to attend Student-Help Friday the next day. Please keep in mind that students will know when they leave the school building on Thursday afternoon whether or not they will be required to attend student-help on Friday.
4. Student-help sessions for elementary students will also be modified and run from 8:15 AM to 11:15 AM. These sessions will remain invitation-only.

The school will provide transportation for students on student-help Fridays upon request of a student/parent. Please keep in mind that due to the timeline associated with determining attendance on student-help Fridays, we highly encourage parents to communicate with their student and monitor grades in order to provide the school with timely notice in regard to transportation needs on Fridays.

Sincerely,

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