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# Washington High School

# FLEX Period Basics

— Wednesday, September 11th —  
FLEX Period Presentation

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# Think-Pair-Share

- With a partner, describe a time when you were struggling with something at school.
  - Examples: You needed help learning a concept, mastering a skill, or completing an assignment.
- What would have helped you?



# What is Husky Period FLEX?

- Husky Period FLEX is a tool students use to **support** and **enrich** their learning.
- Husky Period FLEX is a period when students attend a chosen class to **seek help** or **expand learning**.
- Husky Period FLEX is a **30 minute period on WEDNESDAYS and THURSDAYS** for students to meet with teachers and other WHS staff members.

## FLEX Period is During Husky Period (Wed/Thurs)

<i>0 Period</i>	7:01	7:54
Period 1	8:00	8:52
Period 2	8:58	9:50
Brunch	9:50	9:56
Husky	10:02	10:32
Period 3	10:38	11:30
Period 4	11:36	12:28
Lunch	12:28	1:04
Period 5	1:10	2:02
Period 6	2:08	3:00

# Where do I go during FLEX?

- Some teachers or other staff may schedule appointments for you.
- Most of the time, you will be in charge of scheduling your own time.
- If a teacher or other staff member does not schedule an appointment with you, you should make an appointment to work in a teacher's classroom.



# Where do I go during FLEX?

- Sometimes teachers will not be available for appointments because they will be leading specific FLEX workshops (e.g., review sessions or enrichment activities).
- **Closed FLEX (NO FLEX):** While most of the time you will have the choice of where to go, occasionally you will be required to go to your regular Husky Period for specific school presentations or school work.
  - This week: 9/11 & 9/12 will be **Closed FLEX**. Next week we will begin to FLEX! ***You will still take attendance using scanners!***

# FLEXpectations

It is *mandatory* that all students are:

- **Present** in a classroom or other designated space used for FLEX.
- **On Time** to FLEX room
  - ◆ Attendance is taken (scanners)
  - ◆ Consequences for truancy apply just as any other period
- **Carrying ID card** at school every day!



# FLEX Period Expectations

It is *mandatory* that all students are:

→ **Ready to work**

Come to FLEX with questions, materials, and a good attitude!

→ **Engaged in academic work** the entire FLEX period

→ **Respecting the rules of the classroom** you are in!





# FLEX Period Expectations

It is *mandatory* that all students are:

- **Making an appointment for every FLEX period** by 8:00am each Wednesday and Thursday morning. Students will be reminded to make appointments on Mondays.
- **Present for any appointments** scheduled by teachers, counselors, or other Washington High School staff.

*Not attending an appointment scheduled by an WHS staff member will result in a student being marked **truant** for that period.*



# Flex Time Web Application

- Tomorrow, you will learn more about:
  - Logging in to the Flex Time Web Application
  - Viewing appointments scheduled for you
  - Scheduling your own appointments
  - Checking in to a teacher's FLEX Period class

## TeachMore®


*Helping Teachers To Teach Smarter, Not Harder*

**Please enter your student ID and password to access Student FlexTime App for Washington HS.**

Login:

Password:

[Signup](#)  
[Change Your Password](#)



Student Services

# Why are we having a FLEX Period?

- Busy schedules (e.g., sports, clubs, jobs, other responsibilities) make it difficult for many students to find time to meet with teachers.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 BUSY!	2 BUSY!	3 BUSY!	4 BUSY!	5 BUSY!
6 BUSY!	8 BUSY!	9 BUSY!	10 BUSY!	11 BUSY!	12 BUSY!
13 BUSY!	15 BUSY!	16 BUSY!	17 BUSY!	18 BUSY!	19 BUSY!
20 BUSY!	22 BUSY!	23 BUSY!	24 BUSY!	25 BUSY!	26 BUSY!
27 BUSY!	29 BUSY!	30 BUSY!	31 BUSY!		

# Why are we having a FLEX Period?

- FLEX provides an opportunity for *all* students to:
  - Get extra help
  - Further their learning
  - Work with peers on class projects
  - Seek assistance with life skills (e.g., college applications)
  - And much more!
- Through FLEX, students will learn how to manage their time better, advocate for their learning, and become more independent.

# Important Student Information

Please make sure that you are:

- Registered on School Loop.
- Carrying your Student ID Card every day
  - Please raise your hand if you do not yet have a student ID card. Do not raise your hand if you have one, but forgot to bring it.

# Key Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q: What if I don't go to FLEX period?

*A: During the FLEX period all students are required to be in a classroom or other designated space used for FLEX. All students must be engaged in academic work the entire period.*

*Attendance for FLEX is mandatory, just like attendance for any other class. Cuts and tardies result in attendance consequences. Missing FLEX appointments with teachers may also result in lost opportunities to work on assignments, which could impact your grade in those classes.*

# Key Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q: What if I forget to sign up for an appointment in advance?

*A: The best way to ensure you get to go where you want to during Flex Time is to sign-up ahead of time (Go To: <https://teachmore.org/washington/students/>). If you forget to sign up, you will need to quickly find a classroom, with a current teacher on your schedule, in which to work before passing period ends, or else you will be sent to admin flex and marked tardy.*

# Key Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q: My teacher signed me up for her class, but I really need to go somewhere else. What should I do?

*A: Talk to the teacher who made the appointment. Teachers want to make FLEX work for you. We will do our best to help you share your time across all your different classes.*





**Student FAQ Flyer:** [FLEX Period FAQ for Students](#)

**Additional Class Questions:** [FLEX Student Questions - FORM](#)