



# GENESEE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents:

On behalf of the Genesee Intermediate School District, we would like to welcome you to the 2020-2021 school year at Genesee Career Institute. We are pleased that you have chosen to be part of our GCI community and that GCI will be part of your journey towards a future career!

The start date to welcome students to the building is Tuesday, August 25, 2020, (or in coordination with your school district calendar). Our delivery model will continue to be face-to-face instruction that will follow the traditional five-day in-person learning plan as the Office of Career and Technical Education at the Michigan Department of Education highly encourages CTE programs to be hands-on programs. We are fortunate to have adequate space for labs and classroom instruction for each program to allow for social distancing both in classrooms and hallways. We will not be offering an online only option during Phases 4 and 5, however, we welcome students who are attending local high school in a virtual setting to attend GCI in a face-to-face manner. Due to the variance in local school schedules, we are in session sometimes when the local schools are not, and we encourage students to be in attendance at GCI, regardless of their local school schedule.

We will be following all safety protocols in the classroom, building and bus transportation according to the MI Safe Schools Roadmap. These protocols include required masks during transportation and in the classroom, social distancing, daily temperature screenings and regular cleaning and disinfecting of high touch surfaces.

GISD bus transportation will run daily to and from local schools on the following approximate time frame to provide transportation for GCI students. Please check our website for any updates.

District	1 <sup>st</sup> Session Time	2 <sup>nd</sup> Session Time	3 <sup>rd</sup> Session Time	District	1 <sup>st</sup> Session Time	2 <sup>nd</sup> Session Time	3 <sup>rd</sup> Session Time
	7:00 – 8:45 am	8:50 – 10:35 am	12:05 – 1:50 pm		7:00 – 8:45 am	8:50 – 10:35 am	12:05 – 1:50 pm
Accelerated Learning Academy	X	7:55	11:10	Goodrich	6:20	8:05	11:15
Atherton	6:25	8:25	11:35	Grand Blanc	6:30	8:15	11:30
Beecher	6:15	8:05	11:35	Kearsley	6:25	8:00	11:20
Bendle	6:35	8:30	11:40	Lake Fenton	6:35	8:25	11:25
Bentley	6:15	8:15	11:25	Lakeville	5:45	X	11:10
Carman-Ainsworth	6:25	8:25	11:30	Linden	6:00	8:00	11:25
Clio	6:05	7:40	11:10	Madison Academy	6:25	X	11:35
Davison	6:10	8:10	11:20	Montrose	6:10	8:15	11:15
Fenton	6:15	8:15	11:20	Mott Middle College	6:00	8:30	11:15
Flint Southwestern Academy	6:35	8:30	11:35	Mt. Morris	6:15	7:50	11:20
Flushing	6:25	8:05	11:25	Swartz Creek	6:25	8:35	11:45
Genesee	6:15	8:15	11:10	Swartz Creek Alternative	6:30	X	X
Genesee Early College	6:05	8:20	11:20	Westwood/Hamady	6:25	8:10	11:25

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**Important: please complete this short survey to indicate your plans to attend GCI at the link here:**

**<https://bit.ly/30Nk0MY>**

If you have questions about your placement at GCI, please contact your local high school counselor, as they will need to make adjustments to your schedule.

In addition to your Career-Technical Education (CTE) program, all GCI classes include a career-focused online component titled Career Essentials for first year students, and Career Explorations for second year students. A course syllabus and pacing guide with dates and expected completion deadlines will be provided by your instructor for both the course and the online component.

Parents will receive a ParentVUE Activation Letter(s) with the mailing that went out on August 17, 2020. Please activate your account as the GCI ParentVUE account is separate from your sending school ParentVUE account. If you already have a ParentVUE account from 2019-2020, you may not receive an activation letter, as your account is still active. Review and update your contact information in ParentVUE under Student Info, including ensuring that the parent contact is in #1 and the student phone number is in #2. Our communication link to you is important, so we will need accurate emails and phone numbers. Our Student Handbook and 2020-2021 Calendar is available online at [www.geneseecareerinstitute.org](http://www.geneseecareerinstitute.org) (printed copies are also available in the GCI office). Course specific forms will be provided to you directly by your instructor.

In the event that you have questions, please contact the GCI office by phone at (810) 591-4462 or by email at [gci@geneseeisd.org](mailto:gci@geneseeisd.org).

Sincerely,

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Principal

*Jason Carlisle*

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Follow the GCI website at [www.geneseecareerinstitute.org](http://www.geneseecareerinstitute.org), or on Twitter and Facebook to ensure you are getting all the updates throughout the remainder of the summer and into the school year.