



September 15, 2021

Dear Parent or Guardian,

This letter serves as a reminder that the Gwinnett County Board of Education approved the reassignment of several schools in your area — including the area served by Harmony Elementary — to the new Seckinger Cluster. This new cluster will be comprised of Harmony, Ivy Creek, and Patrick elementary schools, Jones Middle School, and the new Seckinger High School, which will open with the 2022-23 school year. This change has been communicated by the school system at the public School Board meeting on November 19, 2020, on the school district website, and in the news media.

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This reassignment of your address to the new cluster will take effect next school year, beginning in August of 2022, and affects only your zoned high school. **While there has been no change in the zoned elementary or middle school for your residence — Harmony Elementary School and Jones Middle School — your address will be reassigned to the new Seckinger High School next school year.**

Only current 9th, 10th, and 11th graders who have been reassigned to Seckinger High School will have an option to remain at their current high school. If you have a qualifying high school student who elects to remain at his or her current high school, your family will need to provide transportation for your student as your residence will receive bus service only to Seckinger High School.

Please note that if your student does not attend his or her zoned school (the school that serves your residence) due to participation in special education, you should continue to work with your current school administration regarding your student's 2022-23 school year placement.

Again, this change takes effect next school year. There is no change for the current, 2021-22 school year.

If you have questions regarding the reassignment of your residence to the new cluster, please contact your local school or call the GCPS Planning Department at 678-301-7085.

Sincerely,

Patrick Burke, Director of Planning
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For more information, please see our website at www.gcpsk12.org/planning

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