

Who Should I Contact?



Swift Middle School

Paul Gladfelter- Principal

John Dolan-Asst. Principal

Our goal as a staff is to work together with you and your child on their overall success. We understand that there is time when "life happens" and your concerns may not be academic but social or emotional in nature. Here are some common parental concerns and who to contact.

- 1) My child just does not seem to be themselves and I am not sure what is going on. Contact Mrs. Jennifer Pearson, School Counselor, for any social or emotional concern you may have about your child. She can be reached at 717-548-2187 or through email at **jennifer_pearson@solancosd.org**
- 2) My child is being bullied and I am concerned. Contact Mr. John Dolan, Asst. Principal. He can be reached at 717-548-2187 or through email at **john_dolan@solancosd.org**
- 3) My child has a medical concern and I need to inform the school of their current medical needs. Contact School Nurse, Nikki Bender, at 717-548-2187 or email **nicole_bender@solancosd.org**
- 4) I would like to talk to the principal of the building about a concern. Contact Paul Gladfelter at 717-548-2187 or email **paul_gladfelter@solancosd.org**
- 5) My child is struggling in class and I am concerned. Contact the class teacher first, if you have further concerns. Contact Jennifer Pearson, School Counselor at 717-548-2187 or email at **jennifer_pearson@solancosd.org**
- 6) I have an attendance question. Contact Mrs. Peg Huber , Office Assistant at 717-548-2187 or **peg_huber@solancosd.org**

a note is required for each absence and should be brought in the day you return to school

- 7) I would like my child tested to determine if there is a specific learning disability that is impeding their educational success. Contact Jennifer Pearson, School Counselor at 717-548-2187 or through email at **jennifer_pearson@solancosd.org**
- 8) I believe my child is in need of gifted enrichment. Contact Jennifer Pearson, School Counselor at 717-548-2187 or through email at **jennifer_pearson@solancosd.org**
- 9) My child is currently in the gifted program at Swift and I have some questions about the program. Contact gifted teacher, Eric Pontius at 717-548-2187 or email at **eric_pontius@solancosd.org**
- 10) I would like to sign up for the monthly Swift Newsletter. You can sign up at the beginning of the school year or contact Kelly Howett at 717-548-2187 or **Kelly_howett@solancosd.org**
- 11) How do I find out if there are any upcoming events? Once a month students receive a lunch menu with a list of upcoming activities on the back. If you need a new copy please contact Mrs. Peg Huber, Office Assistant at 717-548-2187 or **peg_huber@solancosd.org**

- 12) I do not know how to access my child's grades on Powerschool. Contact Mrs. Peg Huber, Office Assistant at 717-548-2187 or peg_huber@solancosd.org
- 13) How much money does my child have in their lunch account and/or I do not understand a lunch charge? Contact Mrs. Wanda Wagner 717-548-6454
- 14) I have a question about homework or what is due? You can check schoology for the specific class or email the teacher about the specific subject area.
- 15) I have a question and don't know who to ask? Contact the main office, 717-548-2187.

6th grade

In 6th grade there are many ways to stay updated on the student's work. We have compiled a list of the ways you will be able to stay up to date on what is going on in 6th Grade. The sixth grade teachers have team plan time between 1:40-2:20pm. Calling during that time does not guarantee that they will be available. If you need to talk to an individual teacher about their specific class or about your child in their class you can email them at the addresses below. If you do not have email access you can also call the school at 717-548-2187.

6th grade Language Arts: dana_zuber@solancosd.org

or karen_stauffer@solancosd.org

6th grade Math: cathy_lees@solancosd.org

6th grade Science: danielle_tercha@solancosd.org

6th grade LEAD: susan_dawson@solancosd.org

6th grade Social Studies: ben_miller@solancosd.org

Learning Support: lisa_tome@solancosd.org

Emotional Support: diana_lyons@solancosd.org

Life Skills: mark_zuber@solancosd.org

If you would like to schedule a meeting with all of your 6th grade students, the teachers are available weekly at 1:40-2:20pm. Contact the 6th grade team leader at 717-548-2187 or through email at dana_zuber@solancosd.org to schedule a meeting.

7th grade

In 7th grade there are many ways to stay update on the student's work. We have compiled a list of the ways you will be able to stay up to date on what is going on in 7th Grade. The seventh grade teachers have team plan time between 8:10-8:50am. Calling during that time does not guarantee that they will be available. If you need to talk to an individual teacher about their specific class or about your child in their class you can email them at the addresses below. If you do not have email access you can also call the school at 717-548-2187.

7th grade Social Studies: Justin_zellman@solanco.sd.org

7th grade Science: cindy_kinsey@solancosd.org

7th grade Language Arts: matthew_lau@solancosd.org

7th grade Math: tara_leister@solancosd.org

7th grade Math Extensions: emily_parmer@solancosd.org

7th grade LEAD: sara_pizzo@solancosd.org

Learning Support: genevieve_domaracki@solancosd.org

Emotional Support: diana_lyons@solancosd.org

Life Skills: mark_zuber@solancosd.org

If you would like to schedule a meeting with all of your 7th grade students, the teachers are available weekly from 8:10-8:50am. Contact the 7th grade team leader at 717-548-2187 or through email at tara_leister@solancosd.org to schedule a meeting.

8th grade

In 8th grade there are many ways to stay update on the student's work. We have compiled a list of the ways you will be able to stay up to date on what is going on in 8th Grade. The eighth grade teachers have team plan time between 10:15-10:50am. Calling during that time does not guarantee that they will be available. If you need to talk to an individual teacher about their specific class or about your child in their class you can email them at the addresses below. If you do not have email access you can also call the school at 717-548-2187.

8th grade Adv. Algebra 1 & Pre-Algebra: kurt_hoffmann@solancosd.org

8th grade Social Studies: jennifer_derr@solancosd.org

8th grade Geography: emily_mankin@solancosd.org

8th grade LEAD: phil_weaver@solancosd.org

8th grade Language Arts: molly_conrad@solancosd.org

8th grade Science: joe_pearson@solancosd.org

Emotional Support: diana_lyons@solancosd.org

Life Skills: mark_zuber@solancosd.org

If you would like to schedule a meeting with all of your 8th grade teachers, the teachers are available weekly from 10:15-10:50am. Contact the 8th grade team leader at 717-548-2187 or through email at kurt_hoffman@solancosd.org to schedule a meeting.

Related Arts

The Related Arts teachers typically announce assignments for students through the grade level homework hotline. Students are also asked to write down upcoming projects and tests in their student agenda. If you need to talk to an individual teacher about their specific class or about your child in their class you can email them at the addresses below. If you do not have email access you can also call the school at 717-548-2187.

Computer Technology: brandon_smith@solancosd.org

Girls gym/7th grade health: morgan_miller@solancosd.org

Boys gym/7th grade health: evan_belczyk@solancosd.org

Technology Education: derrick_kreider@solancosd.org

STEM: kevin_childs@solancosd.org

Family and Consumer Science: jillian_almoney@solancosd.org

Art: melissa_tucker@solancosd.org

Music: erica_biechy@solancosd.org

Band: erin_phillips@solancosd.org

Orchestra: susan_linde@solancosd.org

Library Media Specialist: cynthia_wasilius@solancosd.org

