



BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH TOMORROW'S LEADERS

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Dear Parents and/or Guardians,

To keep our students on the course with their educational responsibilities we have designed a E-Learning plan that will provide meaningful learning opportunities during emergency school closing days. Our staff will utilize the district's 1:1 iPad initiative and other technology resources to provide students access to their curriculum. E-Learning day expectations are aimed to provide a structure for the learning that will be taking place remotely. The goal is to keep learning moving forward for students over an extended period, while trying to ensure that the daily demands for students, teachers, and families are manageable.

Flexibility is key. Teachers will be flexible in terms of student technical difficulties and deadlines for student work. Students need to be flexible in terms of technical difficulties and teacher response times. Parents will need to be patient with both students and teachers as we figure out how to best move learning forward. We appreciate everybody working together and doing the best they can in a unique situation for the good of the students and their learning.

During e-learning students will be provided work from the teachers daily. The work will be assigned to students at the start of their typical school day. Students are expected to check their teachers' Learning Management system (Showbie, Google Classroom, Schoology, etc.) each morning as based on each individual school's schedule. Those school schedules will come to you via your teacher's REMIND account or via email. If you have not signed up for REMIND, we encourage you to do so to improve your child's experience with E-Learning. Work posted by the teachers should be completed and submitted electronically by the end of each day. Teachers will take attendance based on the completed work submitted by students for daily requirements.

Thank you in advance for your understanding and support as we navigate this uncertain time. Please feel free to reach out to your child's teacher, building principal or myself with any questions or concerns you may have.

Respectfully,

Dr. Kimberly Boryszewski, Superintendent of Schools