

BCUSD#8

UPDATE TO FAMILIES

April 7, 2020

THANK YOU!

We appreciate all the flexibility and understanding as we work through this new learning time together.

WE ARE STILL DOING SCHOOL...JUST IN A NEW WAY!

Please know that while our schools are not open, our goal is to continue to engage your children during this time. Children not engaged could see a dip in learning and may need extra help over the summer or at the start of next year.

If you need any help working through this new learning environment, please reach out to your child's teacher(s) and administrators. We are here for you.

NEW MEAL DISTRIBUTION PLAN

BEGINNING ON MONDAY, APRIL 13TH

MAIN LOCATION

Trimpe Middle School

(drop off/pick up lane, back of building)

Mondays and Wednesdays

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

EVENING LOCATION

Boys and Girls Club (main entrance)

Mondays and Wednesdays: 4:30 - 6:30 PM

LOCATIONS THE BUS WILL VISIT

Storey Manor Apartments (parking lot)

Mondays and Wednesdays: 9:15 - 9:30 AM

Enchanted Village (entrance off Culp Lane)

Mondays and Wednesdays: 9:45 - 10:00 AM

Cottage Hills (intersection of Virginia Ave and Haven St)

Mondays and Wednesdays: 10:15 - 10:30 AM

Chateaux Apartments (intersection N Beau Chateaux and Rou des

Chateaux/Lifebrook Church parking lot)

Mondays and Wednesdays: 10:45 - 11:00 AM

Meadowbrook (Meadowbrook School parking lot)

Mondays and Wednesdays: 11:15-11:30 AM

NEXT REMOTE LEARNING PLANNING DAYS

MONDAY, APRIL 13TH
FRIDAY, APRIL 24TH

A REMINDER THAT
STUDENTS DO NOT ENGAGE
IN REMOTE LEARNING ON
THESE DAYS AS OUR STAFF
WILL BE BUSY PLANNING
FOR CONTINUED LEARNING
FOR YOUR STUDENTS.

REMOTE LEARNING PLAN--IMPORTANT PIECES FOR FAMILIES

- We will continue to support our families nutritionally, social-emotionally, and academically.
- We will continue to support students with disabilities.
- Shares timing guidelines and how long your child should be participating in learning activities by building.
- Shares that consistent apps and platforms will be used for students.
- Emphasizes that communication for students will be between staff and parents. We will need the help of our families to engage our learners during this time.
- [LINK TO FULL REMOTE LEARNING PLAN](#)

GRADING GUIDANCE

- K-5 will share “progress on the essential standards” at the end of the year.
- 6-12 will continue to grade assignments and will mark assignments as missing/incomplete in PowerSchool.
 - This will allow families to see the level of engagement of their student.
 - Students should be in contact with their teachers if they have questions.
- Students can IMPROVE their grades during this remote learning period.
- Incompletes will be given at the end of the year in place of an “F” and a determination will be made about a transition plan.
- Failure to engage may result in an incomplete.
- Communication should be ongoing between staff and parents to help students engage.

BE SURE TO CHECK OUR WEBSITE
REGULARLY FOR UPDATES AND
INFORMATION.

<https://www.bethalto.org>

KEEP STAYING POSITIVE!

WE APPRECIATE ALL YOU ARE DOING:)