



***Please read these emails!*** They include important information that help you know what is expected and how to work within the systems we've set up.

April 24, 2020

Dear parents and students,

Let me start by thanking you all – both parents and students – for giving the effort necessary to make our continuous remote learning work. For the most part, our students have been active in attendance and working to get their assignments in. Let me say to you who are working with such diligence, “We are grateful to you!”

I am also thankful for our teachers, many of whom are working extra hours to prepare to offer you the very best learning environment possible under these conditions. May 4-8 is teacher appreciation week, so I am giving them off that Thursday and Friday. There will be no online classes May 7-8. We will pick back up on Monday, May 11. We will also plan to take off Friday, May 22 to make it a four-day Memorial Weekend. June 4 will be our final day. We will let you know in the coming weeks how we will be handling awards and graduation ceremonies.

Let me give you some quick reminders/suggestions:

1. Be sure to check emails and respond “YES” to calendar events. This will provide later reminders.
2. Please use email to communicate with teachers if at all possible and check frequently.
3. MS/HS students must check into their Google Classroom Homeroom to be counted present for the day.
4. Attendance to all online sessions is mandatory. Please communicate ahead of time if there is a reason a student will not be able to be there, or ASAP if there are internet connection difficulties.
5. We recommend that you bookmark the sites (Gmail, Google Classroom, Abeka, Sycamore, etc. for easy access for the students).
6. Check Sycamore for actual grades – Google Classroom grades do not necessarily reflect the official grades for the class.

Thanks for working with us to make it through our first two weeks.

God's blessings,

Dan Obinger  
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