Dear Families:

These are the latest updates as of February 25, 2021.

Events:

March 4th & 5th – No school Parent Meeting- via zoom – March 9th, @5:30 pm 7th & 8th Grade Sports

Lunches:

Lunches and learning packets continue to be delivered Monday through Thursday, weekly. No lunches will be delivered on March 4th or 5th.

The second round of P-EDT Benefits is coming soon. Please make sure we have your current address.

Sports:

Please contact our AD Mr. Ives, if your 7th or 8th grader is interested in sports March-June.

Remote Learning Options:

PLEASE HAVE YOUR STUDENT LOGIN EVERY WEEKDAY FOR ATTENDANCE! Starting January 4th, truancy records will be reported to the state. We now have enough chromebooks for each student. Please contact your child's teacher if one of your students does not have a chromebook.

Next Steps: Hybrid Learning!!!!

We will begin Phase I of Hybrid Learning on March 24th. K- 2nd grade will be divided into two cohorts. Cohort A will come on Mondays & cohort B will come on Wednesdays. Transportation will divide the grades by neighborhood routes. You will be notified soon of your assigned cohort. Remote learning will continue to be at least one of the choices available to all families for the rest of the year. Please see the Hybrid Learning Template for further detailed information.

In order for your child to return on campus when it opens, you will need to turn in all necessary paperwork beforehand. This includes Attestation, Health History, Immunizations, & Health Care Plans. If you are uncertain of your status in this area, please call the office: 509-634-4541.

Academic Updates:

We are happy to announce that grade levels 5th- 8th recently showed about a year's worth of academic growth on the STAR Reading & Mathematics tests. This is good news, as the state has predicted that most students would lose a year of learning due to COVID.

Starting March 1st, the Kindergarten class will have a new substitute, as Ms. Byam will be out on maternity leave.

Summer School:

Please notify your child's teacher if you are interested in having them participate in summer school, as we are trying to plan ahead. This month, a needs assessment survey will be mailed to you as well. Please respond to the survey.

Best Wishes,

Dr. Effie Dean Superintendent / Principal Nespelem S.D.