

March 13, 2020

Dear NHCS Parents and Guardians,

On behalf of the district, thank you for your patience and understanding as we continue to work through this unusual situation. The purpose of this letter is to share our PreK-12 academic plan and provide information about offering breakfast and lunch for students during the school closure.

PreK-12 Academic Plan

Note-Special Education staff will finalize their plan to meet IEP goals early next week. Please watch for additional information.

Preschool

- PreK teachers are developing activities for our young learners to complete at home.
- These packets will be emailed to parents on Monday and Tuesday, March 16 and 17.
- Teachers are available for questions via email.

New Haven Elementary School

- All grade levels have compiled packets of work as well as online resources for parents to utilize.
- A comprehensive webpage of all of the compiled resources that have been shared for the whole community to utilize is available at. <http://newhavenelementary.weebly.com/>
- All students now have a Freckle account that provides support in reading and math.
- Teachers will communicate with their families via email, Class Dojo, and/or Remind 101.
- Please contact your child's teacher or Mr. McCabe if you have questions.

Endeavour Elementary and Middle School

- All documents will be uploaded to the district website.
- All parents can email teachers, Dr. Shepard or Mrs. Moran if there are questions.

Endeavour Elementary School

- Every teacher has created weekly skill packets for students to take home. They include Math, Reading, and Writing.
- All packets will be uploaded to the school website under each teacher's name for parents to print out if necessary.
- We will upload a reading log along with an app log (this is to log any time that a student spends on a certain app or working on a certain skill).
- Teachers are sending home guided reading books, book club books, and book bins books.
- We will post a Scholastic website that contains 20 days of Reading activities, divided into grade levels.
- Some teachers are putting everything on Class Dojo.
- Teachers are sending home Razz Kids logins, so they are able to see what students are working on.
- Teachers will communicate with families via email, Class Dojo and/or Remind.

Endeavour Middle School

- ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies teachers have developed assignments by grade level.
- Art, Band/Choir, Physical Education, Communication and Technology have also developed assignments.
- Communication with students will be through Google Classroom and email.

New Haven High School

- Teachers have developed assignments on a weekly basis.
- Communication with students will take place through Google Classroom or Group Email.
- Teachers will create homework packets for students that may not have access to the Internet. If a student needs a packet, please contact the teacher, Mr. Timmerman or Mr. Barr to arrange a time to pick up the information.

Breakfast and Lunch

- Beginning Wednesday, March 18, breakfast and lunch packets will be delivered via bus routes.
- School buses will follow their routes through the community and stop at each designated bus stop.
- Deliveries will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The last delivery will take place on Friday, April 3. (There will be no deliveries during Spring Break.)
- On Monday and Wednesday, parents who come out to the bus will receive breakfast and lunch packets for two days. Parents will receive breakfast and lunch packets for three days on Friday.
- The packets are for individuals who are 18 years and younger.

The district remains committed to providing information throughout the school closure. We appreciate your flexibility as information continues to change each day. A “deep cleaning” of our schools and facilities is being planned during the next few weeks. Please call at 586-749-5123 or email if you have questions.

Sincerely,
 Barbara VanSweden
 Superintendent, New Haven Community Schools