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Kearsley High School

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Dear Kearsley High School Families,

As you know, Governor Whitmer has closed Michigan school buildings for the remainder of the school year and although teachers are not able to provide in-person instruction, teaching and learning must continue. In Superintendent Walworth's video sent out on Thursday, April 2, after the Governor's Executive Order, he indicated that Kearsley is going to continue to provide students with new instruction and opportunities for learning during the 4th marking period. Here is our Kearsley High School plan for the 4th Marking Period:

3rd Marking Period Grades: By 5 p.m. on April 7th, High School teachers will post grades to close out the 3rd marking period that ended March 12th. Report cards will not be mailed home for the 3rd marking period, please check StudentVue for your 3rd marking period grade.

4th Marking Period Grades: During the 4th marking period, teachers will provide weekly lessons and will grade assignments; however, no student will receive a second semester grade that is lower than their 3rd marking period grade. We will attempt to keep our weekly learning plans to an average of no more than 3 hours a day for high school students. It is extremely important that students stay up on their learning as they build a foundation to be used as they move on to their next grade level or endeavor. We realize that it is also important for kids to be physically active and to get outside for some exercise and away from screen time. Final Exams will not be given during the second semester.

Synergy ParentVue: Each week, KHS teachers will send an email to parents on Monday morning with an overview of the assignments for the week. Students will go to Google Classroom to see instructions, resources and assignments.

Google Classroom: High School teachers have created Google Classrooms to post assignments and resources and will assist students with logging into Google Classroom. Many teachers have already reached out to students, or will be reaching out to you and your student(s) this week about registering for these Classrooms. Your student **MUST** be logged into their **Kearsley Google Account** to access the Classroom.



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Weekly Check-ins: Teachers will use weekly virtual meetings (Zoom, Google Hangout, etc.) to check-in with students along with emails and/or phone calls. We have coordinated with our departments to provide a daily schedule to avoid conflicts in meeting times for classes. Classroom teachers will communicate those times. Our schedule for virtual sessions is as follows:

Monday - Science

Tuesday - Social Studies

Wednesday - Math

Thursday - English

Friday - World Language/ Electives

Families, thank you for supporting your student through this national crisis. We know that this is not easy. We hope that all of our Kearsley High School students are healthy and safe and are able to keep a focus on learning for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. We will continue to monitor this situation and we will keep the lines of communication open.

We are dedicated to supporting you, so please reach out when you have questions or concerns. Please direct any questions to Mr. Doyle or Mr. Moore in the high school office. We are confident that as we work remotely, together we can prepare students for the next grade level.

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