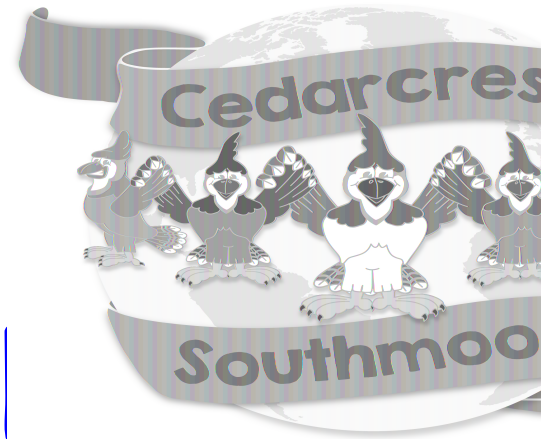


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Cedarcrest-Southmoor Elementary School

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# IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

## ❖ AUG 4- AUG 7: CHROMEBOOK DISBURSEMENT AND SCHEDULE PICK-UP (9:00AM-3:00PM)

- AUGUST 4: PREK - KINDERGARTEN
- AUGUST 5: 1ST AND 2ND GRADE
- AUGUST 6: 3RD AND 4TH GRADE
- AUGUST 7: 5TH GRADE AND ANYONE THAT MISSED THEIR DAY

## ❖ AUG 10 - FIRST DAY OF VIRTUAL SCHOOL

- SCHOOL DAY BEGINS AT 9:00 AM



# LEARNING IN THE VIRTUAL SPACE

- TEACHERS WILL BE IN A VIRTUAL SPACE FROM 8:00AM-3:40PM TO TEACH, ANSWER QUESTIONS, AND PROVIDE WHOLE CLASS INSTRUCTION AND SMALL GROUP SUPPORT
- ATTENDANCE WILL BE TAKEN DAILY AND GRADES WILL BE EARNED, JUST AS THEY ARE IN THE SCHOOL BUILDING.
- GOOGLE MEETS WILL BE USED AS THE PLATFORM FOR LEARNING. TEACHERS WILL POST THE GOOGLE MEETS LINK IN THE GOOGLE CLASSROOM FOR STUDENTS TO ACCESS
- SCHOOL UNIFORM SHIRTS ARE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED
- DAILY MEALS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS. MORE INFORMATION REGARDING MEAL DISTRIBUTION WILL BE PROVIDED BY EBRPSS CHILD NUTRITION DEPARTMENT.

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# VIRTUAL RETURN TO SCHOOL - Q&A

- **WHAT IS VIRTUAL SCHOOL?** ALL STUDENTS WILL START SCHOOL AUGUST 10 ONLINE USING A SCHOOL ISSUED COMPUTER. ATTENDANCE WILL BE TAKEN DAILY AND GRADES WILL BE ISSUED FOR ASSIGNMENTS AND TESTS COMPLETED ON THE COMPUTER.
- **WHEN IS THE 1ST DAY OF SCHOOL?** THE FIRST DAY OF THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR WILL BE AUGUST 10, 2020.
- **WHO IS MY CHILD'S TEACHER?** YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER SHOULD HAVE CONTACTED YOU BY NOW. HE/SHE WILL BE CONTACTING YOU AGAIN WITH THE GOOGLE CLASSROOM CODE AND DAILY SCHEDULE BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 7TH. PLEASE CHECK YOUR VOICEMAIL IF YOU HAVE NOT HAD DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE TEACHER OR CALL OUR OFFICE AT 225-293-9950.
- **HOW WILL STUDENTS BE LOGGED INTO CLASSES?** STUDENTS WILL BE ADDED TO GOOGLE CLASSROOMS BY THEIR TEACHERS. THE TEACHER WILL CALL TO GIVE YOU THE GOOGLE CLASSROOM CODE AND SCHEDULE BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 7TH. SCHEDULES WILL ALSO BE GIVEN ON YOUR CHROMEBOOK DISTRIBUTION DAY.
- **WILL TEACHERS BE AVAILABLE FOR QUESTION DURING THE DAY?** YES, TEACHERS WILL BE AVAILABLE DURING THE DAY AND WILL HAVE OFFICE HOURS SET UP TO ANSWER STUDENT AND PARENT QUESTIONS WHEN THEY ARE NOT TEACHING.
- **WHAT IF MY CHILD NEEDS ASSISTANCE?** COMMUNICATE WITH YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER VIA EMAIL AND GOOGLE CLASSROOM.

# VIRTUAL RETURN TO SCHOOL - Q&A

DOES MY CHILD HAVE TO BE LOGGED ON AT A CERTAIN TIME EACH DAY? **DAILY INSTRUCTION BEGINS AT 9:00AM.** TEACHERS WILL PRESENT LIVE LESSONS FOR EACH SUBJECT AT THE TIMES DESIGNATED ON YOUR CHILD'S SCHEDULE. STUDENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LIVE LESSONS DAILY. **ALL LESSONS WILL BE RECORDED FOR FAMILIES TO GO BACK AND WATCH AT A LATER TIME.** TEACHERS WILL ALSO SCHEDULE LIVE SMALL GROUP LESSONS AND INTERVENTION/ENRICHMENT GROUPS THAT WILL ALLOW FOR DEEPER ENGAGEMENT AND STUDENT COLLABORATION. STUDENTS WILL HAVE TO BE LIVE IN THE LESSON TO PARTICIPATE BECAUSE SMALL GROUP SESSIONS WILL NOT BE RECORDED.

WHAT ONLINE PLATFORMS WILL BE USED THIS YEAR?

- **CEDARCREST-SOUTHMOOR APP, WEBSITE, FACEBOOK, TWITTER** - SCHOOL-WIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND SCHOOL NEWS
- **GOOGLE CLASSROOM** - ASSIGNMENTS, GRADING, TEACHER-STUDENT COMMUNICATION
- **GOOGLE MEETS** - VIRTUAL LESSONS, SMALL-GROUP INSTRUCTION, PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES
- **CLEVER** - STUDENT SIGN-ON PORTAL FOR DIGITAL RESOURCES
- **STUDENT PROGRESS CENTER** - PARENTS CAN CHECK GRADES, ATTENDANCE, AND STUDENT LOGIN INFORMATION

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## HOW WILL ATTENDANCE BE RECORDED?

- ATTENDANCE WILL BE BASED ON **STUDENT PARTICIPATION AND ASSIGNMENT COMPLETION IN THE GOOGLE CLASSROOM**. ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE POSTED WEEKLY, AND STUDENTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLETING AND TURNING IN ASSIGNMENTS **DIGITALLY**.

## WHEN WILL DEVICES BE ISSUED?

- ALL STUDENTS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED A SCHOOL ISSUED DEVICE. ALL APPS ARE PREL-LOADED AND THIS DEVICE WILL BE MORE USER FRIENDLY THAN A PERSONAL DEVICE.
- DEVICES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED FROM AUGUST 4-7 FROM 9:00AM UNTIL 3:00 PM AT CEDARCREST-SOUTHMOOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. CALL THE OFFICE WHEN YOU ARRIVE AND SOMEONE WILL BRING IT OUT TO YOU. **\*\*STUDENTS WHO NEED A DEVICE MUST CONTACT THE SCHOOL ASAP TO HAVE YOUR DEVICE RESERVED.**
- IF YOU ARE NEW TO CEDARCREST-SOUTHMOOR AND WERE ISSUED A DEVICE BY ANOTHER SCHOOL, **PLEASE RETURN THE DEVICE TO THE SCHOOL YOU PICKED IT UP FROM** AND WE WILL CHECK A NEW DEVICE OUT TO YOU FROM OUR INVENTORY.

## WHEN ARE SCHOOL SUPPLIES BEING COLLECTED?

- **SCHOOL SUPPLIES ARE NOT BEING COLLECTED AT THIS TIME**. USE THE SUPPLIES YOU HAVE TO SUPPORT YOUR CHILD'S LEARNING AT HOME. WHEN STUDENTS RETURN TO THE SCHOOL BUILDING, THEY WILL NEED TO BRING SUPPLIES AT THAT TIME.

## WILL THE STUDENTS HAVE HOMEWORK?

- STUDENTS WILL HAVE **INDEPENDENT PRACTICE** WORK IN GOOGLE CLASSROOM AS PART OF THEIR REGULAR WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS. ASSIGNMENT DEADLINES WILL BE GIVEN ON A **WEEKLY BASIS**, SO STUDENTS HAVE **FLEXIBILITY** IN WHEN THESE ARE COMPLETED.



# CLOSING REMARKS

THANK YOU FOR TRUSTING US TO PROVIDE YOUR CHILD WITH A FIRST CLASS EDUCATION. WE NEED YOUR HELP AND WELCOME YOUR FEEDBACK AS WE CONTINUE TO THINK OUTSIDE OF THE BOX AND CREATE FLEXIBLE PROCEDURES AS WE ENTER THIS SCHOOL YEAR. THE WORLD IS EVER-CHANGING AND TOGETHER WE WILL MAKE THIS ONE OF THE BEST SCHOOL YEARS YET! YES, THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR WILL LOOK DIFFERENT BUT DIFFERENT IS NOTHING TO BE AFRAID OF. TOGETHER WE WILL MAKE SMART CHOICES AS WE DECIDE ON THE COURSE OF ACTION THAT WILL BE THE SAFEST FOR OUR STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF, AND FAMILIES.

AS YOU REVIEW THE PRELIMINARY PLANS FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR, PLEASE KEEP IN MIND THAT WE ARE PLANNING FOR A VERY UNIQUE AND EVER-CHANGING SITUATION. KNOW THAT OUR PLANS ARE BEING MADE WITH STUDENT SAFETY AND WELL-BEING AT THE FOREFRONT. AS WE LEARN MORE ABOUT HOW TO SAFELY WELCOME OUR STUDENTS BACK INTO THE SCHOOL BUILDING, THINGS MAY CHANGE. NONETHELESS, WE WILL CONTINUE TO MOVE FORWARD AND FOLLOW GUIDANCE FROM STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO KEEP US ALL SAFE. OUR SCHOOL THEME COULD NOT BE MORE FITTING THIS SCHOOL YEAR, "NEAR OR FAR, WE LEARN WHEREVER WE ARE!" AS ALWAYS, I THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT AND UNDERSTANDING AS START THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR!

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# QUESTIONS?????

IF YOU HAVE A QUESTION THAT WAS NOT ANSWERED  
BY THIS PRESENTATION, CLICK THE LINK BELOW TO  
SUBMIT IT.

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