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Parents/Guardians;

I am writing to reiterate information previously released about remote learning as specified by the Colorado Department of Education and Custer County Schools.

Remote Learning - Whole School

- Instruction for Periods 1-4 will be held on Monday and Wednesday (Blue Day). Instruction for Periods 5-8 will be held on Tuesday and Thursday (Yellow Day). Attendance for students is mandatory and will be graded accordingly.
- Elementary will schedule remote learning with their families.
- Grades will be taken as usual.
- Students required to attend Google Meets, but who fail to do so, will be graded accordingly. If a student is unable to attend due to extenuating circumstances, they must contact their teacher prior to the class to make the appropriate arrangements. If a student is ill, they must contact the office to report the absence and they are expected to make up the work.
- Those without internet access should make arrangements to access the school Wi-Fi at least twice weekly to download instruction and assignments.

Although there is no perfect replacement for in-person instruction, the staff of Custer County Schools does their best to provide seamless instruction remotely for the benefit of all students. Custer County Schools are required by the Colorado Department of Education to track and maintain student attendance for remote learning. Participation in remote learning is not optional. Failure by students to participate in remote learning activities may result in failure of classes, summer school, retention and could ultimately negatively impact a student’s graduation from high school.

As always, communication with staff is imperative. If your student is struggling with remote learning, please contact your teacher for assistance. Further assistance is also available from the office and information is available on our website at www.custercountyschools.org.

Respectfully,

Joe Vergilio
PreK-12 Principal

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