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Parents/Guardians of K-5 Students:

Starting on December 9th students in Kindergarten through Fifth grade will be transitioned to full-remote learning every other Wednesday. This new schedule for K-5 will continue until at least February break, as February break approaches the District will provide an update for parents and guardians. This change is being made proactively in hopes of providing the best chance for our students to continue with in person learning. The Wednesday schedule for grades 6-12 will remain unchanged.

The first date for this change for grades K-5 will be Wednesday, December 9th.

Here is a list of full remote Wednesdays for students in Kindergarten through Fifth grade:

1. December 9th, 2020
2. December 23rd, 2020
3. January 13th, 2021
4. January 27th, 2021
5. February 10th, 2021

Between now and December 9th more specific information concerning remote instruction and student expectations will be provided by your child's classroom teacher. Parents and guardians can be assured that there will be designated times on each remote day where teachers will be available to both parents and students. Students will not be expected to be on a computer for an entire school day, but they are required to take part in the remote instruction as outlined by the classroom teacher.

The District understands that the change to full-remote every other Wednesday for our learners in grades K-5 presents challenges for all involved, and our hope is that sending this notification out two full weeks prior to the change is helpful for families. As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out. Thank you in advance for your cooperation, and have a great Thanksgiving.

Sincerely,



Daniel A. Ward
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