

K-5 Remote Learner Update

November 19, 2020

1. Pathblazer will be shut down and upgrading their system from 7PM Dec 11 until 7 PM Dec 13.
2. It is important for your child to attend the afternoon Zoom sessions with their teacher. This is a time for instruction, reinforcement, practice, assessment, and feedback. If your child does not attend a Zoom, he/she will be marked absent. If you do not notify the teacher ahead of time that your child is unable to attend, it will be marked unexcused.
3. 5th Grade: If your child has Mrs. Phelps as a teacher, please continue what you're doing and disregard #4 and #5 below.
4. If the school/district has to have all students go to remote learning, you will have 2 options:
 - a. 1. Continue Edgenuity, Google Classroom, Zooms a few times/week, same as you've been doing OR
 - b. 2. Join the multiple, live Zooms each day with the rest of the class and receive instruction from the teacher; not do Edgenuity; go back to Edgenuity when students return to in-person learning
 - c. If you choose Option 2, you would need to communicate with your child's teacher
5. Please follow these steps in order for your child to complete their work in Edgenuity each week:
 - a. Login: <https://www.thelearningodyssey.com/>
 - b. Select Odyssey Folder
 - c. Select Math, Reading, Language Arts, LA Extensions, Science, Social Studies
 - d. Look for Folders titled "Week of _____" including the current week
 - e. Your child needs to complete these "Week of" folders each week
 - f. Typically, there is a "Week of" folder in Math, Language Arts, and LA Extensions. Some weeks there will be a "Week of" folder in Reading. We are working to find similar content to what your child's class is learning at school so it will vary which folder the material is housed in.
 - g. 3rd-5th: Social Studies is being assigned in Edgenuity every 2 weeks--the folder will indicate the date. Your child has 2 weeks to complete these activities. Science will primarily be in Google Classroom using Mystery Science from this point forward.
 - h. After completing the "Week of" folders, your child can work on folders starting with RL or MA--these are optional, additional practice.
6. It is imperative your child is checking Seesaw (K-2) and Google Classroom (3rd-5th) each week for assignments from Specials (Art, Music, PE) and from classroom teachers. Pathblazer is a supplemental program and doesn't include all the grade level standards. Teachers are assigning additional activities in Math, Reading, Writing, and Science to make sure your child is on track with their grade level.

7. Please continue to check your child's Edgenuity account via the Parent Portal to see his/her progress and work completion. Parents of 3rd-5th graders can check Skyward to see grades your child's teacher is putting in for Google Classroom assignments. You can reach out to your child's teacher to receive additional feedback on how your child is doing.

Feel free to reach out with any questions.

Thank you,

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