

Grand Valley Local Schools

November 19, 2020

Students, Parents, Staff and Community Members,

These are unprecedented times and with the virus caseload on the rise, we need to adjust to best educate our students and keep everyone safe. **On Monday, November 23, 2020, we will start educating virtually for all students.**

This school year we will have many changes. Unfortunately, as we continue this year, we will most likely experience more adjustments. Our goal is to return to normal school conditions as soon as we can safely. I know change is challenging, but at this time, it is inevitable. We have to remain safe, follow CDC/Health Department guidelines and deliver the best learning experience we can in our given situation.

Thank you for your patience in these challenging times.



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"Every Student Matters. Every Moment Counts. The Future Begins Now."

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GRAND VALLEY,

Data collection is important to the health, safety and education of the GV community. Although the students will be learning from home, GV will continue to collect and analyze data to ensure the health of the GV community. With this being said, we ask that you continue reporting the following to your students school:

- If your student is experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms (even if your student can complete daily assignments)
 - Fever or chills
 - Cough
 - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
 - Fatigue
 - Muscle or body aches
 - Headache
 - New loss of taste or smell
 - Sore throat
 - Congestion or runny nose
 - Nausea or vomiting
 - Diarrhea
- If notified to self-quarantine due to a close exposure to a confirmed positive COVID case, please stay home and monitor symptoms for 14 days from last known exposure. A negative test does not end the quarantine period early.
- If a GV student has a confirmed positive COVID-19 test or a diagnosis of COVID-19 by a medical doctor.
- Please report the above information to the covid coordinator by phone (440-805-4545 extension 9) or email (elizabeth.esquivel@grandvalley.school).

All GV students will be required to complete daily assignments. GV teachers will continue taking attendance as they would for in-person learning. If your student is ill and unable to complete assignments, you must report your child's absence and list symptoms they are experiencing. If assignments are not completed and a call is not made, your student will receive an unexcused absence. All call offs must be reported to the school secretary as you would in-person learning.

Nurse Esquivel
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Dear GVHS/GVMS Families,

All students, including online learners, will log into each period for the delivery of live lessons each period Monday through Friday. Every student has a copy of the bell schedule that they will be provided this week. The bell schedule is also on our website. Don't forget every student must log in to the Daily Attendance classroom between 6:00 a.m. and 7:30 a.m. in the morning for our teachers to be able to take attendance.

If your child is sick and cannot report to virtual classes because they are sick, you have to call the school as a parent and let them know that your child will be home sick for the day in order to excuse them from the lesson and provide them the opportunity to make up work. If your child is struggling with content, please have your child email the teacher right away.

Also parents, please check your email as that is the primary form of communication between you and teachers. Students should also check their email multiple times per day. Lastly, don't forget to have your children check the Guidance google classrooms each day as well for any important updates and reminders from our school counselors.

Roberta A. Cozad
Grand Valley Middle/High School
Principal
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Dear GVES Families,

On Monday, November 23, 2020, our elementary school will be going virtual due to COVID-19. The work for the week in each content area can be found in Google Classroom and/or Class Dojo. Tools in Google Classroom/Dojo such as instructional videos, live and recorded sessions, online resources and chats on Google Meet will be used. Your child's teacher will be sending a letter home with exact instructions. On Monday, November 23rd, your child's teacher will post lessons, google meet times, and information by 11:30am. Each day forward, all information will be posted by 8:30am each school morning.

It is important that students understand their responsibility as learners to engage in their classrooms each day. Students **must** login each day, complete assignments, and converse with their teacher. Understandably, this will be at different times throughout the day due to individual needs. Teachers will have office hours set throughout the school day. Assignments need to be completed within a 24 hr. time period of the posting, unless otherwise directed by the teacher. In addition, students are responsible for the same regulations as listed in the student handbook. This includes appropriate online behavior within the Learning Platform.

Students will need to:

- Create a space and dedicated time for learning
- Break up the day to be their productive best
- Seek help when needed (teachers, principals)
- Create balance
- Sign into the classrooms daily- keep connected
- Use Google Calendar to organize assignments
- Demonstrate learning with completion of assignments
- Engage with the classroom and use tools (like headphones) to focus on instructional videos, etc.
- Communicate with your teacher and examine feedback
- Follow the Code of Conduct
- Demonstrate online learning etiquette
- Reach out to your teachers if you are overwhelmed
- Collaborate with peers using respectful language and behaviors
- Use equipment as outlined in the Acceptable Use Policy.
- Wear attire acceptable for school
- Support each other in this new way of learning
- Be patient with yourselves and your teachers- we are learning together.

If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact myself or your child's teacher.

Regards,

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GRAND VALLEY LUNCH DELIVERY PICK-UPS AND TIMES

These are the times for lunch pick-up on Monday, November 23, Tuesday, November 24, Wednesday, November 25 and Tuesday, December 1. Any child ages 1-18 is entitled to a breakfast and lunch.

After Thanksgiving break on Wednesday, December 2, we will be delivering meals via bus routes. You will be receiving a call in the next few days with the detailed information.

Hartsgrove Circle 11:00am - 11:20am

Laskey Road 11:30am - 11:50am

Rome Fire Dept. 11:00am - 11:20am

Roaming Shores Tennis Courts 11:30am - 11:50am

Asbury Trailer Park 11:00am - 11:20am

Colebrook School 11:30am - 11:50am

Leffingwell 11:00am - 11:20am

Orwell Village Apartments 11:30am - 11:50am

Windsor Community Center 11:00am - 11:20am

Tuesday, November 24 ONLY

In front of the school (main entrance) 4:30pm - 5:30pm

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A	1873	U S Hwy 6	Roaming Shores	7:30am
			Bus leave	6:40am
A	6731	St Rt 46	Rome	6:53am
A	1620	Easton Rd	N Bloomfield	7:00am
			Bus leave	6:40am
A	12	Leffingwell Dr	Orwell	6:47am
A	25	Chaffee Dr	Orwell	6:50am
A	25	Chaffee Dr	Orwell	6:50am
A	185	E Main St	Orwell	6:55am
A	293	S Maple	Orwell	7:00am
A	5165	St Rt 322	Windsor	7:10am
			Bus leave	6:15am
B	12720	Townline Rd	Windsor	6:28am
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B	5492	St Rt 322	Windsor	6:38am
B	5825	Ireland Rd	Windsor	6:48am
B	6450	St Rt 86	Windsor	6:55am
B	5155	St Rt 534	Windsor	7:00am
			Bus leave	6:30am
B	2460	Fillingham Rd	Rome	6:40am
B	1422	Lake Vue Dr	Roaming Shores	6:50am
B	940	Long Shadow Lane	Orwell	6:58am
B	5170	St Rt 45	Rome	7:05am
B	28	Penniman Rd	Orwell	7:15am

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