

SILVER CREEK CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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100% Remote Learning Plan

Elementary School Schedules:

Should Silver Creek Elementary move to 100% remote learning, students will have a set schedule each day, during the typical school hours as well as times with which they are working independently or via an additional online learning platform (iReady). Each day the child will log on to a *Full class* virtual meeting using Microsoft Teams as well as other, smaller meetings during the day. Students will have independent work time to practice skills that are introduced in the large and small group settings. Students will participate in special area classes at scheduled times throughout the week as well using Microsoft Teams. Additional support for students receiving services will be conducted using Microsoft Teams and our Remote "Building Based Intervention Model" will be implemented.

Middle School/High School Schedules:

If Silver Creek Middle and High schools were required to move to a full remote learning schedule, all students would participate in their scheduled classes via Microsoft Teams. The goal would be to livestream daily lessons to students in their scheduled classes, following each school's established 8 period schedule. At times, this model may be a blend of synchronous and asynchronous learning. We would no longer be following the Hybrid Model, that split class rosters up based on their last names. All students would attend their classes daily at their scheduled times.

Expectations for Students Working Remotely:

- Participate in all scheduled Teams meetings (Be present, focused, engaged).
- Daily attendance will be taken by your teacher.
- Do not schedule work, extracurricular activities, etc. during the school day.
- Complete assigned work by due date.
- Check email daily.
- Utilize a designated place for study and ensure homework assignments are completed.
- Use your full name and be prepared to have your video turned on if requested.
- Adhere to Code of Conduct.

Expectations for Teachers:

- Unless otherwise directed, teachers will report daily, adhering to their established, contractual workday.
- Prep period will be in accordance with the language in the collective bargaining agreement.
- Regular 'checks for understanding' will be conducted utilizing appropriate assessment methods to support instructional objectives. (This could be regular Teams meetings with large or small

- groups, video submissions with feedback from the teacher, virtual class discussions where students comment on classmates' posts, etc.)
- Bi-weekly instructional plans are encouraged for teachers. Instructional plans outline the standards
 addressed, including content and skills, as well as the instructional touch points (synchronous and
 asynchronous), and assessments planned.
- Attendance and participation in Department meetings, faculty meetings, and committee meetings is required.
- Utilize the 'Remind' app to communicate with parents (this will be the district supported mode of communication).
- Take attendance daily Pre-K through 12, using PowerSchool.

Expectations for Parents:

- Participate in teacher meetings to discuss student progress or concerns (by phone or computer).
- Contact teachers if there is an issue or concern.
- Understand that school is in session and the hours that students are required to attend have not changed-attendance will be taken (Grades K-12).
- Ensure children attend school regularly and on-time, including participation in Teams meetings and teacher phone conferences.
- Provide a place for study and ensure homework assignments are completed.
- Utilize 'Remind' app as the central source of communication regarding school announcements from teachers.
- Regularly check PowerSchool to see what assignments are missing/due.

Attendance:

Student attendance will be recorded daily when in a remote or hybrid model using our student management system (PowerSchool).

Technology and Connectivity:

The district will be providing 1:1 devices for students in grades 3-12 for the 2020-21 school year. Additionally, primary students who are participating in remote learning will be provided with at device for use in their residence.

The district will continue to use its WIFI throughout the district (accessible throughout campus and parking lots) for district owned devices. Staff and students can connect to access the internet. Additionally, the district will work with families who indicate a need and whose geolocation is not hindered by MiFi capabilities and try to accommodate this group with wireless devices. Furthermore, the district is collaborating with the Seneca Nation of Indians Education Department to provide additional resources for students who live on the territory.

All district devices will be filtered using the district's Internet filter to keep students safe while browsing the web, and any district provided MiFi's will be limited to use on district provided devices.