

WARROAD PUBLIC SCHOOLS # 690



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Warroad Elementary Families,

Warroad Elementary educators will continue to partner with families to provide instructional content and learning activities for the remaining days of the 2019-2020 school year. Educators are providing support for learners on a daily basis; should your child need individual guidance or you have concerns related to progress or wellness, please contact the school. We are here to provide for Distance Learning needs. As we enter the final weeks of Trimester 3, please note these updates:

- May 1st and May 4th are planning days for teachers. New content and activities will not be assigned on these days. Students may utilize Friday and Monday for completion of previous weeks' assignments and family fun.
- Teacher Appreciation Week is May 4-8, 2020. Students are encouraged to celebrate teachers by participating in Teacher Appreciation Week Dress Up Days and posting video thank you messages in Flipgrid.
- Attendance check-in with teachers is a daily expectation for all students. Teachers are available to guide academic instruction and answer questions. Contact is available via Schoology, Google Hangouts, email, telephone calls, and additional online programs.
- Online and paper assignments are being graded. Please be sure to stay up-to-date on assignments; daily engagement means less catch-up work. Paper assignments are collected weekly in the Warroad High School entry area.
- Parents/guardians are asked to monitor student device usage per the Annual Technology Agreement. Remind students to use school devices for school purposes only. School device concerns should be directed to Vichita Ounchith at (218)386-6040.
- Chromebooks and curriculum materials will need to be returned May 26-May 29, 2020. Return schedules will be provided in upcoming communication.
- The Warroad High School office remains open and is staffed daily from 7:30am-3:30pm. Elementary specific questions can be directed to Tammy Wilmer at (218)386-6094 or Tammy_Wilmer@warroad.k12.mn.us
- Warroad Public Schools' website www.warroad.k12.mn.us hosts updated information regarding Distance Learning. Please access the *Warroad Elementary Distance Learning Family Feedback* online survey from the website or through Schoology.
- Books are available for checkout from the Warroad Elementary Library. See the *Distant Learning Library Services* flyer for checkout information.
- Meals are available for students Monday-Friday. If you need more information, please call (218)386-1472.
- Kid Kare is open for critical workers on school days. The Community Education Office has more information at (218)386-6028.
- Wellness concerns regarding your child can be addressed to Deb Landin: (218)386-6044, Michelle Nash: (218) 386-6061, Kendra Marvin: (218)386-6069, or Tina Casperson (218)386-1757.

Thank you, Warroad Public Schools families, for being supportive and trusting of educators through Distance Learning. Although we miss our daily face-to-face school relationships, we realize with the support of families, we are strengthening our partnership with you and the educational connections within our community. May you continue to stay healthy and safe and find time to enjoy activities your family loves most!

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