

RSU #10 Staff Weekly Happenings



This newsletter is specifically **intended for you**, our staff members, to provide communication about what we as administrators are working on each week. . .

Friday, September 4, 2020 News

Welcome Back! It's official our first week of "school" has come to an end.

So, do you feel ready to meet with students on Tuesday? If you don't, if you are anxious, if you are worried that you aren't quite ready, we get it, and it's okay. This is really different, weird, and maybe even scary. For those of you teaching in-person and remotely all at the same time? Whoever thought this is what we'd be doing???

Listen, all we can do is show up, and do the best we can in each moment. Plan on making mistakes, be willing to admit to them, and be willing to apologize. We do not have all the answers; we don't know how to do this perfectly. And, that's okay.



Let's give ourselves and one another a lot of grace this next month. Remember to breathe and smile. Focus on building

relationships with students and one another. We really do have this; we really can do this.

Try to take this weekend to enjoy the sun, the beautiful weather, and come back energized!

Leanne & Deb

Lots of Information

Thanks to the building administrators for setting up professional development this week. I happened to walk upstairs at MVHS and caught Google Suites training by Jeff Bailey. The links to Jeff's training videos are included on the Resource Section in this edition of Staff Weekly Happenings -- next page. Thanks so much, Jeff for your countless hours to make these and for your willingness to share these with RSU 10 staff!

In case you didn't see it, the [September 2020 Student/Family Remote Learning Expectation Handbook](#) went out via Apptegy this week. This is one-stop all-things distance learning set of guidelines. We will update this handbook as things change, and they probably will as we move through the first month of school.

Again here's [RSU 10 COVID-19 Staff Handbook](#) and remember you don't have to use MyMedbot, but you do need to complete the screening process each morning before school, which can be found here -- [Covid-19 Screening Checklist](#).

Remember September 8-October 2 is our beginning / time for us to evaluate everything, discuss what's going right, change what isn't, and make suggestions. Talk to principals and send Leanne your thoughts & ideas.

Please continue to complete a self-check each school day morning.

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Staff Resources

Seesaw	Seesaw Teacher Training Videos
Google Suite	<p>Google Classroom Teacher Training Videos created by our own Jeff Bailey, OKA -- RSU 10 Tech Guru! Thanks so much, Jeff!!</p> <p>This is the link to the folder where all the videos will be. https://loom.com/share/folder/e350e29bd4ed42ddac9413f4ff73b9c6</p> <p>Here are the individual videos:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Google Apps and Gmail Overview https://www.loom.com/share/a8e5d6f2c5f643a19b95702033b82151 2. Google Docs Tips https://www.loom.com/share/8715cad7089f4f819e5b02c554663232 3. Google Drive and Calendar https://www.loom.com/share/9c8120b3607f4d65b6b9c1fdd123a3c3 4. Video Conferencing with Google Meet and Zoom https://www.loom.com/share/0ead0c9a96ca47d788e78518b02710a5 5. Google Classroom https://www.loom.com/share/4e334c027acb4af6a03d98b9c3846cde 6. Google Meets Video Conference https://www.loom.com/share/4235b25d3d71457daf3b7e069588e492
MDOE Toolbox	Remote Learning Digital Resources This is a series of YouTube videos offered by Jon Graham (elementary) and Emma-Marie Banks (secondary) digital learning specialists at MDOE.
MOOSE	Maine Online Opportunities for Sustained Education (MOOSE) has samples up now and all modules will be available on Tuesday, 9/8/20.

Did you know??? . . . that staff are able to work remotely on Wednesdays starting 9/16/20?

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