Tiffany Park Families,

We have almost made it to the end of a school year unlike any other. We look forward to seeing many of you for our final farewell on Wednesday. Looking ahead to next year, we are optimistic that we will be in physical school in some capacity. We are encouraging our teachers to disconnect and restore themselves over the summer, so they are ready to hopefully welcome students back to the building in September.

**Collect Student Materials/Drop-off School Materials:**

Please plan to come by Tiffany Park to drop of materials that were sent home prior to the building closure and pick up personal belongings.

- Monday, June 15: 9:00 am – 11:00am and 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm
- Tuesday, June 16: 9:00am – 11:00am and 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm
- Wednesday, June 17: 9:00am – 11:00am

There is no longer a collection/drop-off on the afternoon of Wednesday, June 17th. Instead, families have the opportunity to wave a final good-bye to their teachers on Wednesday, June 17th from 1:00-2:00.

**Chromebook Return:**

In order to continue to provide access to in-home learning materials over the summer, Renton School District students grade K-5 may keep their Chromebooks over the summer. In the fall when we are back in person, we will coordinate how students can return the technology to the school.

- LEAVING RENTON: The only students needing to return a Chromebook will be those who are leaving the school district. Additionally, any family who does not want to continue to have the Chromebook at home over the summer may return the device to the school during one of the drop-off windows listed above.

- 5TH GRADE STUDENTS: We will coordinate collection at their middle school in early fall and provide the new 6th grader with a new Chromebook. All incoming 6th grade students will receive a new Chromebook for their middle school career. Dates and information on that process will come from middle school principals closer to the start of the school year.

During the summer, families may receive alerts from our monitoring software if their student has searched for materials which may indicate a self-harm concern. These alerts are meant to provide a family the resources to begin a conversation to address any potential health concerns. Additionally, you can reach out your personal health provider for resources or Crisis Connection: 1-866-427-4747 or Teen Link: 1-866-833-6546.
**RSD Family Survey: Your Help in Planning for Next Year**

Renton School District has created a 100-member steering committee and work groups to review options for the 2020-2021 school year. Families are invited to assist with this process by providing feedback about their experience with in-home learning during the past three months. As we continue efforts to plan for the fall, we are eager to incorporate feedback from our community regarding their current experiences and desires moving forward. Please take a moment to contribute your voice through this survey! The survey will be open through Tuesday, June 16.

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Chris Reykdal, communicated the priority of returning to physical school for the 2020-2021 school year. Many of the details depend on current health conditions. Please stay connected throughout the summer regarding communication of any changes to schools.

**Summer Learning Opportunities**

**Jump Start:** Tiffany Park will offer a “Jump Start” from August 10th – 21st for 2.5 hours a day. This program will serve between 9 and 18 students at each grade level and will be by invitation. The Jump Start will provide an opportunity to address learning needs in reading, writing, and math that have occurred due to distance learning. Although this opportunity is by school invitation, please let your classroom teacher know if you are interested.

**Summer Online Learning with i-Ready:** RSD will be using i-Ready literacy and math lessons over the summer for students in kindergarten through 8th grade who would like additional learning opportunities. Participation in using these lessons is voluntary and students can complete the lessons at their own pace. If you would like your child to participate, you must complete this form.

**Summer STEAM Activities:** Each week during the summer, new STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts, and math) activities for students and families will be posted on the district website. Families will also be able to take photos of students’ projects and to potentially share them on district social media. Find these weekly STEAM activities at: www.rentonschools.us/learning-and-teaching/summer-2020-in-home-learning-activities

**Report Cards:**

Report cards will be available on Friday, June 19th through Skyward Family Access. Grades for the 3rd trimester are reflected as “NA” (not assessed) per guidance from OSPI. Please see the attached document to learn how to access your child’s report card through Skyward. If you need assistance, please email our manager Syd Bensen sydney.bensen@rentonschools.us.

**Meal Service Changes**

The last day for regular meal service at Tiffany Park is Wednesday, June 17. On Monday, June 22, RSD will move to our free summer meal service. We will continue to serve grab & go breakfast and lunch meals on Mondays and Wednesdays from 11 a.m.-12 p.m. Click to see the locations for the summer meal program.

Sincerely,

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