

# SANDHILL E-NEWS

WEEK OF APRIL 5, 2021

## Message from Mr. Johnson:

Hi Sandhill Families!

Happy Spring Break! I hope you have a week that includes the best combinations of adventure and rest. After a week away from school, we gear up to bring many more students back. Please take a look below for information regarding lunches and school supplies.



On Monday, most things will continue to be the same as they currently are. Students will use the same doors as they currently do (K-1, door 2; 2-3, door 1; 4-5, door 11), and we will have staff at each one of those doors to help our new students get to their classrooms. However, since we'll have even more students in person every day, it might be a good idea to come a couple of minutes early to avoid the drop off rush. Unfortunately, we are still not allowing parents come into the building except for the office area.

Have a wonderful week. I will also be taking some time off next week. I will still be checking my emails sporadically, but please know that it may take a few days for me to respond. If after checking out the content in our E-Newsletter you are still left with questions or concerns, please reach out or contact the main office at 608-877-5400. We are always happy to chat with you.

This is the part where I usually remind you what day the next school day is (A or B). I'm super excited that we don't have to worry about that anymore. :)

Take care,  
Bob (Mr. Johnson)

## Spring Break

There is no school the week of March 29th. See you on Monday, April 5th!



# Virtual Vikings Supply Pick Up



There will be a supply pick up for virtual students in grades K-5 on Thursday, April 8th and Friday, April 9th from 8:15-3:45. Please look for a message from your child's teacher as to whether they need to pick up supplies during this time.

This pick up will be like the previous pick ups. Supplies will be on carts and the process will be contactless.

## SPRING 2021 SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

# School Meals Reminder - Preparing for Phase 3



Per the USDA, meals are free to all students until the end of the 2020-21 school year and we want to make the transition to Phase 3 on April 5 as smooth as possible.

If you are currently signed up for meals and are changing learning models on April 5, you should have received an email from Jenny McKenna asking for your meals confirmation.

If you are currently signed up for meals and are not changing learning models, your meals will remain the same.

If you are not signed up for meals and would like to, please visit our [website](#) OR see below to read through our options by grade level and learning model:

**VIRTUAL VIKINGS GRADES K-5** may participate in weekly onsite meal pick up

- Onsite pick up will include breakfast and lunch for 7 days. Students must [SIGN UP HERE](#).

**IN-PERSON VIKINGS GRADES K-2** may participate in daily school meals.

- Students currently receiving meals will continue receiving meals daily; They will also continue to receive a Friday grab and go bag including meals for Saturday and Sunday. Students must take breakfast and lunch. If you are not receiving meals at school and would like to, you will need to [SIGN UP HERE](#).

**IN-PERSON VIKINGS GRADES 3-5** may participate in option 1 and/or option 2

- Option 1 - Onsite pick up will include lunch for Saturday and Sunday and breakfast for all 7 days. Students must [SIGN UP HERE](#).
- Option 2 - Daily onsite lunch for all 5 days of the week Sign up is **not required**. Note that breakfast is not served in the building.

## We Introduced Speak Up, Speak Out

This week we introduced Speak Up, Speak Out districtwide at SASD. SUSO is a Resource Center with a threat reporting system (or tip line) available to students, families, school staff and community members. It runs 24/7 and is completely free. To view the materials we presented, click [here](#). Learn more at [speakup.widoj.gov](https://speakup.widoj.gov/) or on our [flyer](#).

### Speak Up Speak Out



## Summer EXCEL Returns

The Stoughton Area School District is excited to offer summer programming again for grades 4K-8 beginning June 14, 2021. Summer EXCEL offers a variety of 4K-8 enrichment and academic courses. Summer EXCEL provides your child the opportunity to continue practicing their math and reading skills by signing up for both 9-day sessions. Our enrichment courses are sure to keep your child engaged with new learning. Check out the course catalog on the [Summer EXCEL web site](#). Registration will begin in mid-April. Classes are scheduled on a first come, first served basis.



# March Antiracism Project | Preview |



## Resources for Elementary Students

### Books for Elementary Students - Available in our elementary libraries

- What is the Women's Rights Movement? by Deborah Hopkinson
- What Do You Do With a Voice Like That? by Chris Barton
- Rad Girls Can: Stories of Bold, Brave, and Brilliant Young Women by Kate Schatz.
- Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History by Vashti Harrison.
- Yo soy Muslim by Mark Gonzales
- Mommy's Khimar by Jamilah Thompkins-Bigelow
- Coming to America: a Muslim Family's Story by Bernard Wolf.
- On the Playground: Our First Talk About Prejudice by Jillian Roberts
- Everyone is Equal: The Kids' Book of Tolerance by Anders Hanson
- The First Step: How One Girl Put Segregation on Trial by Susan Goodman
- Not My Idea: A Book About Whiteness by Anastasia Higginbotham
- We Rise, We Resist, We Raise our Voices edited by Wade Hudson and Cheryl Wells Hudson
- Racism and Intolerance by Louise Spilsbury

**Rosa Parks**  
The Woman Who Changed a Nation

A History Interactive created in 2018

**Women of Accomplishment: An Internet Scavenger Hunt**

Educationworld

The historical contributions of women are celebrated during March, the official National Women's History Month. Check out these daily challenges.

## Resources for Middle & High School Students

### 10 Inventions by WOMEN that Changed HISTORY

YouTube

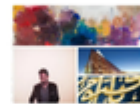
10 Inventions by Women that Changed History Check out some of our other videos: Top 10 Fruits You've Never Heard Of Part 2 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=thRdgP...>



### Women's History Month 2021

HISTORY

Women's History Month is a celebration of women's contributions to history, culture and society and has been observed annually in the month of March in the



### Islamic Museum of Australia, Australia - Google Arts & Culture

Google Arts & Culture

The Islamic Museum of Australia (IMA) provides educational and cross-cultural experiences and showcases the artistic and cultural heritage of Muslims in Au...



### Tuskegee Airmen: Legacy of Courage Documentary

History

In this one hour special, Robin Roberts explores the legacy of the Tuskegee Airmen, the legendary group of African American pilots—including her father—that served in WWII, revealing how these war...

## From the virtual desk of NHA:

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Just a simple (or maybe not so simple) reminder this week as we head into spring break! Your children are always noticing and listening.

To your (and your child's) GREATNESS, Humanity, & Significance!!!

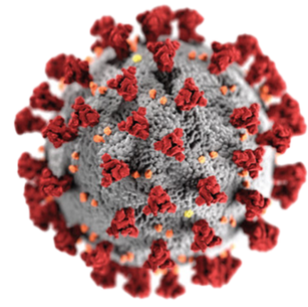
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## Enjoying Spring Break Safely

Spring break is finally here! There are a variety of safety precautions we can take to reduce our risk of COVID-19. Please review our letter to families [here](#).



# SELF-SCREEN QUICK SHEET



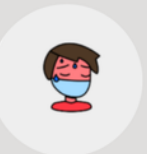
## Before sending your student to school, you must screen them.

Answer the question: **Does my student meet one or more of the self-screen criteria listed?** If NO, you may send your student to school. If YES, follow the **Next Steps**.

### SELF-SCREEN CRITERIA



Student has tested positive for COVID-19



Student is experiencing symptoms\* of COVID-19



Student has had close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19

### NEXT STEPS

1. Call your school's attendance line to report your student's absence.
2. Fill out the [Student COVID-19 Form](https://stoughton.k12.wi.us) at [stoughton.k12.wi.us](https://stoughton.k12.wi.us) under the "COVID-19" tab.
3. Contact your health care provider for next steps.

### \*Symptoms of COVID-19



- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fever equal to or greater than 100.4°F
- Chills
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- Sore throat
- New loss of taste or smell
- Diarrhea
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting



## CONTACTLESS LIBRARY BOOK CHECK OUT

We are continuing to offer curbside pickup for library books. Students can still put books on hold through Destiny Discover on our E-Library website. When the books are ready, Mrs. Fingerson will reach out to students and families.

## SCHOOL LUNCH SIGN-UP

## VIRTUAL STUDENT TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT

## DISTRICT A/B CALENDAR

### Past Newsletters:

[Week of 8/17/2020](#) [Week of 8/24/2020](#) [Week of 8/31/2020](#)

[Week of 9/7/2020](#) [Week of 9/14/2020](#) [Week of 9/21/2020](#)

[Week of 9/28/2020](#) [Week of 10/5/2020](#) [Week of 10/12/2020](#)

[Week of 10/19/2020](#) [Week of 10/26/2020](#) [Week of 11/2/2020](#)

[Week of 11/9/2020](#) [Week of 11/16/2020](#) [Week of 11/23/2020](#)

[Week of 11/30/2020](#) [Week of 12/7/2020](#) [Week of 12/14/2020](#)

[Week of 12/21/2020](#) [Week of 1/11/2021](#) [Week of 1/18/2021](#)

[Week of 1/25/2021](#) [Week of 2/1/2021](#) [Week of 2/8/2021](#)

[Week of 2/15/2021](#) [Week of 2/22/2021](#) [Week of 3/1/2021](#)

[Week of 3/8/2021](#) [Week of 3/15/2021](#) [Week of 3/22/2021](#)

[Week of 4/5/2021](#)







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