



PIVOT TO REMOTE LEARNING 2021-2022

We know some classrooms and/or schools may need to pivot to remote learning this year due to COVID 19. We will be offering remote learning when a classroom or school is greatly impacted by quarantine and must 'close' for a 'cool down period'. To this end, South Kitsap's adopted curriculum will be taught with direct teacher instruction in a remote setting and utilization of digital tools for student learning. Families will be notified by district and/or building administration if a pivot to remote learning is required. When needed, remote learning plans for special education services will be communicated by the IEP case manager or the Office of Special Services.

Elementary Remote Learning

- Students will engage in live instruction through zoom for 70% of the instructional day, as required by the state. Students will also do asynchronous work for the remaining 30% of the instructional day.
- Students will follow their posted daily schedule
- Attendance will be taken in the morning
- Students will have a specialist (PE, music, or library) each day via zoom
- Students will access resources through Google Classroom
- All in-person grading policies and practices will continue as normal. Teachers will provide frequent feedback to guide student learning and check for understanding.

Middle School and High School Remote Learning

- Students will engage in live instruction through zoom for 70% of the instructional day, as required by the state. Students will also do asynchronous work for the remaining 30% of the instructional day.
- Students will continue to follow their posted daily schedule
- Attendance will be taken each period
- Students will access resources through Google Classroom
- All in-person grading policies and practices will continue as normal. Teachers will provide frequent feedback to guide student learning and check for understanding. Secondary teachers will continue to use Skyward to document grades/scores.

Learning Environment

South Kitsap remote learning will utilize a common learning platform with supporting tech tools. The primary tools are:

Google Classroom:	This is our district learning platform that provides one place for students and families to go to find learning assignments, submit materials back to the teacher for feedback, and collaborate with peers.
Zoom:	This is a video conference tool to connect students and teachers. It will be used for class meetings, small group instruction, and one-to-one support.
Email:	Student gmail (secondary students) and parent email (elementary): Used to message students, parents and/or teachers.
Google Drive:	This has online productivity tools. It will be used mainly for word processing, spreadsheets, presentations, video editing, and sharing of teacher instructional materials.

Daily Student Checklist:

- Join scheduled meetings on Zoom
- Have video on during Zoom class meetings to maximize engagement
- Participate in class discussions and lessons
- Ask questions to make sure you understand additional assignments
- Log into Google Classroom to get assignments and submit work

Parent/Guardian Checklist:

- Initiate request for a chromebook, if needed
- Request internet support, if needed
- Accept your child's Google Classroom requests
- Build a schedule to support your child (consider timers for zoom meetings)
- Check the Google Classroom Stream for updates (daily)
- Access technical support, as needed

SK Technology Guidebook

The [SK Technology Guidebook](#) helps families navigate and use the various tools most frequently used by students including Google Classroom, Drive, and Zoom. This resource also has more information about HelloID, which gives straightforward access to educational applications without needing multiple usernames and passwords.

