

BOURNEDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH





**TONIGHT'S PRESENTATION IS A WEBINAR FORMAT TO
ALLOW MORE ATTENDEES AND INCREASE BANDWIDTH.**

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**TONIGHT'S PRESENTATION WILL BE SENT TO FAMILIES AND
POSTED ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE. PLEASE DO NOT COPY ANY
PARTS OF THIS AND SHARE WITHOUT CONSENT.**

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**PLEASE USE THE Q & A FEATURE AT THE BOTTOM OF THE
SCREEN IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.**

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**IF FOR SOME REASON WE ARE NOT ABLE TO
PROVIDE ANSWERS THIS EVENING, WE WILL GET
THEM TO YOU ASAP!**

INTRODUCTIONS

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FIRST THINGS FIRST...

- THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR GRADES ONE AND TWO IS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH ; KINDERGARTEN IS 17TH, INTEGRATED PREK IS 22ND
- STUDENTS WILL BE STARTING IN DISTANCE LEARNING MODE
- THROUGHOUT THE FOLLOWING 8 WEEKS, WE WILL CONTINUOUSLY BE ASSESSING THE CURRENT SITUATION WITH COVID TO SEE WHEN OUR STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO START SWITCHING OVER TO THE HYBRID MODEL
- WE ABSOLUTELY KNOW THE NEED OF OUR YOUNGEST LEARNERS TO GET BACK TO IN-PERSON LEARNING!

WHEN DO I FIND OUT MY CHILD'S TEACHER?

- STUDENT PLACEMENTS ARE BEING SENT TO FAMILIES TOMORROW!
- THESE WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU – PLEASE CHECK SPAM/JUNK FOLDERS!
- THERE HAVE BEEN MULTIPLE REQUESTS/CHANGES AND WE WERE TRYING TO HONOR AS MUCH OF THAT AS WE COULD UP TO THE LAST MOMENT!



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HOW ARE THINGS GOING TO
BE DIFFERENT THAN THEY
WERE IN THE SPRING?

WE LEARNED FROM OUR EXPERIENCE IN THE SPRING

- TOO MUCH IS TOO MUCH!
- MORE TEACHER TRAINING IN SETTING UP OPTIMAL DISTANCE LEARNING CLASSROOMS
- PROVIDING NECESSARY TOOLS FOR AT-HOME LEARNING
- EASE OF NAVIGATION ON GOOGLE CLASSROOM FOR FAMILIES
- REMEMBERING ALL MY CHILD'S PASSWORDS AND LINKS!
- TOO HARD TO KEEP UP WITH ALL FIVE SPECIALS AT ONCE – TRIMESTER SPECIALS

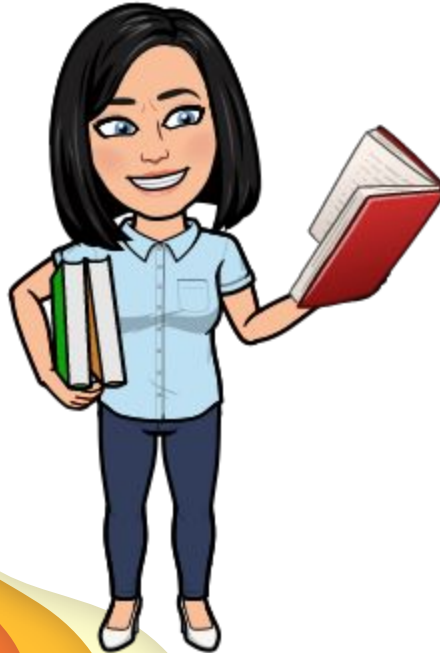


WE LEARNED FROM OUR EXPERIENCE IN THE SPRING

- VIRTUAL ACTIVITIES TO PROVIDE A BREAK FROM THE ACADEMICS WHILE STILL ALLOWING STUDENTS TO CONNECT WITH PEERS
- MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT WITH VARIOUS STAFF FROM AROUND THE BUILDING



CURRICULUM NEWS 2020-2021



- CORE SUBJECTS
- GOOGLE CLASSROOM
- ZOOM
- SEESAW
- SS WEEKLY
- IMAGINE LEARNING
- SPECIALISTS
- TEACHER LANDING PAGES
- ATTENDANCE
- GRADES
- CLEVER (SINGLE SIGN-ON)

SAMPLE REMOTE LEARNING SCHEDULE

	Monday	Tuesday
9:00-9:30	9:00-9:30 Attendance Morning Meeting Songs	9:00-9:30 Attendance Morning Meeting Songs
9:30-9:45	9:30-9:45 Interactive Read Aloud Movement Break	9:30-9:45 Interactive Read Aloud Movement Break
9:45-10:30	9:45-10:30 Science/Social Studies	9:45-10:30 Whole Group Reading & Writing
10:30-10:45	10:30-10:45 Break	10:30-10:45 Break
10:45-11:30	10:45-11:30 Math Games/ELA Games	10:45-11:30 Whole Group Math
11:30-12:30	11:30-12:15 Recess/Lunch	11:30-12:15 Recess/Lunch
12:15-12:45	Google Classroom Assignments	12:15-12:45 Calendar & Read Aloud
12:50-1:35		12:50-1:35 Art
1:35-1:45		Break/Snack
1:45-3:00 *see group Schedule below		Small Groups Or Independent Center Time Students are either working in small groups with teacher or working off a reading choice board on google classroom.
2:45-3:15		Closing Meeting

VIRTUAL RECESS WITH MRS. WARD!


Welcome to virtual recess! It's a fun, healthy way students can connect with their friends and take a break from academic learning. Students can choose physical activities to do on their own, or connect with a teacher and friends by clicking the B2B button!





LUNCH BUNCH

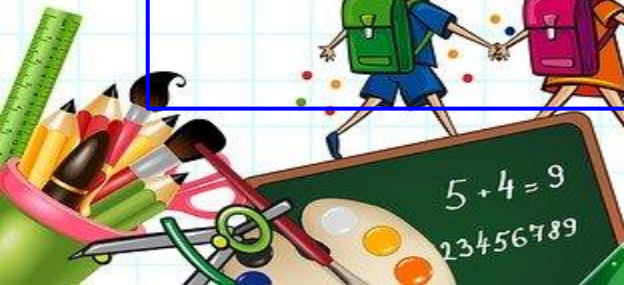
With Mrs. Downing, Mrs. Magnatta, & Ms. Ferraro



What is lunch bunch? We will get together virtually and ask fun questions, play games, watch a video or just talk- it is not academic, just a social opportunity for you to see other students and have fun!

When is it? During your lunch block

How do I sign up?: No need to sign up just join by clicking the link.





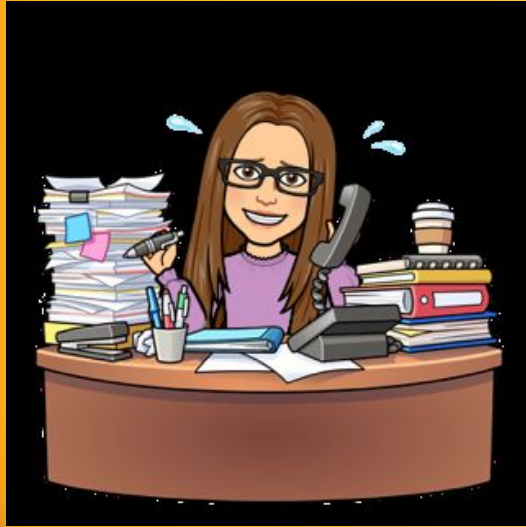
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LEARNING SPACES

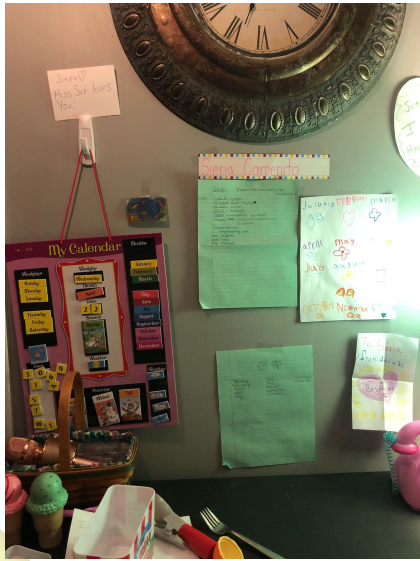
AT

HOME

WHY IS IT SO IMPORTANT TO HAVE A SEPARATE LEARNING SPACE?



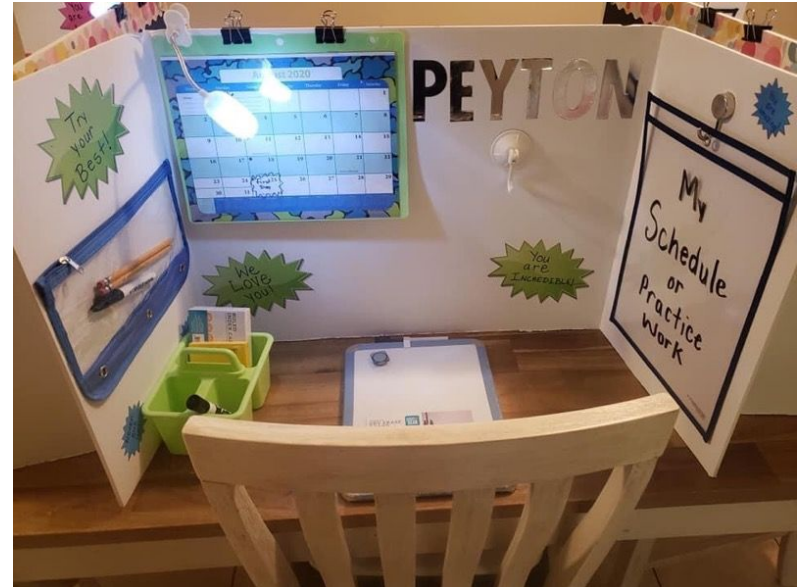
IT IS TOUGH ENOUGH FOR OUR YOUNGEST LEARNERS TO UNDERSTAND THEIR 'HOME SPACE' IS ALSO THEIR 'LEARNING SPACE/OFFICE'. SETTING THIS SPACE UP IN AN AREA THAT IS NOT THEIR PLAY OR RELAXATION AREA HELPS THEM TO BE MORE AVAILABLE FOR LEARNING.



IT DOESN'T NEED TO BE FANCY OR COST MONEY! IT JUST NEEDS TO BE A SPACE!

ALLOW YOUR CHILD TO BE A PART OF THE SET-UP. THEY WILL TAKE MORE OWNERSHIP AND PRIDE IN THIS SPACE IF THEY HAVE A SAY IN IT!

MAKE SURE ANY NECESSARY SUPPLIES (CHROMEBOOK, PENCILS, PAPER) ARE READILY AVAILABLE!

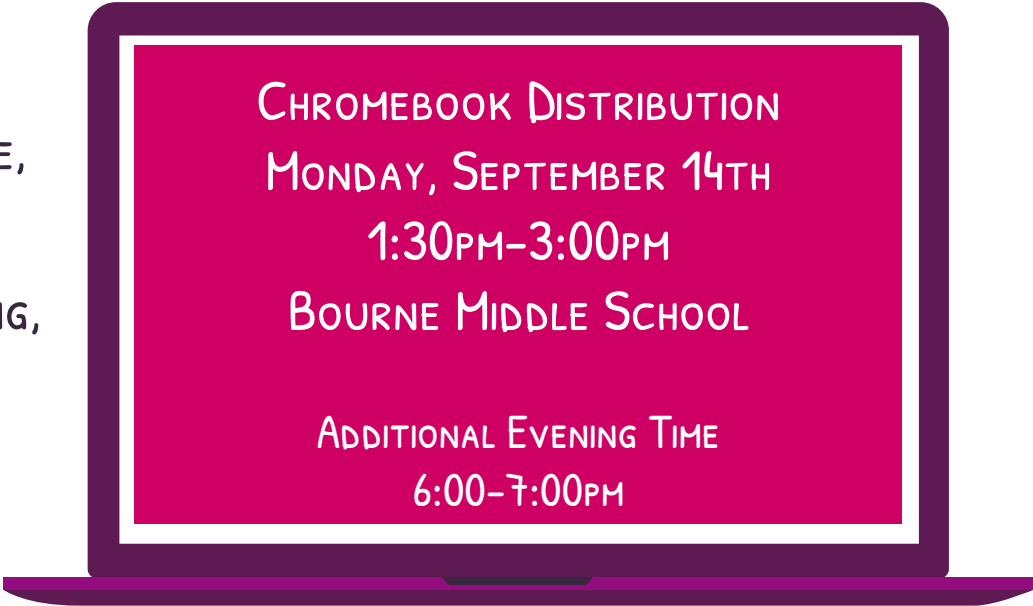


WHAT SUPPLIES WILL MY CHILD NEED & HAVE AT HOME?

- CHROMEBOOKS (PICK UP DATE MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH 1:30 BMS)
- HEADPHONES TO HELP WITH BACKGROUND NOISE, ESPECIALLY IF THERE ARE MULTIPLE LEARNERS AT HOME
- PREK LEARNING BAGS & INDIVIDUAL CLASSROOM BINS
- K-2 LEARNING BINDERS
- MATERIALS FOR SPECIALIST (ART, PE, MUSIC, ETC.)
- HAVE ITEMS AVAILABLE IF YOU CHILD MIGHT NEED FIDGETS OR TOOLS TO HELP THEM CONCENTRATE WHILE WORKING. THESE ARE NOT TOYS!
- HAVE TIMERS SO DURING BREAKS, YOU'RE NOT THE ONE REMINDING YOUR CHILD TO HEAD BACK TO WHAT THEY NEED TO DO!

WHAT IF MY CHILD NEEDS A CHROMEBOOK?

IF YOU DO NOT ALREADY HAVE ONE,
AND YOUR CHILD NEEDS A
CHROMEBOOK FOR REMOTE LEARNING,
BPS WILL BE PROVIDING ONE.



CHROMEBOOK DISTRIBUTION
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH
1:30PM-3:00PM
BOURNE MIDDLE SCHOOL

ADDITIONAL EVENING TIME
6:00-7:00PM

WHEN CAN I PICK UP MY CHILD'S SUPPLIES?

GRADE 1

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH
12:30 – 1:30PM

GRADE 2

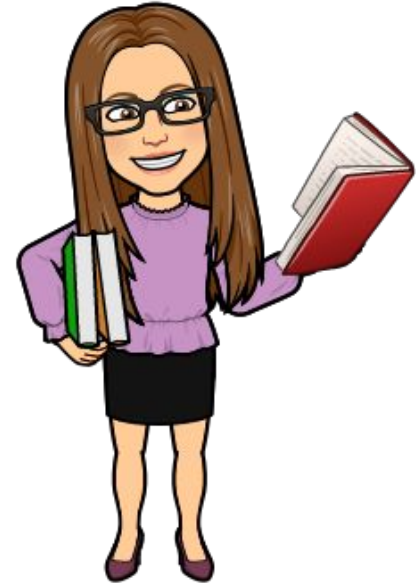
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH
1:30–2:30PM

KINDERGARTEN

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH
12:00 – 2:00PM

INTEGRATED PK

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH
9:30 – 11:00AM



*IF YOU HAVE STUDENTS IN MULTIPLE GRADES PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU NEED TO PICK ALL MATERIALS UP AT ONCE, HOWEVER WE'RE TRYING TO ALLOW FOR EACH GROUP TO WAVE AND SEE THEIR TEACHER!

WHY ARE THERE BREAKS LISTED IN THE SCHEDULE?

WE TAKE BREAKS EVEN AT SCHOOL! GETTING UP AND MOVING AROUND IS ESSENTIAL!

IF YOUR CHILD DOES REALLY WELL WITH EXTRA STRUCTURE, HAVE THEM HELP YOU CREATE A LIST OF IDEAS FOR THINGS THEY CAN DO DURING THEIR BREAK TIMES. THESE SHOULD BE THINGS THEY CAN DO INDEPENDENTLY AND THEY ENJOY! THESE SHOULD BE SCREEN FREE!


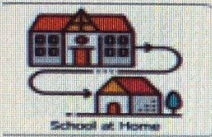







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ARE THERE CERTAIN RULES AND
EXPECTATIONS I CAN ENFORCE AT HOME?



Distance Learning Expectations

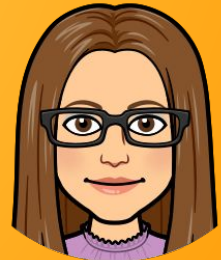
Bourne to be Respectful, Responsible and Safe

EXPECTATION	Having School at Home	Using Technology	Connecting with your Class
			
Be Respectful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow your caregivers directions Use manners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set the volume to a PAX talking voice level (or use headphones) Let your caregiver know you are using technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen to your teacher's directions Wait your turn to talk Use whole body listening
Be Responsible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow remote learning schedule Do your best work Ask for help when you need it Have an area for school materials and a work space 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log on each school day Look at all the information your teacher posts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Try your best to join your class meets Bring expected materials
Be Safe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow your family rules Follow school technology rules 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stay on the sites linked to your classroom Make sure any drinks you have are in a safe place 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make sure you are in a place good for learning and listening Let your caregiver know you are on a video call

DISTANCE LEARNING REMINDERS

- NO CELL PHONE USAGE – CHROMEBOOKS/LAPTOPS PLEASE
- NO VIRTUAL BACKGROUNDS – PLEASE KEEP BLANK OR ACTUAL BACKGROUND ENVIRONMENT
- FIRST AND LAST NAME TO APPEAR IN WINDOW DURING MEETINGS
- STUDENT ATTENDANCE WILL BE TAKEN AT ALL SESSIONS
- FAMILIES SHOULD NOT DOWNLOAD OR RECORD LEARNING SESSIONS
- PLEASE SEE THE ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY IN OUR STUDENT HANDBOOK (POSTED ON THE BPS WEBSITE)
- PLEASE SAVE SNACKS/MEALS FOR YOUR BREAKS!
- PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU ARE DRESSED FOR THE DAY AND NOT IN BED!
- SAVE SPACE FOR PE AND MOVEMENT BREAKS!

REMINDERS



MAKE A SCHEDULE THAT WORKS FOR YOUR FAMILY

- USE VISUALS TO SERVE AS REMINDERS
- IF YOUR CHILD NEEDS TO HAVE ONE STEP DIRECTIONS, BREAK UP THE SCHEDULE INTO SMALL DETAILS.
- EVEN THOUGH STUDENTS ARE HOME, SET UP THEIR MORNING ROUTINES BEFORE THEY 'GO TO SCHOOL' – THIS WILL HELP WHEN WE RETURN TO HYBRID TOO!
- CREATE AS MUCH OF A ROUTINE AS YOU CAN! THAT IS WHY WE ARE CREATING THE DAILY SCHEDULES FOR YOUR STUDENTS. KIDS LOOK FOR THAT STRUCTURE AND BALANCE.

our morning routine



Go Potty



Brush Teeth



Get Dressed



Eat Breakfast



Shoes/Jacket/Hat & Mittens



Lunch/Schoolwork/Backpack



Off to School!

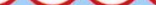
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MORNING ROUTINE CHECKLIST

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GET UP
&
MAKE BED



GO POTTY
&
WASH HANDS



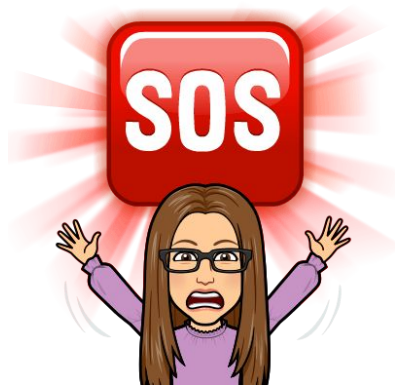
GET
DRESSED

EAT
BREAKFASTBRUSH
HAIR

BRUSH
TEETH

WHAT IF I NEED HELP!

WE'RE GOING TO BE CREATING A SHEET FOR THE
ADULTS/CAREGIVERS ASSISTING STUDENTS
REMOTELY WITH HELPFUL HINTS AND FAQs.



WE WILL ALSO CREATE A
STUDENT-FOCUSED
PRESENTATION OUTLINING
EXPECTATIONS.

WE KNOW THIS IS NOT EASY!

- WE ABSOLUTELY KNOW THE DISTANCE LEARNING MODEL IS DIFFICULT FOR MANY OF OUR STUDENTS – AND ON YOU!
- THE STUDENTS ARE LOOKING TO US TO SET THAT TONE OF IF THIS IS ALL GOING TO BE OKAY AND THAT THEY ARE DOING A GOOD JOB!
- LET US KNOW WHAT IS WORKING FOR YOU AND WHAT IS DIFFICULT!



SPECIAL EDUCATION

- SPECIAL EDUCATION STAFF WILL CREATE INDIVIDUAL SERVICE PLANS FOR STUDENTS TO REFLECT LEARNING IN THE REMOTE AND HYBRID MODELS
- RELATED SERVICE PROVIDERS (SPEECH/LANGUAGE, OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY, PHYSICAL THERAPY) ARE BUILDING BASED
 - SERVICING WILL BE IN-PERSON AND REMOTE DEPENDING ON LOCATION
- EVALUATIONS WILL OCCUR DURING REMOTE LEARNING
 - FAMILIES WILL BRING STUDENTS TO BUILDINGS FOR TESTING

INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL

- HYBRID MODEL (ONE WEEK IN-PERSON/ALTERNATE WEEK REMOTE)
- ALL STUDENTS WILL ATTEND IN THE MORNING DURING THEIR IN-PERSON WEEK 9:00AM-11:30AM
- AFTERNOONS DEDICATED TO REMOTE LEARNING
- TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY (MONDAYS OFF)
- PRESCHOOL STARTS ON SEPTEMBER 22ND
 - COHORT A ATTENDS IN-PERSON THAT WEEK

AS WE MOVE INTO THE HYBRID MODEL,
WE WILL HOST ANOTHER EVENING TO
PROVIDE NECESSARY INFORMATION!

COMING
SOON



ANY QUESTIONS?

PLEASE CONTINUE TO COMMUNICATE ANY NEEDS/CONCERNS/POSITIVES
WITH US!

IF YOU NEED ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION YOU CAN REACH
OUT TO:

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OTHER IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

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THANK YOU

**FOR YOUR PATIENCE AS WE HAVE BEEN
NAVIGATING THIS NEW ROAD!**

QUESTIONS FROM THE CHAT:

- WHAT HAPPENS IF I CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE SUPPLY PICK UP?
 - EMAIL LIZ CARPENITO AND LET HER KNOW! THERE WILL MOST LIKELY BE AN ADDITIONAL (EVENING) PICK UP SCHEDULED.
- IF MY CHILD ALREADY HAS A CHROMEBOOK FROM THE SPRING DO WE KEEP IT?
 - YES. IF IT NEEDS TO BE UPDATED WE CAN DO THAT AT A LATER TIME.
- CAN I PICK UP SUPPLIES AND THE CHROMEBOOKS AT THE SAME TIME?
 - UNFORTUNATELY NO, THIS WILL BE DIFFERENT STAFF AT EACH OF THE EVENTS.
- WHAT IF I HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT MY CHILD'S SERVICES OR EVALUATION?
 - PLEASE CONTACT KELLY MOONEY.

QUESTIONS FROM THE CHAT:

- WILL I BE ABLE TO CHANGE MY MIND IF I WANT MY CHILD TO GO HYBRID, BUT I HAVE THEM SIGNED UP FOR REMOTE?
 - WE WILL BE SENDING ANOTHER SURVEY OUT IN DECEMBER AND AT THAT TIME FAMILIES WILL BE ABLE TO CHOOSE HOW THEY WOULD LIKE TO FINISH THE SCHOOL YEAR (REMOTE/HYBRID/HOMESCHOOL)
- CAN I PICK AND CHOOSE WHAT WE COMPLETE ON THE REMOTE LEARNING SCHEDULE?
 - NO, STUDENTS WILL BE EXPECTED TO ATTEND CLASS AND COMPLETE ASSIGNMENTS. ATTENDANCE WILL BE TAKEN AND STUDENTS WILL BE GRADED AS USUAL.
- HOW DO I FIND OUT IF HOMESCHOOLING IS THE BEST OPTION FOR OUR FAMILY?

QUESTIONS FROM THE CHAT:

- HOW DO I FIND OUT MORE ABOUT HOMESCHOOLING?
 - PLEASE REACH OUT TO LIZ CARPENITO AND SHE WILL WALK YOU THROUGH THE PROCESS
- HOW WILL MY CHILD KNOW THEIR SIGN-ON INFORMATION?
 - THEIR TEACHERS WILL BE REACHING OUT WITH ALL NECESSARY INFORMATION, AND SOME OF THAT WILL BE PROVIDED IN THEIR SUPPLIES!
- DOES MY CHILD NEED TO HAVE A FLU SHOT IN ORDER TO RETURN TO SCHOOL?
 - A ONE PAGE FLYER WILL BE GOING OUT FROM THE NURSE THROUGH ENEWS WITH THE LATEST INFORMATION ON THIS