

Parent Tips



FOR SUCCESSFUL AT-HOME LEARNING

While our FNSBSD staff are working diligently to provide your student with the best remote learning experience possible, your partnership is critical in ensuring its success. We hope these quick tips will help you as we navigate distance learning together.

TIP #1 DESIGNATE A LEARNING SPACE

Your student should have one designated learning space that eliminates distractions and provides continuity in their day. This area should have access to the things they'll need to be successful - power for laptops, space to spread materials (books, paper, pencils, etc.) out on, good lighting, a comfortable chair.

Tip #2 ESTABLISH A ROUTINE

Students with a daily routine will have more success in remote learning. Make a schedule. Wake upshower....get dressed.....eat breakfast.....go to school.

Tip #3 COMMUNICATE

Encourage your student to communicate regularly with their teachers if they have any questions about assignments or how to navigate remote learning. All students have contact information to email teachers directly if needed.

Tip #4 ASK ABOUT THEIR LEARNING

Ask questions about each of their classes but remember -your primary role is to ensure they stay on track and maintain consistent study habits. Please let your student do their own work .

TIP #5 FOLLOW HEALTHY HABITS

Being on line is sometimes required for remote learning, but it's easy for kids to get sidetracked and spend additional hours on gaming, social media, YouTube videos, etc. Consider establishing a "no electronics" period each day. Encourage your student to read, write a letter to a friend or family member, do an art/ project, cook, clean the bathroom or do laundry. As weather permits, take a walk outside every day.