

Abbotsford Virtual Learning Expectations

General Reminders

- All school rules apply to virtual learning
- Virtual learning classes are run on the same schedule as school. Attendance is mandatory in all classes. Work is not an excused absence.
- Teacher working hours are 7:45AM- 3:45PM
- You are to be only on one device which is hosting your virtual classroom. No additional devices such as phone, video games, TV are allowed.
- Only join classes you are assigned to. Joining classes that aren't assign to you will result in a Major
- Video or pictures taken by students during a google meet without permission is illegal and can result in legal action
- Late attendance results in a tardy
- Skipping/Missing/10 minutes or more late for a scheduled google meet results in being marked absent which will lead to truancy
- Eating is not permitted during google meet just like in the classroom
- Interrupting or disrupting a class by words, actions or appearance could be illegal and could also result in legal action.
- The main purpose of virtual learning is social distancing and/or quarantine/isolation. If we see any students together that we know are not supposed to be together, they will be reported to the health department which could result in legal action or longer quarantine.

Specific Google Meet Expectations

Before the meeting:

- Find a comfortable and quiet spot to sit, free from distractions
- Make sure your background is school friendly
- Wear clothes that would be appropriate for school
- Have necessary materials for class. Put your phone and other distracting devices away
- Show up on time and stay in the meeting until the teacher dismisses you

During the Google meet:

- Mute your device. Unmute your microphone when your teacher asks you to talk. Mute your device again when you are done speaking
- Have video on unless teacher directs you to turn it off
- Be patient, this is a learning experience for everyone
- Stay focused and engaged in activity. Nod or give thumbs up when others are speaking
- Raise your hand if you want to talk and wait for the teacher to call on you
- Keep the sidebar chat on topic and use it appropriately, refrain from personal conversations
- Take notes if necessary and/or work on assigned activity when asked
- Nod or give thumbs up to show you understand when the teacher asks a question
- Be kind and respectful to others, especially when asking questions or presenting
- Even though we are not in our school building, our school rules and expectations still apply
- Hang up at the end of the meet