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Good evening parents/guardians,

Below is some information for your review as we get closer to our opening with virtual instruction. There will be additional updates as well and this update is to provide some information at this time.

- We have a platform (CANVAS) that will enable all parents to log on and review items, contact teachers, enter into discussion, and access resources in the event a lesson is missed or additional support is necessary.
- There will be times for teacher contact and student dialogue that will be provided in a schedule.
- The platform will streamline and provide more information in one location to the maximum extent possible.
- Online programs will be available through links on the site.
- We will have paper copy available for all students if needed or requested and everything accessible online and it will be according to each teacher.
- Most workbook materials and other items as will be available online.
- Fall Sports are being planned in some capacity and physicals will be needed to participate. Whether it is competitive with local schools, intramural competitions, or skill-based training, we plan on having some semblance of sports for the fall.
- Fall pictures are being delayed until we resume in-person instruction. Once a schedule is set for pictures information will be provided.
- Additional information pertaining to logging in to the Canvas platform will be provided with a quick tip sheet and other reference material that will be on the website and also sent in an email in another update.
- If a parent prefers their own device, they do not have to pick one up at school.
- Devices can be picked up on the following dates between 9am and 1:30pm: September 3, 8, and 9. You will need to go to each individual school if you have children in more than one school. In addition, please be reminded that grade 3 is now in Moore School. The distribution points will be at the main entrance at Moore School; Gym Entrance at Seabrook School; Cafeteria Entrance at Woodruff School.

Thank you for your efforts as we work together to continue to provide the best for our students during this time.

Stay safe and be well.

Sincerely,

Peter L. Koza Ed. D.

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