Instruction

How do I know what my child should be doing every day?

A sample schedule for students can be found on the district website Remote Learning / Remote Learning for Students (Please provide a brief overview of the document and ask parents/students if they need help on how to access the page, you can access it by clicking on the hyperlink)

What if my child cannot follow the schedule that is provided?

Remote learning is a new adventure for all of us. The important thing is that students are working on their assignments and asking teachers for assistance when they do not understand. Students are expected to work on all their assignments and meet due dates while doing their best to follow the schedule to ensure that they are keeping up with the course work and on pace with all other students.

What courses will we be expected to complete through remote learning?

All. Core classes will be providing assignments, lessons and/or projects. Elective classes will be providing projects or alternative assignments that could last one to two weeks. The bulk of students' work will come from the core classes.

How will my child know what they need to do for each class?

All teachers will have a course syllabus uploaded to your students google classroom. This syllabus will have due dates and assignments or tasks with a short description that students will be expected to follow.

How will my child still earn their high school credit for Algebra 1?

Algebra 1 students will have to take the online PLATO course. The coursework has already been uploaded for 8th graders in this class. Someone will contact you about logging in and accessing the Algebra course material. This is being done on this platform since students receive high school credit and this will follow what the high school is doing during the Remote Learning Experience. Students will access PLATO for Algebra 1 through Clever under the district website for students.

How long do we expect for school to be closed?

Right now, we are planning to return on April 6. Of course this may change with the growing information on the spread of the Coronavirus. We will keep you updated through call outs, Twitter and Facebook

How can I communicate with my child's teacher or get assistance from the teacher?

All teachers will be working from 8 to 4, Monday through Friday. All teachers will have a google classroom where they can be contacted. They can also be contacted through email. Some teachers may have a Remind 101 setup that will also be utilized. The campus website has all of the teacher's emails under the staff directory. If you reach out to a teacher, they will get back to you as soon as available. You can also reach Roxanne Ruiz, Principal at 915-228-8967 through text or call for any further information needed.

Will my student child their band instrument or can I return it to the school or rental company?

Students are advised to keep their instrument if it is school owned. Also, keep your instrument if you are renting it from somewhere else as they will need their instrument for their band assignments in google classroom.

Testing

What about the STAAR exams?

Governor Abbott announced on Monday, March 16, that all STAAR testing requirements have been waived for the 2019-2020 school year. This means that the April and May administrations of the STAAR will not occur.

Summer School

Will there still be summer school?

No. Since there will be no STAAR exams, there will be no summer school since summer school is determined on the STAAR exams.

Technology

What if I do not have access to the internet?

If you do not have access to the internet, then a remote learning packet will be provided for you. Distribution of these packets will occur on Wednesday, March 25. Spectrum is also offering deferred payments internet. You can try by calling 1-844-488-8398. The district is also purchasing hotspots that can be checked out to students. Date of availability is still to be determined.

How can I turn in my work if I do not have the internet or a chromebook?

We will have scheduled weekly pick-up and drop-off dates for all assignment. Please include student name and teacher name.

Meals

Will meals be provided for my child and if so how can they get a meal?

Information is provided on the district website. <u>Child Nutrition Program / Free Meals Due to District Closure</u> (Please provide a brief overview of the document and ask parents/students if they need help on how to access the page. You can access it by clicking on the hyperlink)

Extracurricular Activities

What if my student is in Baseball/Softball/Track?

All athletics are cancelled as per UIL. UIL will guide us upon the return of classes.

What if my student is in Base Play?

Base Play is following the Clint ISD school closures and as long as school is closed, there will be no Base Play.