



FORESTVILLE

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

May 18, 2020

Dear Parents,

We hope this letter finds you and your family healthy and safe. First and foremost we want to thank you for your dedication and help over these past two months in making the remote Distance Learning program happen for our students during this school closure. We understand it has been a huge undertaking and challenge, and your efforts, along with our teachers, are greatly appreciated!

As school draws to an end for 2019-20, we wanted to provide you with some important information. Educators often refer to this month as the 100 Days of May as there is so much packed into just four weeks! Attached to this letter you will find a calendar to help you remember the important dates and events.

May 18-22nd

From Monday, May 18th through Monday, May 25th, teachers may be asking students to turn in specific paper packet assignments. If your child's teacher does request you to do this, there are receptacles in the outer entrance area of the main school office to accommodate these assignments. Most teachers have a drawer and this will be where you drop off your student's completed work.

This is also the week students must complete all CORE assignments and turn them into their teachers. This work will be reviewed and checked for understanding, effort and progress. Please be sure to contact your child's teacher to understand exactly what assignments must be completed and turned-in by Friday, May 22nd.

NOTE: All teachers will continue to document all student Distance Learning contact and participation for attendance from now until the last day of school on June 3rd.

May 26-29th

Teachers will be pulling together students' personal belongings from their classrooms (lockers for 7-8th) so they can be picked up during the week of May 26th-29th. The TK/K-6th grade teachers will place these bagged student belongings outside their classroom along a wall. Middle school parents will come to the quad area to pick up students' belongings. We have staggered the pick up days for each class in order to follow the state and county social distancing mandates and not gather in groups.



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During your scheduled pick-up day, we will need you to please return any school library books your child may have checked out this year. Each teacher has sent out notices to students about the books that are missing. You also may have received a mailing from our school librarian, Elizabeth Koebse, alerting you to the missing book(s). There will be a book deposit box set out on the library's south porch area during the week of May 26th.

Personal belonging pick up dates are noted on the attached calendar. They are as follows:

TUESDAY, MAY 26TH 8-5PM

Forsell, Andrews, Ehrlich, and 7th grade students with last names from A-K

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27TH, 8-5PM

N.Huberty, Strauss, Smith, Haviland, and 7th grade students with last names from L-Z

THURSDAY, MAY 28TH, 8-5PM

Fox, P.Huberty, Kilburn, Self, and 8th grade students with last names from A-K

FRIDAY, MAY 29TH, 8-5PM

8th grade students with last names from L-Z

We are awaiting the arrival of yearbooks! They may or may not be here when you pick up your child's belongings. If they are not, we will make arrangements for students to receive their book as soon as possible. One contingency in receiving a yearbook that is noted in our Parent Handbook each year is that all library and school textbooks must be returned and accounted for prior to receiving the yearbook. Teachers will be notifying students, if necessary, when and where to return textbooks, class novels, whiteboards, or other school materials.

It will also be important to look through the 'Lost and Found' items we collected from the playgrounds over the course of this year. Please go through this collection to see if your student's missing clothing item is there. All items left after June 5th will be donated to a local charity.

June 1-3rd

We will continue to collect any textbooks, Library books, or other school items you may have at home. We will also schedule a time for all Chromebooks and hotspots that you have borrowed to be returned to the school.

Finally, It is important for us to celebrate our school community and all our accomplishments. We are waiting for a waiver from the state to be able to host a Promotion Car Parade for our **8th graders ONLY**. As soon as we hear that we've received the waiver, we'll schedule this day and time for our 8th graders and their families to parade through our Travis Road back parking lot of the school to see their teachers, wave goodbye, and have the staff congratulate and cheer them on to high school.



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On behalf of the Forestville Staff, Principals, and Board of Directors, we are wishing all our students and families a well-deserved summer break! Please know we are remotely celebrating the end of the year with you, cheering and clapping for your perseverance and accomplishments over the past ten months, waving goodbye, and wishing you a safe, healthy and enjoyable summer.

Thank you for your continued support and participation in our school community. We appreciate your partnership!

Sincerely,

Renee Semik, Superintendent/ 7-8 Principal
Jennifer Hegenbart, TK-6 Principal