

North Elementary School Weekly Memo for Parents April 27, 2020

Hello Tigers!

Welcome to week 5 of distance learning! There will be some exciting things going on this week! Our teachers have started recording read alouds that are shared with students in their Google Classroom. Students can take AR tests on these stories. Additionally, our Talent Show tryouts submissions are due on Thursday. Show us your talent!!!

Monday, April 27 - National Tell a Story Day

- Week 5 of distance learning starts.
- Students should check in to their Google Classroom each morning and complete work that is assigned. Don't forget to check in every day!
- Read Alouds are shared with students in Google Classrooms.

Tuesday, April 28 - National Superhero Day

• Share with Dr. Robinson robinsont@okee.k12.fl.us: Who is your favorite Superhero (fictional or real), and why. You can also include pictures of your real-life superheroes!

Wednesday, April 29- Hat Day

• State required Students' Mental Health and Wellness education related lessons are available in students' PE/Health Unit in Google Classroom.

Thursday, April 30

- Talent Show tryouts are due today!
 - Step 1: Plan your talent for 90 seconds
 - Step 2: Log onto <u>flipgrid.com</u>
 - Step 3: Using nestalent as the flipcode, log in with your school email
 - Step 4: Be creative and record
 - Step 5: Submit and wait for approval

Friday, May 1

- Students of the Week are announced. Be sure to tune in to our NES Morning Announcements on Facebook or in students' Google Classroom.
- Week 5 paper-based packets drop off and Week 6 paper-based packets pick up day (please call the school prior to arrival).
- Yearbook orders are due today! To order, go to <u>northelem.picaboo.com</u>. Hardcover books cost \$35 and softcover books cost \$25. eYearbooks are \$10.



Title I Parental Involvement Survey

 Please give us feedback by completing the survey, available at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TIPA 19 20

Mental Health Services

• If you need to speak with a crisis counselor please call 863-461-5000 ext. 1099 or 1040 for assistance.

Additional Learning Activities

- Tutorials on Florida Standards are available at http://www.floridastudents.org/
- Video tutorials and practice for core subject areas on each grade level are available at https://www.khanacademy.org/
- Free <u>ABC Mouse</u> account access is now available with NES code for preschool-aged siblings.
 This program also has other resources and materials that you can access for additional learning for students up to grade 2.

Other Important Information

- Penalties for <u>late</u> assignments this 9 weeks will be waived. Work not submitted by the end of the 4th quarter will result in a zero and will affect students' 4th 9 week grades.
- If your family still needs a Chromebook, please call 863-462-5704 ext. 1112.
- Meals continue to be served to students as follows: 11:00-1:00 at OHS, 11:00-12:00 at Douglas Brown Community Center as well as at the Public Library.
- Lunch deliveries to communities on school buses continue. When children get their lunch bag, a breakfast meal for the next morning is also in the bag.

Unable to Access Learning Online?

Generic paper packets for learning for students who cannot access online learning and are
not able to get the NES paper-based packets from school each week can be picked up from
the buses (see routes above). These packets are to be used only as a last resort as they are
not inclusive of many learning opportunities (engagement with teachers and peers, for
example) that are available to students in an online format.



Reports concerning unsafe, potentially harmful, dangerous, violent, or criminal activities, or the threat of these activities, can be made to appropriate public safety agencies and school officials using the following link: https://getfortifyfl.com/Tip.html

Let's make this a great week! Go Tigers!

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