

Rensselaer Central Elementary Schools

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RCPS Parents, Guardians, and Students:

In the event that Rensselaer Central Primary School is closed for COVID-19 related reasons, the following distance learning plan will be utilized. RCSC procedures for distance learning will be in compliance with the June 12, 2020 memorandum on Instructional Time Requirements for 2020-2021 from the Indiana Department of Education. If school is closed, students who started the school year on the RCSC Virtual Education program will remain on that program with no changes. Students who have been attending RCPS in-person will continue to be considered in-person but instruction will be provided remotely using the following guidelines.

Rensselaer Central Primary School Distance Learning

RCSC Distance Learning days will be Monday through Friday from 8:05-3:00.

Distance Learning will focus on teachers providing new content in a remote setting.

Indiana's attendance law requires elementary students be engaged in academic work for at least five hours.

Teachers will be available from 8:05-3:20.

Teachers will utilize SeeSaw as the primary method for communicating, providing assignments, and collecting work.

Teachers will use a blend of Google Meet (live sessions) and pre-recorded videos to teach the content.

Grades will be taken and scored in PowerSchool.

Student/Family Expectations

Attendance must be logged **daily**.

Students are expected to complete all work assigned by the teacher **on a daily basis**.

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Students should be appropriately dressed for Google Meet sessions.

Students are expected to follow classroom behavior expectations. Failure to do so could result in disciplinary actions.

Students will use their RCSC-issued iPads to access class materials.

We know that the uncertainty of the times ahead is stressful. We will all work together to do the best we can for our students. Thank you for your continued support. We definitely appreciate it!

Sincerely,

Jennifer Norris

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