



2020 - 2021 Remote Learning Expectations

Student/Parent Handbook Addendum

Plan C

School facilities will remain closed to students with 100% remote learning for the first 9 weeks of the school year (through October 23). The district will continue to work with our local health department to consider important health metrics when considering how to return to in-person learning in our school buildings.

ABSS will follow the district calendars for all schools and the Alamance-Burlington Early College. If there is a teacher workday, or holiday, those dates will still be observed and there will be no remote learning on those days.

Canvas is the adopted learning platform for 6-12 students and teachers. All elective courses will be offered remotely during Plan C. This includes Spanish, PE courses, CTE courses, ROTC, and all Cultural Arts courses.

Technology

If students are in need of technology resources to support their remote learning, they should contact the school. We will be supplying devices and hotspots to help provide access to all students. Questions and tech support can be directed to our Help Desk: 336-GET-HELP (336-438-4357). Additional support and technology resources are available on the ABSS district website.

Nutrition

It is the intention of ABSS to continue the free meals service we have provided since school closures in March 2020. We are currently waiting on an USDA waiver to allow us to continue this service to our community. At this time, we are prepared to serve meals through August 31, 2020.

Expectations

- **School Expectations**

- Provide families with a detailed remote learning schedule.
- Schedule school parent/guardian conferences as needed to assist families and provide resources.
- Provide daily access to students and families needing assistance.

- **Student Expectations**

- Participate daily in the ABSS remote learning schedule following the 2020-2021 academic calendar for student days.
- Log into assigned class/courses daily.
- Complete assigned tasks and submit these tasks to the teacher using Canvas.
- Meet with the teacher during daily virtual office hours as needed.

- **Parent/Guardian/Caregiver Expectations**

- Ensure your child has access to instructional materials and participates daily aligned to the provided schedule from the school.
- Meet with your child's teacher during virtual office hours and/or at school office hours as needed for any assistance along the way.
- Parents should communicate any conflicts with the daily remote schedule to the teacher.

- **Teacher Expectations**

- Teachers will facilitate both a *synchronous* (live instruction) and *asynchronous* (recorded instruction) daily teaching and learning schedule during each block's scheduled time.
- Teachers will log on daily using ZOOM during their designated times where teachers will provide students with direct instruction.
- Teachers will post daily ZOOM recordings and lessons to accommodate students/families who have scheduling conflicts with the synchronous schedule.
- Teachers will update grades regularly, offering meaningful feedback for all assignments.
- Teachers will also participate in monthly virtual district grade level support sessions and weekly school Professional Learning Communities (PLC) as well as provide daily virtual office hours for students and families.

Teaching and Learning Formats

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| Synchronous (Live Instruction) | Virtual daily teaching and learning schedule facilitated by the teacher via zoom & Canvas |
| Asynchronous (Recorded Instruction) | Posted videos and lessons facilitated by the teacher for students/families to access at any time |

Student Schedule

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| 1st Period | 9:00 - 10:00am |
| 2nd Period | 10:15 - 11:15am |
| Lunch | 11:15 - 12:00pm |
| 3rd Block | 12:00 - 1:00pm |
| 4th Block | 1:15 - 2:15pm |
| Intervention/Enrichment/HR | 2:30 - 3:00pm |

Staff Schedule

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| Office Hours/PLC | 8:00 - 9:00am |
| 1st Period | 9:00 - 10:00am |
| 2nd Period | 10:15 - 11:15am |
| Lunch | 11:15 - 12:00pm |
| 3rd Block | 12:00 - 1:00pm |
| 4th Block | 1:15 - 2:15pm |
| PLCs/Staff Meetings/Interventions & Enrichment/Office Hours | 2:30 - 3:00pm |

Attendance and Engagement:



Schools Remain Closed with 100% Remote Learning

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| Attendance and Student Engagement | <u>Synchronous Learning Schedule:</u> <i>Virtual daily teaching and learning schedule facilitated by the teacher via Zoom & Canvas.</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Present each day during scheduled zoom meetings with teachers and students. |
| | <u>Asynchronous Learning:</u> <i>Posted videos and lessons facilitated by the teacher for students/families to access at any time.</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Submitting an assigned learning tasks each day <u>AND/OR</u>● Logging into an assigned instructional program or learning platform each day <u>AND/OR</u>● Contacting your teacher via email, phone, or virtual office hours for assistance with completing assigned learning tasks. |