

USD 247 Update to Lancer Families (April 2, 2020)

Dear Lancers,

This communication is to provide you some information and update you on the roll out of our Continuous Learning Plan. Your teachers and principals have been working very hard this week on our Continuous Learning Plan and I am happy to report that we are on schedule to roll the plan out next Monday, April 6. Before I visit about the Continuous Learning Plan, I wanted to provide you with a few updates.

→ **Food Service Update** - Reminder: There will be no food service on Friday, April 10 or Monday, April 13. **We will have a new food service schedule that will begin on Monday, April 20th.** Under the new schedule, pick up and delivery times will occur on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 11:00 to noon. Multiple meals will be provided on these days to accommodate for Tuesday and Thursday of each week. We will no longer have a pick up at Southeast High School. Other delivery sites include:

- ◆ Southeast Middle School
- ◆ Southeast Elementary School
- ◆ Scammon (the old school, now a church)
- ◆ West Mineral (City Hall/Fire Department)
- ◆ Chicopee (Community Center)
- ◆ McCune School

*To schedule meals, please email Connie Kimzey at ckimzey@usd247.com

*No meals will be served on Friday, April 10 (Good Friday) or Monday, April 13 (Easter Monday)

→ **Calendar Reminder** - We will continue to follow the school calendar. There will be no plans made for Friday, April 10 (Good Friday) or Monday, April 12 (Easter Monday). Our last day of school will be Thursday, May 14.

→ **Website Updates**

- ◆ WiFi Hotspots
- ◆ Continuous Learning Plan
- ◆ Letters to Families

→ **Reminders for Monday, April 6:**

◆ **Southeast Elementary School**

- When you pick up your child's personal supplies on Monday, April 6th, you will also get the 1st of 3 academic packets. Please, look in your packet to see the dates to get future packets and how to return the completed school work.

Here is the schedule for Monday to get your child's personal supplies and academic packet

A-I 8:00am-9:30am

J-R 9:30am-11:00am

S-Z 11:00am-12:30am

- When you arrive on Monday to get your child's supplies and packet, please stay in your car and staff will bring the items to you. Please be patient if there are several families at one time getting their items.
- Please return any items that you may have that belong to the school such as library books, textbooks, etc.

◆ **Southeast Middle School**

- Please return any textbooks or library books that belong to the school.
- Pick up personal belongings.
- If you requested a chromebook or need one checked out to you it will be done on this day.
- Please report during the following times to help follow social distancing guidelines.

A-I 8:00am-9:30am

J-R 9:30am-11:00am

S-Z 11:00am-12:30am

◆ **Southeast High School**

- Pick up personal belongings.
- Please return library books that belong to the school.
- Please return uniforms, practice gear, or other sports equipment.
- Seniors may pick up their Jostens graduation packets if paid in full
- Please report according to the following schedule. Siblings are encouraged to come together. Please enter the main lobby doors.

Seniors 8:00am-9:15am

Juniors 9:15am-10:30am

Sophomores 10:30am-11:45am

Freshmen 11:45am-1:00pm

→ I wish all of our Lancer Families to know that we understand the increased amount of stress in your lives right now. We feel that stress as well and it is not our intent to add to that. We have also designed our learning plan with that in mind. Our plan is not perfect and we intend to adjust and be flexible as needed. If something we are asking you or your student to do is unclear or if you just need help, please reach out to your student's teacher or the building principal. Together we will make this work for everyone!

We thank you for your continued grace and patience as we serve our students and families and we appreciate your feedback as we move forward!

Please be safe and we look forward to rolling out our plan on Monday!