

Wolf Pack Families,

It's the beginning of WEEK 5 of distance/virtual learning and working! Our POWER expectation for WEEK 5 is PERSERVERANCE! We are moving into a new phase of our new normal for remote learning and working. As we gear up for this new phase, our community will have to press through challenges and persevere to support each other.

By now, I am sure you've heard Governor Inslee's latest announcement, directing schools to close for the remainder of the school year. While I know this is disappointing to everyone, especially our seniors and 8th graders who were looking forward to experiencing all of the big milestones as they close out their high school and middle school experiences. I know we all agree it is a necessary move for our public health and safety. I want to emphasize to everyone that while the school building is closed, our staff continues to be fully invested in the education of your children and filling the next few months with meaningful learning experiences. We will be working to maintain routines, continue frequent communication, and to find unique ways to honor our seniors and 8th graders in ways that ensure they graduate (seniors) or move-up (8th graders) with plenty of special memories. Hold on wolf pack! We are in this together!

Here's what you **NEED TO KNOW (FAMILY EDITION)** to **BEGIN** the **WEEK of 4/13/20**:

**New Information for ALL:**

**Monday, April 13th** – Students should return to their “regular” personal schedule of checking emails and working on learning resource packets daily or working towards meeting pre-closure (3/13) standards that need to be met to improve a course grade. **Reach out to teachers as you need support.**

**Monday, April 20th** - Delivery of NEW structure and instruction for remote learning begins. Please click on the links for detailed information provided by our district. More information to come!

**REMOTE LEARNING GUIDE (FAMILIES)** - <https://www.fwps.org/Page/7542>

**PARENT PORTAL VIDEO LINKS TO SUPPORT REMOTE LEARNING** - <https://www.fwps.org/ParentPortal>

**REMINDERS:**

**Quarter 4 (6th and 7th Grade ONLY)** – 6th and 7th Grade students will not move classes from quarter 3 to quarter 4. Quarter 3 will be extended to keep continuity of communication and learning.

**If you are in need of information or resources, you can also go to our school's website. TAF@SGH:** <https://www.fwps.org/saghalie>



\*If you did not receive a learning packet in the mail. You make pick them up at ANY of our district-wide meal distribution sites. The list of sites can be found at <https://www.fwps.org/Page/7460>.

WEEK #	WEEKLY TASKS
<p><b>Week 5: 4/13 – 4/17</b></p> <p><b>CURRENT WEEK</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing team, staff, family connections</li> </ul> <p><b>ALL TEACHERS</b> will provide opportunities for students to provide evidence to improve their grades PRIOR to closure on 3/13 (ie: retakes, missing work, additional evidence).</p> <p><b>MS and HS Scholars</b> should continue to work on the school -to- home practice learning packet and extension activities. In addition, connect with teachers regarding ALL classes that show a grade that is not meeting standard. You can work to improve on ALL standards assessed pre-closure (3/13).</p> <p><b>GRADUATING SENIORS:</b> Ms. Sims, Ms. Sara, or Ms. Benitez will continue to update you on graduation requirements and next steps. If you have a question, please email Ms. Benitez at <a href="mailto:ebenitez@fwps.org">ebenitez@fwps.org</a>.</p>

Maintaining connection and communication is a high priority! Even though you are away, caring for the needs of the pack is of utmost importance! Please email [chspence@fwps.org](mailto:chspence@fwps.org) or [jciotta@fwps.org](mailto:jciotta@fwps.org) or [iacton@fwps.org](mailto:iacton@fwps.org) if you have any questions or concerns! It is our goal to engage you in regular and ongoing communication and be responsive to your needs during this challenging time. We are here to support!

All The Best To You,

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Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today. ~Malcom X

What happens to a dream deferred? ~Langston Hughes