

Monday, March 16

To Parents

From Abe Vreeke, Interim Principal

Lafayette Christian School

Here are our plans for the next two weeks:

1. Teachers will spend Monday and Tuesday (March 16 and 17) preparing distance learning materials for 5 days.
2. For teachers using paper assignments, a packet with the 5 days of learning materials will be ready for parents to pick up from school starting at 7:15 Wednesday morning (March 18). The packets will be picked up at the drive through. Enter on Brown Street and exit turning right onto 26th St. The gates will be open and stay open until 9 am. After 9 am the packets need to be picked up using the front door.
3. The distance learning assignments must be completed by Wednesday morning, April 1.
4. If we are still out of school the Week of March 30 to April 3, Parents must bring the completed packets back to school Wednesday morning, April 1, again between 7:15 and 9 am. As parents drop off the completed packets, a new packet with 5 days of assignments will be handed out.
5. All assignments will be graded and be part of the 4th quarter grades.

Here are some other decisions we made:

1. Creative Arts Week is cancelled. Students who have already completed their projects or wish to complete their projects should turn them in when we return to school. These will be displayed, but there will be no judging. Those who still desire to do their performance will have the opportunity to do so in their classroom. (Dates and times will be announced).
2. Monday, April 13 is a snow makeup day. If we are back in school by then, we will have school on April 13.
3. The Thursday, April 16, family concert and the Friday, April 17, Grandparents/Senior Friends day have both been canceled. The students will perform at an all-school chapel on Friday, April 17 if we are back in school.
4. The Mother/Daughter event scheduled for Saturday, April 18 is cancelled.
5. Most likely the retirement party/reception for Ann Schmidt scheduled for Sunday, April 5 will be postponed. Stay tuned.
6. IREAD and ILEARN testing schedules are unknown at this point. We are waiting for word from the Indiana Department of Education.
7. Report cards for the 3rd quarter will be sent home this week Wednesday, March 18.
8. During this break, the school will have a deep cleaning and be disinfected.

I am sure that this leaves you with many questions. Events seem to be moving faster than we can react to them. The school office will remain open for questions. I plan to be at school all week. Teachers can be contacted about school work.

Please remember the words of Psalm 24: “The earth is the Lord’s and everything in it. The World and all its people belong to Him.” God is ultimately in charge.