Red Clay COVID-19 Update: Remote Learning Resources for Red Clay Students

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Dear Red Clay families,

Thank you for your support and patience during these unprecedented times. As we enter the extended closure period, Red Clay will take a districtwide approach to remote learning, which includes providing students and families with learning resources to remain engaged while at home.

In grades K-8 our curriculum and instruction experts have developed learning resources to help educators and parents facilitate learning at home. These learning resources are focused on the review and enrichment of concepts that students have already learned in the classroom. This will help to keep students intellectually engaged and prevent learning loss during the school closure.

Learning resources will be provided to educators and families as follows:

- Materials for the Weeks of March 30 and April 6
- Materials for the Weeks of April 13 and April 20
- Materials for the Weeks of April 27 and May 4

Learning resources for grades K-8 will be made available to families through a weekly message from the classroom teacher. The resources will also be available on Red Clay's website, covid19.redclayschools.com. Print copies of these resources will be available for parent pick-up on April 2, April 14, and April 28 from 10:30 AM to 1 PM at Brandywine Springs School and all of the district's meal distribution sites listed at covid19.redclayschools.com.

In grades 9-12 the selection of learning resources will be led by school teams in response to the unique programmatic nature of each of our high schools. Educators in these grades will utilize curriculum materials, the content embedded in our Clever applications, and resources identified by the curriculum and instruction team to select and communicate learning resources that will review or enrich previously taught concepts. Learning resources in grades 9-12 will be

communicated by classroom teachers through use of the Schoology Learning Management System.

In addition to resources provided by our district team and classroom teachers we encourage all families to visit Red Clay's website, covid19.redclayschools.com. This page contains resources to support families in accessing Clever applications, locating hotspots, and identifying printable and web-based resources to supplement those provided by our district and school teams.

Thank you for your support in keeping Red Clay's students engaged during this trying time for schools and families. If you have any questions about remote learning, please contact the Office of Curriculum & Instruction by emailing harvedcay.k12.de.us.

Sincerely,

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