



ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL - FULLERTON

TOGETHER WE LEARN, PRAY, AND SERVE



May 8, 2020

Good Afternoon Wolfpack Families,

We hope you are all well and staying healthy. We were very sad to hear Governor Hogan's and Dr. Salmon's announcement, stating that we will not be returning to the classrooms for the remainder of this school year. We understand it is being done to keep us all healthy, and that it is necessary at this time. Since we will not be returning to the campus this school year, there are a lot of things to adjust accordingly. We are working on these adjustments and will keep you updated frequently as we plan to have everyone back in school this fall.

Below are the important dates that we will follow as well as some information regarding refunds of items and events that have previously been paid. Once we have more guidance on the phasing, we will share plans to return materials to school, retrieve items from the classrooms as well as distribute pictures, report cards, and medications from the Nurse.

Please continue to read our communication via the Wolfpack Weekly each Wednesday to stay fully informed.

Distance Learning Plan for the Remainder of the 2019-2020 School Year

Academic Calendar:

May 15-June 11-Distance Learning will continue **(There are NO FINAL EXAMS this school year.)**

May 22 and 25-No Classes/Assignments-Enjoy the Memorial Day Weekend!

May 29-Last day of assignments and online learning for **Pre-K Students** and **8th Grade Students** only; Kindergarten Orientation-this will happen virtually.

June 1-Virtual Graduation Celebration for 8th Grade Students! More information will be sent separately. We are still planning to have an in-person graduation once we are permitted to do so.

We are working on virtual ways to celebrate our students as we would have if we were all together. More information to come!

Important Refund Information

Each family will receive one refund check related to the items listed below. Families will receive a refund if all financial obligations for the 2019-2020 school year have been met. We will coordinate the distribution of these checks with the drop-off/pick-up date of school items (mentioned above).

The following items that will be included in the refund checks issued:

- HASA Hot Lunch Program
- HASA Mother/Son Event
- Milk Orders
- 7th Grade Field Trip to Maryland Historical Society
- Band Trip to Hershey Park
- 8th Grade-Graduation fees (based on what you have currently paid)
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Things that will NOT be included are:

- Good Taste Lunch-Any current & returning students will receive a credit that will remain on their lunch account for use next school year. Any student that is graduating or not returning will be eligible for a refund which will be issued in the fall.
- HASA Spiritwear Orders-You will be receiving credit through Time Out Sports.

Please know that we miss all of you very much and can't wait to be back on campus as a community. Until then please know you are all in our prayers each and every day.

God Bless,

Ken Pipkin and Chrissie Ashby