

ONLINE LEARNING PLAN FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL

Dear Families,

Thank you for working with us as we strive to provide the best instruction possible during this unprecedented and ever-evolving situation.

Our district is fortunate in that we have Chromebooks for each student to facilitate online instruction while our students are at home. We know that our students, with your help, will take excellent care of the Chromebooks that they are responsible for and we will all work together to address any problems that may arise.

The expectation for our students is that they will connect daily to their teachers' Google Classroom for assignments. Teachers may provide a link from Google Classroom to a videoconference where students can visit with the teacher, receive instructions and guidance, and ask questions. Please remind students that videoconferences are recorded.

If you do not have an internet provider or hotspot to make an internet connection, please contact local wireless internet providers. Many of them are providing free access for the period of time that students will be working at home. If you live in an area where there is no provider available, please contact the school at (903) 569-5338 so that we can help make alternate arrangements for your student.

Our students are already familiar with working in Google Classroom. If your student has problems accessing Google Classroom or needs technical assistance, you may contact the school's Instructional Technology Specialist (ITS).

Be sure to check the district's webpage at <http://www.mineolaisd.net/> for the latest updates from our superintendent.

Thank you for your patience as we work through this challenge.

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