

April 6th, 2020

“Although the world is full of suffering, it is also full of the overcoming of it. We can do anything we want to if we stick to it long enough.” - Helen Keller

Dear 5B Families,

Here’s where we’re headed for our 4th week of Digital Learning:

- In **5B Ms. Bakamis** in “Classwork” Tab students will find (on the left hand side):
 - o **Attendance:** taken every morning between 8:30 am & 9:00 a.m. If students do not check in, they will be marked absent in PowerSchool and Mrs. Max will call home to see if your child is absent or present for the day.
 - o **Homeroom Check-ins:** We will be meeting via **Zoom on Monday, Wednesday, & Friday** (please let me know if your student is unable to attend) **at 9:00 am - 9:30 am** for a Homeroom check-in with prayer and announcements. *The log-in information will be posted as an announcement in our 5B Ms. Bakamis Google Classroom.*
 - o **Daily Learning Activities:** written down every day within the Individual Classes. Please check each class to make sure all work is completed.
- **In general, assignments are scheduled** and are not viewable until the time they are scheduled. For example, I’ve made most of my assignments for this week available at 8:00 a.m. on all days; therefore, students would not have seen them today. If there is a specific due date check the assignment or the Daily Learning Activities section in 5B Ms. Bakamis.
- **I’ll be available between 10:30 am -11:30 am every day** for questions or any issues that come up with any other online work.

In our online classrooms:

Math with Mrs. Dimock, Ms. Bakamis, & Ms. Smith

- Mrs. Dimock’s class **Week of April 6th - April 10th:**
 - **Monday: Zoom @ 9:30 am**, Check in about triangles, Introduce trapezoids
 - HW: ALEKs Inquiry 9-3
 - **Tuesday:** Lesson 9-3 Trapezoids, video of lesson p.686-687
 - HW: ALEKs 9-3
 - **Wednesday: Zoom @ 9:30**, Lesson 9-4 Changes in Dimension p. 698-700
 - HW: p. 701 #1-4
 - **Thursday: Zoom @ 9:30**, Lesson 9-5 Polygons on the Coordinate Plane
 - HW: ALEKs 9-5
 - **Friday:** Lesson 9-6 Area of Composite Figures, video of lesson
 - HW: ALEKS 9-6

Dimock Office Hours: Monday through Friday, 1 pm - 2 pm

- **Test corrections are due Friday.**
- **ALEKS progress is due Monday. They need a 5% increase in pie completion.**
- **Chapter Review and Test will happen after Spring Break.** Assignment will be through the online textbook.

• Ms. Bakamis's class needs to check their **Bakamis Math Class** Google Classroom daily for specific learning assignments. Ms. Bakamis will be available via Zoom daily @ 9:30 am - 10:15 am (**the log-in information will be posted in your Bakamis Math Class**) to teach the lesson for the day & answer any questions. We will wrap up our lessons in Chapter 8: Fractions & Decimals. We will review Chapter 8 on Friday & have our **Chapter 8 Test on Tuesday April 21st**. All students will be required to complete at least 45 minutes of ALEKS/week in the third trimester with a total of 3 hours prior to Spring Break.

• Mrs. Smith's class will receive a separate document regarding expectations for this week. Mrs. Smith will be available via Zoom daily @ 9:30 am - 10:15 am. All students are required to complete at least 45 minutes of ALEKS/week in the third trimester with a total of 3 hours prior to Spring Break.

5B Reading & Writing (ELA)

- **Reading & Writing:** Students will be responsible for checking the Classwork page for the day & completing the assignments listed there.
- **Spelling:** Words are Posted on the Reading & Writing Class. Please complete one spelling practice per day. I am still working on how to administer a Spelling Test online.

5B Religion: Students are reviewing the 3rd Unit of the curriculum. In this unit they will be completing Handouts from Session 13 - Session 15 & the Unit 3 Assessment. These sessions connect directly to the sessions in their Religion textbook. (1 handout per day) We will be learning about the Last Supper on Thursday & Father Brad will be joining us on Friday to share a bit about the Stations of the Cross.

5B Social Studies IB Unit: Students will be watching episodes 22 - 26 of *Liberty's Kids* this week and answering questions about each episode. (1 episode per day)

Independent Learning Project: Each student has come up with a new skill, talent, hobby, or creative project this week (ex: sewing, yoga, cooking, painting, riding a unicycle, cartooning, investing, etc.). The students will be practicing or learning/experiencing more about their new skill for the next few weeks. After Spring Break, we will set up a longer Zoom session for us to share all of our new experiences & skills.

Stay Healthy & Keep Washing Your Hands,

Ms. Kate Bakamis