

Louise Elementary

Asynchronous Instruction & Remote Learning

Instruction:

Certain aspects and characteristics of each grade level and every teacher's virtual classroom will vary. However, each grade level will be delivering a minimum of 180 minutes of curriculum and instruction on a daily basis through the Google Classroom platform. There will be four separate Google Classrooms to manage; two core area subject teachers, PE, and Music. Curriculum will be delivered in various forms, including but not limited to worksheets, web based tutorials, YouTube videos, digital books, Texas Home Learning 3.0, and live and/or recorded direct instruction. The opportunity for the parent/student to interact directly with teachers will be provided on a daily basis. The timing and format of that interaction will be specified and included in each teacher's class schedule.

Technology Requirements:

At the very minimum, students will need the following:

- a computer, laptop, or Chromebook
- access to the internet
- student email account (provided by the school)

If a student is in need of either of these items, a Chromebook and/or a hotspot may be checked out through Family Access in Skyward, beginning Monday, August 10th. Devices will then be available for pickup on Monday, August 17th. If a printer is not accessible, hard copies of materials will be available for pick up on the Friday, prior to the upcoming week. However, submission of all completed assignments will be digital.

Attendance:

Student attendance will be determined by the amount of documented engagement within the teachers' virtual classrooms. Each day, the student will need to access the instructional materials located in the teachers' Google Classrooms and perform at least 75% of the posted material for that day, on that day, to be credited with being counted "present" for that day. Students will have until 12:00 midnight to post work for that day. If a student is unable to show adequate progress toward this goal, they will be counted "absent" for that day. Attendance will be posted by 4:00 PM on the following Monday of each week. The same truancy laws apply to all enrolled students, regardless if they are on campus or learning remotely.

Grades:

Grading will follow guidelines established in our Student Handbook. In grades Pre K and Kinder, the student's report card will be performance based. Their progress in all academic areas will be reported as D (developed) or SD (still developing). In grades 1-5, all grades will be determined on the basis of a 0-100 point system with no weights.

Communication:

It is extremely important that the parent/student maintain a consistent, professional level of communication with the school/teacher.