



TRI-VILLAGE LOCAL SCHOOLS

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Mr. Josh Sagester, Superintendent

Dear Parents/Guardians,

For the 2020-2021 school year, the Tri-Village Local School District committed to using five (5) calamity days and (3) blizzard bag/e-days in the event of school cancellations. At this juncture, the district has used all five calamity days and two blizzard bag days due to inclement weather. With that being said, **the district does have one blizzard bag day remaining to use as of today.** However, in the event we must use more than our allotted days (8), the district does have a plan moving forward.

The Tri-Village Board of Education has chosen to utilize remote learning days if needed. The district will activate their remote learning plan as we did in the Spring of 2020. The teaching staff will deliver the curriculum and provide instruction via Google Meet. Students will follow their daily schedule online. The administration understands that not all students have access to the internet. As a result, online assignments will not be due until 10 days after campus re-opens for this reason. This extended deadline is not meant to encourage procrastination but rather give students without internet access extra time to complete the assignments. Students who have access to the internet at home are expected to complete their online assignments on a daily basis in a timely manner as if it were a “regular” school day. Due to the necessity of providing remote learning days because of COVID, our teachers and students have learned to utilize and maximize the online learning experience.

Beginning today, students in grades 3-12 will begin transporting their school issued technology device (chromebook and charger) to and from school on a daily basis until further notice. This will ensure students are prepared if the district does have to activate the remote learning plan in the near future. We ask that students and parents exercise caution when traveling with the device.

Specific instructions for **all grade levels** will be communicated by building level principals and classroom teachers in the event that a remote learning day is indeed needed. Thank you for your understanding, flexibility and continued support!

Sincerely,

Josh Sagester

Superintendent