

PARK FAMILY NEWSLETTER

Jan. 3rd, 2021



Up Coming Events

- Jan. 5th- School Resumes
- Jan. 12th- Early Release Day
- Jan. 26th- PLC (Early Release) Day
- Feb. 9th- Early Release Day
- Feb. 9th- High School Registration
- Feb. 23rd- Early Release Day
- March 5th- Last Day of Quarter 3
- March 8th-12th- Spring Break
- March. 15th- Start of Quarter 4



Happy New Year! We made it through 2020 with all of its ups and downs and uncertainties. The first semester was a whirlwind of getting used to our new normal while still striving for academic achievement and growth. I am so proud of all of our students and how well they managed all of the new protocols and expectations that came at them while learning and growing. I am also proud of our remote students for working hard even when it was more difficult than being in the building. I would like to thank each and every one of the family members for supporting your student and for extending your patience and understanding as we navigated through the pandemic together. It is hard to believe that we are getting ready to start our Semester 2 on Tuesday. While we will still be working in our new normal protocols, we have a lot to look forward to. Our 8th graders will have many opportunities to explore what high school will look like and make some decisions about what they will do next school year. Watch the Park Website, Facebook and your emails for information as we move through the quarter. As always, please feel free to call the main office for any questions or comments.

Charlotte Everts-Principal

إذا أردتم المساعدة باللغة العربية ، الرجاء الإتصال على الرقم الآتي : 402 - 436- 1715

Si necesita ayuda en español, no dude en llamar a uno de nuestros Asesores Académicos Bilingües. 402-436-1960

Nếu Quý vị cần trợ giúp bằng tiếng việt, xin gọi Điện Thoại cho nhân-viên Liên-Đới Song Ngữ: 402-436-1955

Если Вам требуется помощь на русском языке позвоните ответственному по связям со школой 402-436-1942

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If you need help in _____, feel free to call one of our Bilingual Liaisons. 402-436-_____



Parent-Teacher conferences are scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 11th from 3:30-6:30pm. Our conferences will not be in-person, however, you will be able to schedule a time to talk with your student's teachers. A sign-up form will be sent out to families as we get closer to the date.

Semester One Report Cards

The Semester One report cards will be on Synergy after Jan. 13th. Please remember that for this school year, the District is omitting the work habits and conduct grading on Middle School report cards. This means that teachers will not enter anything in the work habits and conduct grades section. As usual, each teacher is expected to communicate with their students, as well as their parents/guardians, about their progress regarding work habits, conduct, and other pertinent information that would support their success as students.

Remote Learner News

Teachers are working hard to engage all of our students and ensure that they are understanding the content. In order to be successful with this, teachers need to interact with students to check their understanding. We have found that students who have their cameras on, engage in the chat and/or unmute when asked a question are doing much better in their classes and on assignments.

If your student doesn't respond to their teachers verbally or in the Zoom chat, the teacher will contact you to share concerns and problem solve the issues. If the lack of engagement continues, the teachers will reach out to the grade-level administrator and will help develop a more detailed plan which will involve attendance conversations. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Remote Learner Material Pick

There will be supplies/materials for Remote Learners to pick up starting on Tuesday, Jan. 5th. You can pick up the materials at the front entrance between 7:30am and 4:00pm.

Help Desk Information

If you need technology support call 402-436-1735.

Remote Learner Supports

Stop by the LPS website and enter the word *remote* into the Search, Keyword box in the top right corner. The Student Support page on the Remote Learning site has links to valuable resources to support your student while learning at home. Please make sure that your student knows how to connect with their teachers using StudentVue. The Parent/Guardian Support Page is filled with valuable information designed to help you help your student. The 10 Remote Learning Things To Know is a must read.

2020/2021 Yearbooks for Sale

If you would like to order a yearbook for \$20, please go to this website:

https://yearbookforever.com/schools/park_middle_school_buy_yearbook_5872/nmB6mYqfo6PxV TAPf1MYNE7J

Boys Basketball

Prior to participating in basketball, all students must have a completed Parent Consent form on file at the school which can be completed electronically. The same COVID-19 protocols that are in place during the school day will be the same for our after-school activities. Coaches and players will be required to wear face coverings at all times except for playing on the court during a game or participating in strenuous conditioning during practice. We know that supporting your student during the season is important, at this time, there are no spectators allowed at games. This is the only way that we can continue to have these activities for students while following safety protocols. All of the games will be recorded and put on the Park Facebook page. [Here](#) is the link for the Park MS Athletic/Activity Parent Consent Form.

