

Dear LHS Parents and Students,

As we begin week two of the school closure, I hope you and your family are healthy and supporting one another during these challenging times.

The LHS teaching staff have put together optional, educational materials that would allow access to supplemental materials for course work throughout the current COVID-19 school closure. **During this week, and the two weeks after spring break, LHS teachers will be sharing educational information that students can choose to access. This material will not be graded and is not required but rather an opportunity for students to review educational topics and concepts until we are able to return to school.**

While we are away, parents and students may want to consider the following:

1. Visit the district website for access to supplemental, education, and support resources
2. Getting some exercise daily or reading a book for an hour each day.
3. Establish some time to review some of your courses and what has been covered thus far this semester.
4. Check your student email daily for updates from teachers or the school.
5. Log into Google classroom accounts daily.
6. Try some activities in Khan academy related to some of your courses.
7. Contact your teachers and counselors, e-mail is preferred.

What if we don't have internet access?

- At this time, we are still working to support students without access to the internet to also have access to materials at the high school level. The choice of using google classroom to push content out was made because most students can access in their phones.
- If you need assistance with accessing, please contact your individual teacher via email or Mr. Lindsay at 810-538-2349 or by email at dlindsay@lapeerschools.org

Parents and students should take a moment to review the following suggestions as it applies to your current program/schedule:

Traditional Classes

- Please review the following document, [Established Online Communication Methods](#). This has been posted on the LHS website and highlights how teachers will be sharing information with students.

- Then, students need to look up their teacher and hour in the document ([Established Online Communication Methods](#)). Students will enter the code into google classroom. Students can use their phone or computer.

AP Classes

- Most AP courses had preexisting methods such as Google Classroom and AP Classroom that students were accessing. Like traditional classes, some new codes have been added to the attached and posted, [Established Online Communication Methods](#), document for student access
- Additional resources have been provided by the college board. Students may access these resources at College Board Website - [AP Central-Covid19 Info](#) or on [YouTube](#) by searching “Advanced Placement”.
- On March 24th a parent communication was sent by Jared Field that outlined our district procedures in AP exams. This information is also available on page 5 of the district [FAQ document](#). As more information becomes available, we will communicate with you.
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On-line Courses

- Students will have access to continue in their existing Pearson online courses. They can access the Pearson site: lapeerhigh.lms.pearsonconnexus.com from home and complete all content except the final exam.
 - All tests and quizzes should be unlocked by Wednesday, March 25th at Noon. If a student experiences technical difficulty, please contact your mentor teacher.
- If you need assistance with accessing, please contact your individual mentor teacher via email or Mr. Lindsay at 810-538-2349 or by email at dlindsay@lapeerschools.org

Dual Enrollment Courses

- We have received information that the majority of colleges/universities that we partner with have transitioned to online learning only and are utilizing online platforms such as Canvas. For these courses, students must follow the requirements of the college/university. Students are encouraged to check their college/university email each day.
- For students experiencing difficulty with the transition to online, please contact your instructor and the college student services office. If additional help is needed, please contact Mr. Lindsay at dlindsay@lapeerschools.org.

Ed-Tech Programs

- Ed-Tech is working to provide additional resources to support education in a supplementary manner.
- Students enrolled in Ed-Tech courses should continue to monitor the [Lapeer ISD website](#).
- If you need assistance with accessing, please contact your individual mentor teacher via email or Mr. Lindsay at 810-538-2349 or by email at dlindsay@lapeerschools.org.

On behalf of LHS and Lapeer Schools, we will continue to keep you updated throughout the next few weeks. Please take care and continue to our district website as well as our [FAQ document](#) for regular updates. If additional questions arise, please contact me at dlindsay@lapeerschools.org or my direct office line at 810-538-2349.

Stay healthy and safe,

Doug Lindsay
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