



# Auburn School District

AVS Transition to Remote Learning

October 20, 2020

Dear Auburn Village School Parents/Families,

Due to the confirmed COVID-19 case at Auburn Village School, we will be closed on October 21st to allow for our maintenance staff to perform a deep cleaning of the building. I will be working with the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) to share relevant information and to determine action steps. If you are not notified by NH DHHS, your child was not identified as being a close contact to the person with COVID-19.

The school closure has prompted us to shift to remote learning tomorrow. *All sports games today are cancelled as well as the PTA meeting that is scheduled for this evening.* Each classroom teacher will be providing remote learning assignments/activities through the SeeSaw App for Grades K-2 and Schoology for Grades 3-8. Teachers will be posting schedules, Zoom links for live instruction, and assignments in SeeSaw and Schoology starting tomorrow, October 21st. Our special education teachers and specialists will also be reaching out to the families of students who receive additional intervention services with links to their service times. Your child will be responsible for completing the school work and submitting it back to the teacher using SeeSaw or Schoology for both days.

Students must follow these rules when Zooming with their teachers and classmates. [Please refer to the Remote Learning Contract linked here.](#)

- Students should log into the Zoom meeting from a distraction-free, quiet environment. Headphones/earbuds are recommended to limit background noise and distractions. If your child is in a location where there are other children or other people, have them sit with their backs towards a wall for privacy reasons. There are other students and families zooming into class as well. Please note that students should be dressed appropriately for the day and not wearing pajamas.
- Students must work towards exhibiting responsible, safe, and kind behavior while class is in session. Leaving in the middle of a lesson is discouraged, unless it is an emergency. If there are continued issues, the classroom teachers will reach out to parents to discuss the matter and to create some solutions.
- Students must submit school work/assignments by 8:00pm on the day that it is due. The priority is to complete and submit the assignments during the regular school day.
- Students must have their cameras on during Zoom lessons. While we do understand that sometimes there are connectivity issues and that Zoom may work better without the camera off, the classroom teacher should be notified of issues prior to the student turning the camera off.

**Curbside Lunch Information**

We will be serving *free* curbside lunch and cold breakfast options tomorrow, Wednesday, October 21. These meals must be preordered (Wednesday 10/21) by 7am.

- This option will include the hot lunch choice of the day and a cold breakfast.
- Be sure to add in your email the name and grade(s) of your student(s), lunch item of choice and preferred pickup time. (You may also choose white or chocolate milk).
- To Pick Up :
  - Email your order to: Sarah Belanger [sbelanger@sau15.net](mailto:sbelanger@sau15.net)
  - Pick Up Directions: Pickup is located at the back cafeteria door; around the back, next to the cafeteria. Stop at the door and wait for your order. The pick up time is from 11:20 to 11:50am. An earlier time can be arranged if needed. (Look for the "PICK UP HERE" sign)
  - If you have any questions, please contact Sarah Belanger, the Director of Nutrition Services, at [sbelanger@sau15.net](mailto:sbelanger@sau15.net).

### **Special Education, 504 and Teacher Meetings**

Since all of our meetings are being held remotely this year they will occur at the scheduled date regardless of whether we are in school or remote. You will be able to find the Zoom links in either an email or within the calendar invite that you received.

If there are any changes or updates, we will let you know. For classroom related questions, please contact your child's teacher. For other questions, please contact me or Mrs. Murray, the Assistant Principal. We will be happy to assist you.

Sincerely,



Lori Collins  
Principal

Links:

[Technology FAQs](#)