

Good Evening TALME Families,

Due to the volume of packets being made for students across the district, we will begin releasing our next wave of packets on March 26 and 27th, 2020.

Students do not need to begin these packets till April 6, 2020. We also want to provide our students in grades 1-5 with their classroom Chromebooks if they do not have adequate technology for distant learning at home. This will allow our students to see their teachers in live time, communicate and interact with their peers through google classroom, and complete assessments through our online platforms. The plan is as follows:

-Starting March, 26, 2020, Parents can come anytime between 9am-2pm to pick up the April 6th packet and also a Chromebook, but we are recommending the following times:

K-1	9-10AM
2-3	10AM-12noon
4-5	12noon-2PM

If your schedule conflicts with the times listed above, please feel free to come anytime and we will try to get you the items you need. An adult must be present to sign out the Chromebooks. We hope this all ends soon, but we want to assure your children are receiving the highest level of instruction no matter the situation.

Also, please see the attached **TALME Spirit Week** flyer. We want our students to be excited about their learning and know we are in this together. Starting April 6, 2020, we will also have **Morning Meetings** for our students to participate in online. We will also have events like:

1. Virtual Lunch with Your Principal/Teacher
2. Honk for Education (teachers doing a caravan in the community to let our students know we are thinking of them)
3. Virtual Student Recognitions (celebrating students that are working hard at home)

We are passionate about our student's learning. Thank you and we hope to see you soon.

Dr. Ross