



Flexible Instructional Day

Tuesday, January 26, 2021

No In-Person Instruction

Bear Creek Community Charter School will be implementing a Flexible Instruction Day on Tuesday, January 26, 2021. Flexible Instructional Days have two mandatory components: (1) Students must complete an online attendance question; and (2) Students must complete the assigned work. The student attendance question is accessed through any homeroom teacher's webpage.

Teacher webpages are accessible through the Bear Creek Community Charter School web site, <http://bearcreekschool.com/teacher.php>. The attendance question must be answered by 11:59 p.m.

Students will utilize their Chromebooks to complete asynchronous (independent) work in Google Classroom. Teachers will post assignments in Google Classroom by 9:00 a.m. Students in kindergarten and first grade will complete work in mathematics and ELA. Students in grades two through four will complete assignments in mathematics, ELA and science. Students in grades five through eight will complete assignments in all four core subjects, mathematics, ELA, science and social studies. Student work is to be submitted by 11:59 p.m.

Questions regarding student assignments should be directed to your child(ren)'s teacher. Teachers are available via email. Should you have trouble accessing Google Classroom contact Kristen Young, Director of Curriculum and Instruction, via email kristen.young@bearcreekschool.com or phone 570-820-4070 extension 6203.

Students in grades kindergarten through fourth will be bringing home their Chromebook and a new charger in a labeled Ziploc bag today. Upon return to school Chromebooks and chargers, in their labeled bag, are to be returned.

If your child is not in school today and you need to pick up your child(ren)'s Chromebook you may do so after 1:00 p.m. in the Main Office.

Why? The weather forecast calls for light snow, mixing with sleet and freezing rain beginning before daybreak and lasting most of the day. Snow accumulations are expected to be minimal at 1"-3"; however the timing of the inclement weather, duration and the potential for ice impacted our decision. If we wait until tomorrow morning to make the final decision, we would be unable to utilize a Flexible Instructional Day, and students would be forced to make up the day at year's end.