

March 15, 2021

Dear CCA families,

As I write this letter, I know some of you are without power and are not sure you will be able to remove snow or have cleared roads to get out for material pick-up. We will continue to monitor those conditions to make the best decision possible for the material pick-up. *If RE3j calls a delay or closure for tomorrow we will follow them.* Thank you for your understanding.

A little different look to our week this week. Please see below for your student's start Tuesday start time if they are K-5. Middle school starts at 7:30 on Tuesday.

Cardinal Key: *This month's Key is Flexibility. Flexibility is the willingness to try something different when we realize that what we're doing isn't working. Many times a day we are faced with situations that are different from what we had originally planned. One way to deal with these situations is to be rigid and continue to do things in the same way over and over—another is to handle them with flexibility. Being flexible is responding to changing or new situations in ways that move us forward.*

K-5 Class start times Tuesday, March 16:

We are starting all K-5 classes after noon tomorrow to give you time to get to CCA for classroom materials.

Kindergarten: your first class Tuesday is at 1:15 pm

1st grade: your first class Tuesday is at 1:30 pm

2nd grade: your first class Tuesday is at 1:00 pm

3rd grade: your first class Tuesday is at 1:00 pm

4th grade: your first class Tuesday is 12:30 pm

5th grade: your first class Tuesday is 12:30 pm

All K-5 students can find their STEM (independent work) in their STEM google classroom. Feel free to email staceydinges@re3j.com if you have questions about the STEM project this week

The remainder of the week will have a full-day schedule. Please see your classroom newsletter for more information.

Yearbook Order Deadline TOMORROW!

- Please use [this link](#) to order this great memento of an unusual year. If you have a paper order and check/cash, drop it at material pick-up. If you have additional questions regarding yearbooks, email cassierosling@re3j.com.
- A request from Cassie: "I am working to make sure that we have a wonderful book to remember this wild, crazy, abnormal year! With that I am calling on you for help in

making sure that we capture all the important moments. Please send me pictures of the following:

- Anything you have done that has been fun this year! (Learning doesn't just happen in the classroom)
 - Sports pictures- please only ONE picture per kid per sport (live action is always fun, it doesn't have to be the formal picture)
 - Dress up day pictures
 - Anything you think would make the yearbook more fun!
 - All pictures must be submitted no later than March 31st.
- If you are so helpful as to send pictures, please know that not all pictures may make it into the book, but I greatly appreciate it having options! Please just send the pictures to me at cassierosling@re3j.com or you can send them to the school yearbook email at ccaschoolyearbook@gmail.com."

Burritos and Pizza Next Week!

- Santiago burrito lunches return next week. Here is the [printable Burrito order form](#). Burrito lunches are on Thursdays.
- Ben's Pizza will be bringing a delicious pizza option to CCA starting Wednesday, March 24th. Here is the [printable Ben's Pizza form](#).
- Please turn in orders for lunches tomorrow during the material pick-up.
- All orders for students that are remote learning will be credited to the student's lunch account. Crystal will be in touch with families to explain the student credit situation.

Class photos will be rescheduled:

We will let you know the new date is as soon as possible.

Accountability Committee Update:

With remote learning for all grades this week, we will reschedule this week's meeting. Watch your email committee members.

Thank You's:

A big thank you to the Pralle and Simpson families for removing the snow in the parking lot so we can have a safe material pick-up tomorrow morning.

How Sick is Too Sick Guidance for Keeping Your Student Home:

Families should watch signs of illness and follow this simple checklist to determine if your child should stay home:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches

- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Unusual congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Contact with a confirmed case of Covid-19

*This list is not all-inclusive. Please consult your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning.

If your child starts to experience any of those symptoms, please keep them home. Please take a few moments to review [this information](#) regarding our guidelines for in-person learning.

Upcoming Events

- March 23: Intermediate and Middle School cohorts return to In-person learning
- March 24: CCA Board of Directors meeting @ 5:30pm. Agenda and link on the CCA Board of Directors web page.
- Spring Break: March 27-April 5

Sincerely,

Maureen Lockette