

March 20, 2020

Good Morning PS 770 Families and Happy Friday!

The PS 770 staff has been hard at work over the past 3 days getting our remote and distance learning plan in place.

Feel free to continue using the packets that were provided to you either by pick up or online to supplement learning until we begin on March 23rd.

It was not easy figuring out what the best plan would be, but ultimately, we wanted to do everything we could to still provide quality and direct instruction to our students. We understand that many parents are balancing working from home while having their children at home, and we know that this is no easy task (many of our teachers are doing this too).

We hope that our schedule provides some general structure for those who need/want it, but also provides enough flexibility to those who need/want that.

Please know, as we are figuring this out, systems might crash, Google Classroom might overload, etc...We just ask that you stay calm. Teachers will be in contact through the students' Gmail addresses, so please make sure you have logged on and set up google classroom. Many teachers have posted a first assignment or question students can answer.

Please take into consideration that all live teaching will be recorded and uploaded to Google Classroom each day. This way, if a student misses a live lesson, they can always watch it at a later time.

Students are expected to complete the work the teachers post for them in Google Classroom daily. This is how we will take attendance. However, students will have until 7:00 PM each day, so again, if your schedule doesn't allow your child to complete it on our schedule, they can complete it on the schedule that works best for your family.

Teachers will post the students' schedules in Google Classroom by 3:05 today. Again, we will make adjustments as we go.

Please ensure that your child is set up on Google Classroom by today to ensure your child is ready for learning on Monday. Teachers will not be expected to help/answer questions over the weekend.

All links to live learning (zoom) will be shared in Google Classroom.

If you need a device for your child: <https://coronavirus.schools.nyc/RemoteLearningDevices> (today is the deadline).

If you are a healthcare worker or first responder and need child care, please fill out this form to enroll in one of the enrichment centers:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdDNFM0ezuG9mCu99utf3dkloTpdEhzBB1ancwlaeT3ny7uEQ/viewform?link_id=1&can_id=a7a0f1208c86b563527d97d8d9046acf&source=email-reinstate-rosa&email_referrer=email_753444&email_subject=nycdoe-regional-enrichment-centers-to-open-monday-march-23&fbclid=IwAR3aRvTN5E5mcDn5pTB_UTd2tbQbdxVQmqPAE7MmxNwfdJGRR-Wu7rIRKGY

The day will consist of the following from 3/23-3/27. We will make any necessary adjustments for the following week.

	Monday 3/23	Tuesday 3/24	Wednesday 3/25	Thursday 3/26	Friday 3/27
9:15-9:30 AM	Morning Announcements with Ms. Saratovsky				
9:35-9:45	Morning Meeting with your teachers and classmates				
9:45-12:30	Instruction (This will be a mix of live teaching and online learning/ assignments)	Instruction (This will be a mix of live teaching and online learning/ assignments)	Instruction (This will be a mix of live teaching and online learning/ assignments)	Instruction (This will be a mix of live teaching and online learning/ assignments)	Instruction (This will be a mix of live teaching and online learning/ assignments)
12:30-1:20	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
1:25-2:10	PK/K Gym 1 st Music 2 nd Dance	1 st Gym 2 nd Music PK/K Dance	2 nd Gym PK/K Music 1 st Dance	PK/K Gym 1 st Music 2 nd Dance	1 st Gym 2 nd Music PK/K Dance
2:10-2:55	3 rd Gym 4 th Music 5 th Dance	4 th Gym 5 th Music 3 rd Dance	5 th Gym 3 rd Music 4 th Dance	3 rd Gym 4 th Music 5 th Dance	4 th Gym 5 th Music 3 rd Dance

Office Hours		
Clusters	PK/K/1/2/Service Providers	3/4/5/Master Teachers
9:10-9:45 AM	2:10-2:55 PM	1:25-2:10 PM

Ms. Deneice, our parent coordinator, will be available during 8:45 AM-3:05 PM each day. You can reach her: 201-898-0738

Please remember to abide by our online policies for distance/remote learning:

- Staff are only expected to answer the phone or email during official work hours of 8:45 AM and 3:05 PM, Monday-Friday. Phone calls are not allowed after 3:05 PM.
- No student or parent is permitted to videotape or share any online learning videos of any PS 770 staff to any social media platforms.
- DOE regulations around cyber bullying applies and will be enforced.
- Please respect and understand that teachers are pushing outside of their comfort zones to ensure quality learning continues. Be patient and understanding during this transition.

We will look forward to “seeing” everyone on Monday!

~Ms. Saratovsky