

The Weekly Warrior

March 19, 2021

RMSD Update

Dr. Bickert
Superintendent

At Tuesday's Board of Education meeting, the Board voted to return all four schools (SVP, WME, RMS and RHS) to 5-day in-person learning, beginning Monday, April 5, 2021. Families may still choose to be all-remote, or may decide to return full-time, if previously, they had chosen to be remote-only. An important consideration is that the hybrid model (2 days per week of in-person learning and 3 days per week of remote learning) will no longer be available. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's school for more information.

We continue making plans for summer learning opportunities for all our students and expect to share more specific plans mid-April. Before we can finalize an official 2021-22 school year calendar, we must await the work of our Legislators as there are numerous bills and resolutions pending action which could directly affect school district planning for the upcoming year. Stayed tuned for more information.

During the past year, the effects of the pandemic have highlighted the need for social-emotional supports. On the front lines of this effort have been our school social workers. We appreciate our school social workers every day and send out a special "thank you" today, which is National School Social Workers Day!

Have a restful spring break and continue to be vigilant in the fight against Covid-19! *Don't Stop Believin' Dr. B.*

UPCOMING

Sat. Mar. 20th: Warrior Football vs Portales
Lady Warrior Soccer (V) @ Silver
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Warrior/Lady Warrior XCountry
District Championship @ Lovington

Mon. Mar. 22nd – Fri. Mar. 26th : Spring Break
No Classes – Central Office Closed

Tue. Mar. 23rd : Warrior/Lady Warrior Soccer vs Chaparral

Wed. Mar. 24th : Warrior/Lady Warrior Soccer @ Chaparral
Lady Warrior Volleyball @ Chaparral

Sharing the Good News!

SVP: We are welcoming back an additional 40 Wee Warriors from online-only to in-person learning on Monday, April 5th! For those students remaining online, be on the lookout for more information forthcoming after spring break.

WME: Wishing everyone a pleasant and enjoyable spring break. Blue/Gold hybrid continues the week of March 29th, before 5-day in-person learning begins Monday, April 5th. Check out our Facebook page for all the latest information, including checking out books from the library!

Kudos: Recognizing our School Social Workers:

Melissa Badachi (SVP) Dennis Smith (WME)

Luisa Rodriguez (RHS) Sheila Blackburn (District)



RMS: In addition to welcoming all Braves back on Monday, April 5th, RMS will also be offering free Intensive-Targeted Tutoring either before school (7:35 – 8:35 a.m.) or after school (4:10 – 5:10 p.m.). This is a great opportunity for students to work individually and/or in small groups with their teachers on specific academic skills and standards. Please contact your child's teacher(s) for more information.

RHS: Graduation 2021 is quickly approaching and the latest information from PED is that the size and scope of graduation ceremonies will be based on the color of the county two weeks prior to the ceremony (May 16, 2021). Help us get to turquoise, so the Class of 2021 can graduate with a traditional ceremony at Horton Stadium!