

Dear Hyde-Addison ES Families,

As we conclude week 4 of “Learning at Home”, I have witnessed tremendous displays of the Hyde-Addison ES core values. Thank you to our students and families for your acts of curiosity, integrity, kindness, and perseverance and your appreciation of our diverse experiences during this time. If you need support, please reach out to our Hyde-Addison ES team. For copies of previous Hyde-Addison ES “Learning at Home/Distance Learning” updates, please feel free to visit the Hyde-Addison ES website at <https://www.hydeaddisondc.org>. You may also follow Hyde-Addison ES on Facebook, for related resources.

As you will receive direct information from DCPS, please be advised that “Learning at Home” will extend through the remainder of the 2019-2020 DCPS school year, which is now scheduled to conclude on May 29, 2020.

2020-2021 School Enrollment

DCPS has not shared any additional enrollment updates. Once additional guidance is provided, that information will be shared with our families. Please feel free to visit enrolldcps.dc.gov, for any available information.

Student Support Team Parent Newsletter:

Attached is the second parent newsletter. It contains concrete ways to stay engaged in social connection while still practicing physical distance.

Stress Management Workshop

The Student Support Team recognizes that these are difficult times and invites you to participate in a virtual presentation/Q&A session on Coping with Stress on Wednesday, April 22nd at 6:30pm. Presenters will be Monique Leopold (School Psychologist) and Jennifer McLaurin (Social Worker).

Last week, DCPS hosted a free online workshop as part of their Parent University series. In that session, parents learned strategies to reduce stress and maintain work-life balance during social distancing. A recording of the session can be found [here](#). The Student Support Team will be recapping and highlighting pertinent information from this presentation.

If you would like to submit specific questions beforehand to be answered during the Q&A, please submit them to Monique Leopold (monique.leopold@k12.dc.gov).

This virtual presentation will be held on Microsoft Teams platform. To download click [here](#). Click the link below to join the meeting.

Join Microsoft Teams Meeting

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Conference ID: 700 759 763#

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Hyde-Addison ES Instructional Links and YouTube Channels

- Library: Weekly library lessons <https://schuttelibrarian.weebly.com/>
- Story Time: A daily read aloud will be shared by one our amazing Reading Teachers, Ms. Newman or a guest reader.
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCe8hcDisPtdH3MVwZKzoW4g/>
- Let's Move: Health and wellness activities have been shared by our health conscious Physical Education Teacher, Mr. Parrish.
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdXyup_i6XxQkeig7m6WBZg
- Music: After completion of the assignment, Mr. Rivera has requested a picture or video of the work be emailed to jose.rivera@k12.dc.gov or you may upload it to Microsoft Teams.
<https://youtu.be/VydGdeM6hDE>
- Art with Ms. Zaid
https://youtu.be/Kk3_sjkhZE4

DCPS Updates

Mayor Bowser Extends #StayAtHome Order

Mayor Bowser extended the public health emergency for the District, the Stay at Home Order, and closure of non-essential businesses through May 15, 2020.

37th Annual DCPS/Washington Informer Spelling Bee Airs this Sunday*

Missing sports? Cheer on the most accomplished spellers this year in the District of Columbia this Sunday online, on NBC4, or on DKN (available for streaming after the below times)

Promo: https://youtu.be/q0Ck_bo8QU0

NBC - airing on television at noon on NBC4 Sunday, April 19, 2020

(<https://vimeo.com/405542224/d22d313a14>)

DKN - airing on television DKN at 3pm Sunday, April 19, 2020

(<https://entertainment.dc.gov/node/163682>)

*don't worry, pre-recorded this on February 29th.

Lexia Live Sessions:

Families may attend a live online session with our implementation team. These sessions are designed to inform parents about Core5 & PowerUp home usage and resources. [National Getting Started with Lexia for Families- live online](#)

Expanded Learning at Home Videos on YouTube

This week, the learning at home video offerings on the DCPS YouTube channel expanded beyond just K-2 early literacy lessons. Check out the channel to [explore dedicated playlists](#) by grade level or subject matter, as well as the first installment of the [DCPS Storytime series](#) featuring books for young readers.

These expanded video learning opportunities will also [air on local cable](#). Tune in each weekday on DKN or DCTV for lessons in music, art, social studies, ELA, and more! Lessons broadcast from 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (end times may vary).

Families can watch on the following channels:

- Comcast: 95, 96, 99
- RCN: 10, 11, 18
- Verizon: 10, 12

Mayor Bowser Launches Grocery Sites at DC Schools, Available to All Families

Mayor Muriel Bowser launched 10 weekday grocery distribution sites at District schools to help families access meals and other resources during the coronavirus (COVID-19) public health emergency. Breakfast and lunch are still being distributed at schools and other sites across the District. Visit [here](#) for a comprehensive schedule and list of distribution sites. The grocery distribution sites are being launched in partnership with Martha's Table and DC Central Kitchen. **The sites are available to all families and are open Monday – Friday, 12:30 to 2:00 pm.** Residents can pick up pre-packed grocery bags, which include fresh produce and dry goods. Groceries are being distributed on a first come, first served basis.

Term 3 Grading Period

Term 3 will end on Friday, April 24, which will be a DCPS Records Day and Professional Development Day for teachers. **No learning at home will take place on April 24.**

<u>Previous Updates</u>

Parent University Online Workshops

DCPS is launching virtual Parent University workshops to provide information and start conversations on topics that we know are top of mind for families. Follow the [registration link](#) to [RSVP](#) and receive information on how to join online.

Date and Time	Topic
Wednesday, April 22, 2:30 p.m.	Helping Your Child Manage Stress

Family Supports

Your child's classroom teacher remains the primary point of contact for any instructional questions or concerns. Please reach out to hyde.addison@k12.dc.gov for any additional supports, which may be needed.

Resource Links

- [Parent University workshop on using Teams](#)
- [Guide to DCPS COVID-19 resources for Spanish-speaking households](#)
- [FAQ for DCPS Families – updated April 8](#)
- [Public Toolkit from DC Health](#)
- [Internet Access for Students](#)
- [DCPS Information Hub on Coronavirus](#)

Article Links

[The District providing school meals, free groceries to those in need during pandemic](#)
WJLA7/Sam Ford

[Hotline in DC for those in need of food](#)
WTOP

Stay Safe

Please keep you and your families safe. Continue to follow the guidance of [Mayor Bowser](#) and [DC Health](#). Slow the spread of COVID-19 through social distancing and stay home, when at all possible.

Kindest Regards,

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