



## Learning Plan for April 13-May 1 and Some Spring Break Fun

### Dear Wawasee Parents/Guardians and Students:

Wawasee Community School Corporation has worked on a plan for the three weeks following spring break during Governor Holcomb's mandatory shut down for all Indiana schools. What we have put together has taken into consideration students' social and emotional needs, continuity of learning for our students, strain put on families during these uncertain times, and the efforts our teachers are putting into making quality eLearning plans for our students.

We know many of you are now home with your children, and we know so many of you are involved in helping your children with their assignments during this time. We appreciate your efforts and care about you!

### **Spring Break April 3-10**

There will be no eLearning during spring break. However, we recognize that many families will be at home together and wanted to provide some options/ideas for fun. As a district, we have prepared a daily activity and some bonus ones and invite families to share their participation on social media using the hashtags **#WarriorSpringBreak2020** and then hashtags for each activity. **We think this can be a fun, unifying week for our Warrior family!** We hope you and your families will choose to participate and post on social media! Please click on this link to see the slides of activities each day along with some extra ideas: [Warrior Spring Break 2020](#).

Friday, 4/3:	#WarriorCampingwithaBook
Saturday, 4/4:	#WarriorPicnic
Sunday, 4/5:	#WarriorNatureScavengerHunt
Monday, 4/6:	#WarriorMovieNight
Tuesday, 4/7:	#WarriorGameNight
Wednesday, 4/8:	#WarriorDaytoCreate
Thursday, 4/9:	#WarriorBeachNight
Friday, 4/10:	#WarriorMoveItNight

Bonus Activity:	#WarriorVirtualFieldTrip
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**April 13-May 1 Daily SCHEDULE: 6 Academic eLearning Days and 3 Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Days**

We will operate on the following plan for the three weeks: Mondays: Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Day; Tuesdays: Academic eLearning Day; Wednesdays: No Lessons;; Thursdays, Academic eLearning Day; Fridays: No Lessons. Assignments posted by 9 am each day.. See the table below with each day's schedule

eLearning	Plan	Teacher Role & Assignments Due (9 am):	Assignments Due
Monday, 4/13	SEL Day Theme: Mindset	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Thursday, 4/16
Tuesday, 4/14	Academic eLearning Day	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Thursday 4/16 (or later per teacher)
Wednesday, 4/15	No Lessons	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	NA
Thursday, 4/16	Academic eLearning Day	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Tuesday, 4/21 (or later per teacher)
Friday, 4/17	No Lessons	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	NA
Monday, 4/20	SEL Day Theme: Regulation	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Thursday, 4/23
Tuesday, 4/21	Academic eLearning Day	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Thursday 4/23 (or later per teacher)
Wednesday, 4/22	No Lessons	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	NA
Thursday, 4/23	Academic eLearning Day	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Tuesday, 4/28 (or later per teacher)
Friday, 4/24	No Lessons	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	NA
Monday, 4/27	SEL Day Theme: Connection	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Thursday, 4/30
Tuesday, 4/28	Academic eLearning Day	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Thursday 4/30 (or later per teacher)
Wednesday, 4/29	No Lessons	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	NA
Thursday, 4/30	Academic eLearning Day	Online Office Hours 9 am-3 pm	Tuesday, 5/5 (or later per teacher)
Friday, 5/1	No Lessons	Online Office Hours	NA

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### **ATTENDANCE:**

Student attendance tracking will continue the same as we have done throughout the year and will be taken on the Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Days and Academic eLearning Days.

### **WHAT ARE SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL) DAYS?:**

Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) is the process through which children and adults acquire and effectively apply the knowledge, attitudes, and skills necessary to understand and manage emotions, set and achieve positive goals, feel and show empathy for others, establish and maintain positive relationships, and make responsible decisions ([CASEL](#)). During these uncertain times, SEL is more important than ever. We have chosen three competencies to focus on for our SEL mini lessons: Mindset, Regulation, and Connection.

On SEL Days (Mondays), a mini lesson that should take a maximum of 30 minutes to complete will be pushed out to your children. We encourage you to take an active part in this learning as well, if you so choose. The lessons are designed for the following groups: Grades K-2, Grades 3-5, Grades 6-8, and Grades 9-12. Lessons will be pushed out by the student's classroom teacher in grades K-5 and at grades 6-12, one of the student's teachers will push out the lesson and will communicate with your student on how to access the lesson.

### **ACADEMIC LESSONS, ASSIGNMENTS & ACTIVITIES:**

Our teachers are continuing to focus on the essential standards for their subject areas in order to maintain some continuity of learning.

Elementary students (Grades K-5) will continue to focus on literacy (40ish minutes), math (30ish minutes) and a special area (30ish minutes) for each academic learning day.

Students in grades 6-12 will continue to have assignments for each course in which they are enrolled. Total learning for each class/subject should take 30ish minutes.

### **MEALS FOR STUDENTS**

We will continue to offer free breakfasts and lunches for children eighteen years of age or younger **during spring break and after spring break. Starting Monday, April 6, we will adjust our pick up times to 10 am-1 pm on Mondays and Thursdays** at our seven locations:

- Milford School main entrance
- Milford Library parking lot
- Syracuse School main entrance
- Syracuse Community Center parking lot
- Bowen Center in Enchanted Hills parking lot
- North Webster School Door 3
- North Webster Community Center parking lot

On **Mondays**, 3 breakfasts and 3 lunches can be picked up per child; and on **Thursdays**, 2 breakfasts and 2 lunches can be picked up per child along with Boomerang Backpacks for those students receiving them.

Parents/Guardians are encouraged to bring a bag or box with them if they are picking up meals for more than one child.

## **LEARNING PACKETS FOR STUDENTS WITHOUT INTERNET/CONNECTIVITY**

Students who have no Internet/connectivity who received learning packets during these past three weeks will have new learning packets delivered to their homes on Tuesday, April 14, sometime during the afternoon. If no one is at home, the learning packets will be left in the front door. If students have not been able to take pictures of completed assignments and email them to their teachers (preferred for safety reasons and can be done using wifi spots mentioned under the Technology Support and Wifi Access section) or returned the packets when picking up meals, students should leave their completed assignments in the learning packet envelope and place them in their front door to be picked up on Tuesday, April 14.

## **TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT AND WIFI ACCESS**

**Beginning March 30th, the Tech Office will be open on Tuesdays and Fridays only, for device repair, exchange, or pickup.** You can contact me via email: [dvanlue@wawasee.k12.in.us](mailto:dvanlue@wawasee.k12.in.us) to let me know when you are coming. Please include your student's name, building, and grade level. I will be available on those days from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. If your student's repaired device is returned to us, we will contact you to come and pick it up.

Since we are unable to process repairs as we normally would during this time, please make sure your students are taking extra care with their devices to keep them in good working order. Our teachers are working very hard to provide great remote learning opportunities for your students.

We now have access to outdoor wireless Internet in all of our communities. If you do not have home access, you can go to one of the 4 locations and connect to the Internet to upload or download eLearning. The link below shows the location at each site where you can connect:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1g0iOMWNIHP6vBq925RR9loNAW5TJlDmk?usp=sharing>

We also still have a limited number of T-Mobile hotspots available for those of you that do not have access at home. T-Mobile does not have the best coverage in our area, but they do work in some areas. If you would like to try one, you need to contact me via email and make arrangements to pick one up on a Tuesday or Friday.

## **STUDENT HEALTH**

We hope that you and your students are staying healthy and active during your time at home. Try to take time each day to be active and to take care of yourselves. Spend time outside to get fresh air and exercise. The [CDC](https://www.cdc.gov) and the [World Health Organization](https://www.who.int) have several resources to help parents care for their families during this time. Your school nurses are still available for you to contact with any questions or concerns that you might have during this time. Do not hesitate to contact them by email. If you find that you need to pick up your child's medication that was left at school, please make arrangements with your nurse for a time to pick the medication up.

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## **CLOSING.**

We cannot thank you enough for how you and your students have adapted to this change. If you have any

questions, please do not hesitate to reach out. Contact information for district administration and building administration is listed below. Please stay safe and healthy!

Sincerely,

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