



Hillside Jr/Sr High School
"A Caring Commitment to Learning"



May 22, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students of Hillside:

Let me begin by saying how much we are missing seeing and working with our students each and every day. It truly makes my day to see a student or parent when I make my weekly trip to the grocery store and I know that the other teachers and staff of Hillside share with me in feeling this way.

We recognize that this has been a difficult time for many of our students and their families - virtual or online schooling is new, is challenging and at times it is very frustrating. But, it is very important that all of our students continue to participate in the google meets held by teachers, log in to their google classrooms and keep submitting work. While we are not in class, learning is continuing and without the learning for this year, next school year will be far more difficult, if not impossible.

We are hearing from some parents that this is a difficult process to support their children in their learning. We will be offering several google meets for parents next week, Thursday, May 28, 2020 to answer your questions; demonstrate how to sign up for parent access to the Google classroom and Powerschool; and explain our instructional plan including when teachers are available for help.

In order to limit the number of people in each meet so that everyone's questions can be answered please call the school to register for a meet. We will then send you a link to the meet you will attend.

As always, please reach out to your child's teachers or the school administration if you have any questions about your child's education.

Yours truly,

Mrs. D. Wood
Principal