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Dear Parents and Students,

I hope all is well with you and your family. The excitement of the holiday season is creeping into our conversations and daily interactions.

I want to highlight important dates/events/information:

- Students are now in the 4<sup>th</sup> week of the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter. Teachers will prepare grades by 11/12/20 for progress reports, which will be mailed the week of 11/16/20.
- JVPS student will have school on Veterans Day 11/11/20.
- No School – 11/12/20.
- Missing assignments from the all classes where students received an Incomplete (“I”) during the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter must be submitted by 11/16/20.
- Jemez Valley High School utilizes a ½ credit grading system per class per semester. It is very important that student achieve their semester credits or credit recovery will be required due to failing semester grades.
- NM Public Education Department is asking for vigilance on daily attendance by school districts.
- Regular attendance by students is critical, please emphasize the importance to your student of participating in the daily google classrooms, picking up / returning Academic Packets and communicating regularly with their teachers.
- Students need to keep up with daily or weekly assignments given through either google classroom or hard packets.
- JVPS School Board Meeting - 11/17/20 at 5:30 pm. Conversation and input on 3rd Quarter student learning (i.e. remote or hybrid learning).
- Assignment Make-up Date: - 11/23/20 and 11/24/20 will be used by teachers to answer questions and receive completed assignments from students. No new instruction will occur on these days.
- Thanksgiving Break - 11/25/20 to 11/29/20.
- Finals for Middle and High School student (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade) - 12/14/20 to 12/17/20. Teachers will provide the testing date and time for each class.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter deadline for unfinished work - 12/21/20 to 12/22/20 are makeup dates for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter ONLY.
- Winter Break - 12/23/20 to 01/06/21.

Thank you,

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