

Greetings Chappelow Families,

I hope that you have been able to stay safe, connect with family and friends, and enjoy some quiet time over break. I am proud of our Chappelow community and know that we will continue to work together, upholding our values of **Personal Responsibility, Respect, Integrity, Determination, Empathy (PRIDE)**. As we transition into remote learning next week, and make plans to connect and continue learning and for our students through at least April 17th, I thank you for your patience and understanding as we embark on a new system together. I will continue to email information as things develop throughout this time.

Our district has information on their website regarding the Covid-19 virus. Please click here: <https://www.greeleyschools.org/>. There you can find information on closings, previous communications, food services and distribution, free WiFi access through Comcast, FAQ's, etc. They will also be sending out information to you as they receive as well through our school email system, the Chappelow Facebook and Twitter page. Those pages can be accessed through the following links:

Facebook

www.facebook.com/ChappelowAMS/

Twitter

<https://twitter.com/ChappelowAMS>

Teachers will be reaching out to you and your child this week. Given the circumstances, it may take several days for teachers to reach each individual family. We will be asking you for some basic information to assist our planning: support needed, preferred communication and other available resources. For your child it is simply an opportunity to reconnect with their teacher after the break.

Finally, we are looking at creating some additional opportunities to keep connected as a school community.

- During the week of March 23rd-March 27th, we will be doing a “virtual spirit week” using our school Facebook page. You can post to our page by using the **#chappelowspirit**. The themes for the week are: Monday-Chappelow Pride Day, Tuesday-Superhero Day-Honoring our Essential Workers serving our communities, Wednesday-Crazy Hair Day, Thursday-Sport Jersey Day, Friday- Pajama Day
- We will be creating a Chappelow Youtube Channel where we can share video messages, story time reading for K-2 students, and other teacher created media, so we can stay connected as a team.

We understand this is a challenging time for all of us, but we will work together as a family to support and learn together. We thank you for your patience, flexibility, and grace as we navigate this situation together. We appreciate you. Please contact me by email, if I can provide any additional support. I can be reached at ckieffe@greeleyschools.org

Live inspired,

Christopher Kieffer