



Wellington High School

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Dear Parents/Guardians/Students:

We hope this letter finds you safe and healthy during this unprecedented time. We understand that this is unfamiliar territory for everyone and definitely unusual circumstances that we are experiencing. We realize the impact that this has had on our community, both emotionally and academically. We as a staff will continue to keep the best interest of you and your student in mind during this time. We want to thank everyone for being so patient and understanding as we go through this together and adjust as we need to.

We wanted to clarify a few items in regard to the High School specifically. While screen time and academics have been minimized during this time, credits and expectations of completing work are still required. If a student does not work and/or attend online classes and workshops regularly without contacting teachers they could potentially fail classes. We know there are some students with extenuating circumstances and these will be taken into consideration, but please contact teachers or administration. Not only do we have eligibility requirements from KSHSAA for sports and activities, but we have credits that students must receive in order to progress, scholarships that are given through consideration of GPA's, and overall state guidelines for colleges in order to be accepted.

Please have students contact teachers if they are having difficulties and they can surely schedule 1:1 tutoring sessions online. There are many students and teachers taking advantage of this and it helps tremendously. While our main focus is safety as well as the physical and emotional wellbeing of our students, staff, and community we still must comply with requirements. We are all here to help you through this difficult time and we believe if we work together we will push through this and come out the other side because we are CRUSADERS UNITED!

Sincerely,

John Buckendorff and Stephanie Smith

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Principal

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