

Hello Pirate Parents!

As we begin our second week of the 2020-2021 school year, we would like to take a moment to thank our entire school community for their support, patience, and willingness to work side by side with our amazing teachers to make our first week of school a successful one.

With that said, as with any start of the school year, there were bumps and challenges along the way. Please know that we will continually seek feedback from our families, students, and staff and as always look to adapt and adjust in the best interest of our students.

We ask that all of our families, especially those families of our youngest students (K-2), remain patient as our teachers roll out our virtual instructional model. As instruction moves forward, you will notice less screen time for your child, fewer, but longer breaks, and much of the live whole group instruction taking place during the first half of the day while teachers engage students in the afternoon with more self-directed learning opportunities and individualized instruction.

Again, we thank you for your continued support as we work together during these unprecedented times. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to us.

You may also refer to the attached Virtual Learning Parent Handbook (previously sent out):

https://www.trschools.com/community/docs/2020/08/TRRS-K_12-Virtual-Learning--Parent_Guardian-Handbook.pdf

North Dover Elementary School's Virtual Back to School Night is Monday, September 21, 2020, from 5pm-8pm. The schedule will be sent via email this week.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Ms. Colleen McGrath, Principal

Mrs. Dina O'Donnell, Supervisor of Instruction