

Kenwood School Newsletter

Principally Speaking

September 2, 2020

Dear Parents,

As we are now mid-way through our 2nd full week of the new school year, I would like to share with you how impressed I continue to be with the engagement of our students in their "zoom" sessions. I have been able to join with nearly every grade level to check in with the kids and to acknowledge and thank them for the work that they are putting in on a daily basis. I will be visiting the remaining grade levels tomorrow and Friday, as time permits.

I appreciate how much all of you have to balance. Your encouragement and consistency has been so important in helping your child(ren) to get the most out of our "distance" learning format. I hope to be offering additional links in the near future to bring our weekly assemblies to life for all of our students.

Our teaching specialists (Art, Music, Library) will be beginning within the next 7-10 school days. The state has waived the requirement for Physical Education minutes during the pandemic, but teachers will continue to offer links that students may utilize to keep active. Mr. Vogensen, our talented PE specialist, will again be offering Physical Education classes to our upper grade classes.

And finally, in case your children were missing this important aspect of their educational experience, here's a couple of jokes in an attempt to keep us all smiling.

1. Where do cars get the most flat tires?

(Where there's a fork in the road,)

2. Where does a fish keep his/her money?

(In riverbanks)

Please enjoy the first week of September!

My Best,

Bob