



# Driftwood School

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Dear Parents/Guardians of Driftwood Students:

Just an update on how we will move forward this week and after the holiday break.

Curry County has enough positive COVID cases to be in the red metric this week. Based on state guidance, even with these numbers, we are able to finish out this week with all of our students in school through Thursday.

Every student will be sent home with their Chromebook Thursday just in case we cannot return to in – person learning after break. Students are more than welcome to use their Chromebook over break for any educational purpose, such as working on schoolwork or playing educational games like i – Ready, Cool Math Games, and typing.com.

**The first day of learning for grades K – 6 after the holiday break will be Tuesday, January 5<sup>th</sup>.** We will be using Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>, for staff preparation. Whatever the situation may be for starting school, we will notify families late afternoon on January 4<sup>th</sup> if we will return in – person or have to do CDL online learning on January 5<sup>th</sup>. If we cannot return in – person, teachers will send out the Google Meets links to student emails on January 4<sup>th</sup> to resume learning on January 5<sup>th</sup>. The time we will be online will be dependent on data that we receive the following weeks.

Grab and go meals for students will be available on Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>, at Driftwood from 12 – 12:30pm and at Pacific from 11am – 12:45pm

Driftwood's office will be closed starting at noon on Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, and will reopen at 7:45am on Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>. Please be checking the reader board in front of Driftwood, our Facebook page, and the website for any updated information. We will also use Remind for an updated information.

Thank you all for your patience and grace as we move through this school year. Our kids' success in school is determined by how we as a community respond to all situations in these times. I am proud to be a part of a community that supports our staff and students the way that you all have these past months. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Have an amazing holiday season!!

Respectfully,



Ms. Nieraeth