

Dear Parents,

We have decided to stop the hybrid option for learning for the rest of the semester because of an increased number of positive cases with family members of our students, staff and substitute teachers. We are thankful that we have not had any known exposures to anyone with COVID during this first semester. However, we do know that the number of asymptomatic infections are increasing . Our hope is that our staff and students will be able to end the semester in good health.

We also know that many students have made great progress because they were on campus to use reliable internet or have academic support. We will continue to offer these services to students. Buses will still run and the Food Service will continue to provide meals by serving in the schools and at the curb. Please note that our food service is reimbursed by the federal food program based on the number of meals served. If you live close to Rehoboth, we hope that you come M, T, Th and F between 11:30-1:00 to get food for your family members between ages 1-18. You may pick up meals for other families also. We encourage you to use this program. Those of you who live further away from campus may get free meals at your local schools.

if you find that you are in need of an additional computer for your family as more family members are simultaneously working online , please email our Director of Technology, Mr. Sean Kass at [skass@rcsnm.org](mailto:skass@rcsnm.org)..

We also now have some free hotspots through Verizon which may be available at the beginning of December. These would be available for use through June, 2021. If you need a Verizon hotspot, please email Mr. Kass at [skass@rcsnm.org](mailto:skass@rcsnm.org) and he will let you know when they come in.

Please note that the Yearbook Photo Session scheduled for Monday, November 16 has been postponed. We will communicate further details.

Parents and students, thank you for your amazing flexibility. We know this is extremely challenging for everyone. Remember to communicate with teachers, administration, the business office....if you have any questions, concerns or joys to share.

Mr. Bob Ippel

Executive Director