



Corrales Interntional School

Preparing Tomorrow's Global Leaders

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CIS Parents and Students,

I hope everyone is healthy and doing well. Starting Monday morning, April 6th Corrales International will start continuous learning with our students. This program is mandatory for our students. We have worked hard to contact students we had not heard from and to get technology into the hands of students who needed it. The teachers have been preparing lessons and working with different ways to present material. Parents and students, you will be getting a lot of communication from CIS in the coming weeks and our goal is to support our students to the best of our ability. Please be patient with us, this is an evolving process, as we work to figure out what works best with each of our students.

There will not be the volume of work that students might receive in a normal year but our goal is to keep students engaged and connected to their school community. I have attached some of the guidance that has been shared with schools by the NMPED.

Statewide testing has been cancelled for this year. Grades will not be as important as participation and staying engaged. Students will not have to make up the already missed instructional days. Our teaching focus will be on critical standards and could include a variety of delivery. In this new time of "distance learning", relationships and connections will play a big role as well as social and emotional wellness. Starting next week teachers will be holding office hours to answer emailed questions and reach out to students.

All students will be supported and educated.

I know that there will be a lot of questions, but as we reach out to you and begin rolling out our instruction I think most of the questions will be answered.

Please stay well,

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