

Good Evening Brown Families,

We have a full week of school this week, and then only 2 days the week of Nov. 23rd, I had a typo in my updates. Please know that Thanksgiving Break is Wednesday, November 25 – 27th. School resumes on Monday, November 30th.

We have had lots of students starting to feel sick, it is that time of year, with the crazy weather changes. If you could continue to self-screen using the attached Covid Screener, we would really appreciate it.

Here are our Brown Updates:

- **Scholastic Book Fair online Nov. 9th – 22nd**
 - **See your child's teacher for more information.**

- **Guest Teachers needed in WCSD and Brown!**
 - **See attached flyer**

- **School Reopening Family Survey (Fall 20-21)**
 - This survey is asking for your feedback on our reopening this fall, you should receive an email and this survey will close on Wednesday, November 25th.
 - Here is the link if you do not receive it.
 - https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FallFamilyReOpen_Final

- **Exclusions:**
 - I want to explain and address the expectations of students who have been excluded for the recommended 14-day incubation period after experiencing symptoms related to COVID-19 or possible exposure to a person who has COVID-19.
 - Students who are excluded from school are still required to participate in school, school work, and learning activities. Parents/guardians and teachers are expected to communicate, collaborate, and work together to figure out what works best for individual students to not fall behind during the period of exclusion. There are several options available for students to ensure that they have access to academic materials during this time. This can take the form of:

- Teachers providing students with work online.
- Teachers providing packets for parents to pick up from the school location.
- Teachers providing makeup work for students who were not able to do work while excluded (they will have the amount of time they were out of school plus 1 day to complete the makeup work).
- Students doing in building learning can zoom into classroom if feeling up to it during the exclusion period and are expected to do all work. (This is contingent upon whether teacher can add this to their schedule.)
- Students in distance learning can continue to participate in distance learning, and will make-up work when sick as they always have, they will have the amount of time they were out of school plus 1 day to complete the makeup work
 - **All work is expected to be completed by the student and returned to the teacher for credit.**
- Students who do not participate during exclusion have an increased risk for experiencing gaps in their education due to missed instruction of grade level material. Students consistently unable to provide work demonstrating academic abilities may be reviewed by the MTSS team for potential interventions or retention.
- Thank you for your continued help and support in ensuring your child's academic success!

PTO:

- **WINTER SPIRIT WEAR** is here and just in time for the drop in temperature! Online ordering is open with the link below until Wednesday, November 18th to ensure delivery before winter break. Plus you have the option for direct shipping to your home for an additional fee, or ship to Darci for free and no-contact porch pick up. Email Darci at mymylv@hotmail.com if you have any questions!
<http://www.customink.com/g/rba0-00cc-5k2s>
- Join us for **TURKEY BINGO** on Monday, November 23rd!!! This is a fun, virtual opportunity to experience our annual Turkey Bingo event from the comfort of your home! We have plenty of spaces left for your family to join, so please sign up today with the link below! Thank you to Mitchell Ross of Keller Williams Group One Inc. for being our corporate sponsor and thank you Brown families for your continued support!
 - Monday, November 23rd, 5:30pm to 7:00pm
 - \$20 per family
 - 5 games will be played and winners will receive \$25 gift cards!
 - Link to sign up: <https://my.cheddarup.com/c/turkey-bingo-53414>

Upcoming Dates/Events:

- **Turkey Bingo, Nov. 23rd**
 - **Zoom 5:30 – 7:00**
 - **See above for details**
- **Thursday Nov. 25th – 27th: Thanksgiving Break!**
 - **No School!**

Hope everyone had a wonderful weekend,
Sincerely,

Principal Bryan