



### The Principal's Desk

Dear Trailblazer Family,

I know we are in uncertain times. Rest assured that we are doing everything we can to stay in touch with our Early College Family. At Early College, we have set up eLearning opportunities for all students. These will be accessed through Google Classroom and D2L. The teachers will have the assignments posted daily, weekly, or for the entire 10 days. It is important for all students to complete these assignments. The assignments will be graded and the grade will be entered into PowerSchool. If the assignment is not completed, a zero (0) and an absence will be entered for the day. Once the assignment has been turned in, the grade and the attendance will be adjusted. Parents may access Google Classroom to see the assignments by requesting an access code from the teacher of the course.

Parents and Students, please know we are here for you. If you are unsure of any assignment or need additional information, please reach out to your teacher, your advisor, administration, or call the school at (843) 349-3131.

#### **Additional Information:**

**Digital Device Pick Up -** Parents/guardians will be allowed to pick up digital devices at HCS Early College High School (Building 400). Parents will be required to sign an <u>Elearning Parent</u>

Permission/Usage Form if picking up a computer device. The reduced technology fee (\$12) may be paid directly to the bookkeeper at the school when the parent picks up the device, or online at My Payments Plus (<a href="http://www.mypaymentsplus.com">http://www.mypaymentsplus.com</a>).

Pick up times for devices or hard-copies of the assignments will be as follows:

## **Upcoming Dates**

March 16th - March 31st - Governor Mandated School Closure

March 18th - eLearning access opens

March 18th - March 31st - eLearning assignments

April 3 - Last day to purchase a yearbook

Jr. /Sr. Prom - POSTPONED for now

ECHS Graduation - Wednesday, June 3 - 3:00 p.m. at HTC - CCU



- Wednesday, March 18, 7:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 19, 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Friday, March 20, 8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Parents/guardians will need to present their driver's license or another form of identification. Otherwise, all HCS buildings will be closed to the public.

**Device Issues -** If a student has an issue with a device during this time, the student may call the Technology Help Desk at (843) 488-6825 for assistance.

Free Meals for Students – please see the information on the next page for information about meals.

Facebook Page at HCS Early College High School Twitter Page at @hcs\_echs

#### **Additional Websites:**

Information for Parents and Frequency Asked Questions
And
https://www.horrycountyschools.net/covid19

As always, if I can be of assistance, please contact me.

Sincerely,

-Kandi Fleming, ECHS Principal (843) 349-3131 or <a href="mailto:kfleming@horrycountyschools.net">kfleming@horrycountyschools.net</a>

# **Free Meals for Students**



HCS will be serving breakfast and lunch Monday-Thursday from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. beginning Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at the following locations:

- Aynor Elementary
- Green Sea Floyds Elementary
- Homewood Elementary
- Loris Elementary
- Myrtle Beach Elementary
- o Myrtle Beach Middle
- North Myrtle Beach Middle
- Palmetto Bays Elementary
- Socastee Elementary
- o <u>Waccamaw Elementary</u>
- Whittemore Park Middle

Lunches include grab and go style meals and students must be present in the vehicle. Meals will be provided for all students 18 years and younger and can be picked up at any of the stated locations. Monday through Wednesday's grab and go bags will include one lunch and one breakfast for the next day. Thursday's grab and go bags will consist of one lunch, and one breakfast and lunch for Friday. Adult meals will not be provided. For more information contact HCS Nutrition Services at 843-488-6925



Yearbook orders have been extended to April 3rd.

**Guidance Google Classroom** 



**ECHS Website** 

<u>Google Classroom Announcement Page</u> (code - jtiwt7), Follow us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u> and <u>Instagram</u>.