

# Schwenksville Remote Learning PVSD Virtual Voyage

Everything is here that you need to get started  
(I hope, and as we learn more we will continue to update. )



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- Contact the principal
  - [bpowers@pvsd.org](mailto:bpowers@pvsd.org)
  - 484-961-7064 (all messages will be forwarded to Dr. Powers.)
- Link to Dr. Russell's communication
  - [Video to families](#)
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# New instruction housed in Google Classrooms

1. All teachers will have a central place for assigned work on their Google Classrooms. Some teachers may use other platforms, such as SeeSaw, for learning, but the link to that will be in the Google Classroom.
2. Google classroom links for families to join were either distributed by the teacher (with support teachers added to help with accommodations and small groups) or listed in the document for special areas found on [this link](#).
3. When students log into their google account they should find the “Launch Pad” where access to all the tools they need is available. Please contact our tech teacher, Mr. Silver ([wsilver@pvsd.org](mailto:wsilver@pvsd.org)) if you your child cannot log in.
4. [Parent’s Guide to Google Classrooms](#) has helpful hints.

# Google Hangout vs. Zoom

1. Staff will be using Google Hangout for all face-to-face (aka synchronous) sessions with students.
2. Google Hangouts is fully compliant with all privacy laws.
3. Zoom **may** be used by teachers to present previously recorded lessons for students or face-to-face meetings with adults.
4. All families have the right to disable the video portion of any face-to-face sessions with school google hangouts or zoom.

## New instruction

1. Teachers will hold office hours in a rotational window to allow families and support personnel to only need to be at one place at a time. The office hours are open for families to access the teachers.
2. For weeks 3 & 4 (March 30-April 7,) students are expected to check in with their teachers once a day in grades 3-5 and to acknowledge the receipt of teacher assigned work in grades K-2 as assigned.
3. New learning expectations and activities will be posted by 9AM on Mondays with additional work assigned as needed throughout the week.
4. New instruction will be adjusted to meet the needs of each classroom depending on where the class last was in prior instruction.
5. Click here for [the link](#) to “office hours” and expectations.

# Attendance and grading

1. All students are expected to check in with their teachers daily either via Google Classroom or by completing activities that are assigned.
2. If your child is sick during this time, please let us know via our email attendance line: [swattendance@pvsd.org](mailto:swattendance@pvsd.org).
3. Parents/students who turn off their own video will be considered present.
4. Teachers will submit a list of students that did not check in or complete work during the week, and the attendance secretary will be making phone calls.
5. Grading will not occur during the 3/30-4/7 time frame while we assess the ability for each family to access the learning.



# THANK YOU!

Stay in touch with your questions.

Keep checking for new updates and changes as we learn how this new journey works best for all.

