

Coyote Call

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2020

REMOTE LEARNING

Every day, I have been wow'ed with the incredible work by our staff, students, and families. We thank you for your patience as we all learn new platforms and ways to instruct. Thank you also for your support for your child(ren) and our staff. It feels much better when we know we are all in it together.

At this point, we have been able to connect with 694 of our 702 students!!! If you haven't heard from your child's teacher, we likely have incorrect contact information for you. PLEASE either call the school and leave a message, or email the teacher. We need to connect!

Please also remember to give your child, and yourself, a break. We have some academic goals to accomplish before the end of the school year, but our collective mental health needs to take priority. Take care of yourselves. Give yourselves permission to relax sometimes.

CLICK THE LINK BELOW TO ACCESS EASY STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO ACCESS GOOGLE CLASSROOMS.



EC_Elementary Parents' Step-By-Step Guide for Logging into Google Classroom from Home.pdf

[Download](#)
74.3 KB

REMEMBER, THERE IS NO SCHOOL TOMORROW OR MONDAY. TUESDAY, APRIL 14TH IS A VIRTUAL C DAY.

Below is the schedule for Tuesday-Friday next week.

Elementary Remote Learning: OPTIONAL "Live" Meeting Days/Times

Here is the ABCDE schedule for the OPTIONAL "Live" meeting days/times. Please remember that teachers are not required to hold live meeting times. However, if they choose to, they will be done according to the schedule below.

	C Day Tuesday, 4/14/20	D Day Wednesday, 4/15/20	E Day Thursday, 4/16/20	A Day Friday, 4/17/20
9:00	9:00 Grade 1	9:00 Kindergarten	9:00 Elementary Staff Meetings	9:00 Grade 1
10:00				
11:00	11:00 Grade 2			11:00 Grade 2
12:00				
1:00				
2:00 2:45	2:00 Grade 3 2:45 Grade 4	2:00 Grade 5		2:00 Grade 3 2:45 Grade 4

MEAL DISTRIBUTION MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS 8:30-9:30 AM AT LAKEWOOD CREEK (INCLUDING MONDAY, APRIL 13TH)



BUILD RELATIONSHIPS

Social Distancing can be hard on relationships.



ANXIETY

Many times, anxiety appears like something else.



FIT ACTIVITY

Fun way to get your exercises in.

GOOGLE HANGOUTS VS. ZOOM MEETINGS

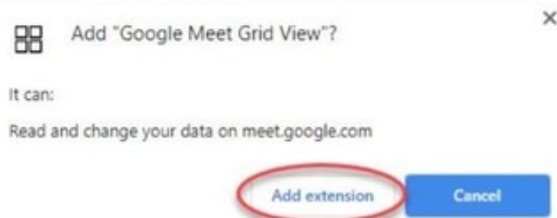
Some have wanted Google Hangouts to "look" more like Zoom Meetings. This extension allows Google Hangouts to show a 'grid' of participants. See the instructions below.



Using the Google Meet Grid View Extension for Google Chrome

Note: You must use the Chrome Browser. This tool does not work on tablets or mobile devices. Steps 1-3 only have to be done once.

1. Click on or type in bit.ly/gmgridview in Chrome
2. Click on the "Add to Chrome" button.
3. Click on the "Add Extension" button.



4. You will now see the Google Meet Grid View extension to the right of your Chrome url bar.



5. In a Google Meet you will now see a grid button in the upper right hand corner that toggles to turn it on or off as you click it.



When you turn it on you will see all participants in a grid view.

Note: The host can mute people in grid view.



PLAN AHEAD!

No students in schools until further notice. All dates listed are subject to change.

May 4-8: Teacher Appreciation Week

Thursday, May 7: HSO Meeting, 7:00

Saturday, May 9: Lakewood Creek Cougars Game

Monday, May 11: Alma Mater Monday - wear college/career/tech/military clothes

Friday, May 15: Alumni Walk, 2:00

Thursday, May 21: Tentative Last Day of School

Monday, August 17: Preview Night, 5:30-7:00

Wednesday, August 19: First Day of School!

Thursday, September 3: Curriculum Night 6:00-7:30

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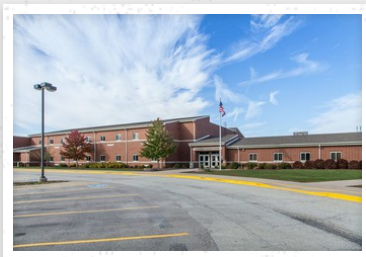
<https://facebook.com/lakewoodcreek308>

Give us a positive review while you're there!

HSO MEMBERSHIP TOOLKIT:

Did you sign up for the Membership Toolkit yet? Our amazing HSO will use Membership Toolkit this year for room parties, spirit wear sales, sign ups, volunteers, school directory, news, updates, and much more. Be sure to create your account at

<https://lakewoodcreekhso.membershiptoolkit.com/>



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Lakewood Creek Elementary School, home of the Coyotes, is located in Montgomery, Illinois. It is part of Oswego School District 308. We proudly serve around 700 students.

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