Distance Learning for our Early Learners

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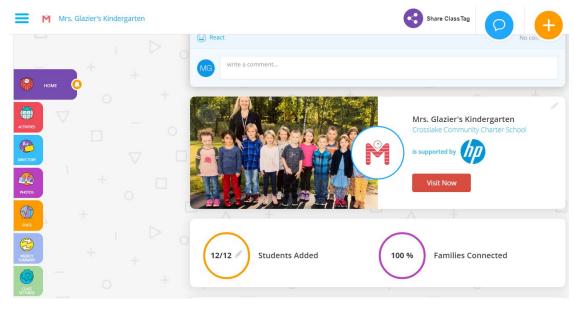
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Pre-K

- Main Focus: to maintain relationships with students and families and to provide resources for families to continue student learning
- ClassTag www.classtag.com

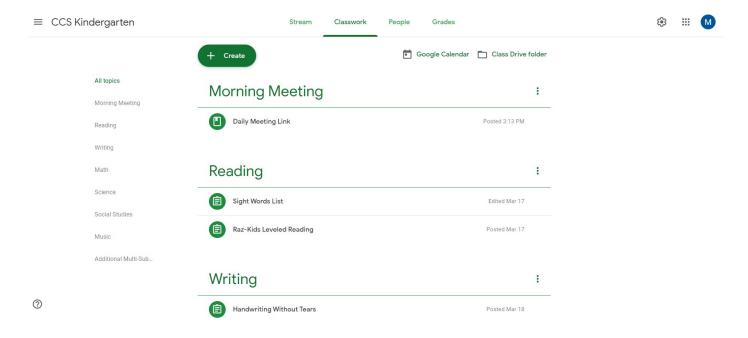


Kindergarten

- Continuing to use ClassTag for communication.
- Daily email with to do list sent each morning to parents (because of reading level)
- Google Classroom will have links to all resources and list assignments
- Keeping it as simple as possible so we don't overwhelm parents
- Hosting a live morning meeting daily via Google Meet
- Read Alouds live and recorded
- Office hours each day to meet with families one on one via phone, email, or video conference

K Google Classroom View

 Google Classroom will be new for students. Trying to keep very simple for students and parents. One classroom with topics for each subjects

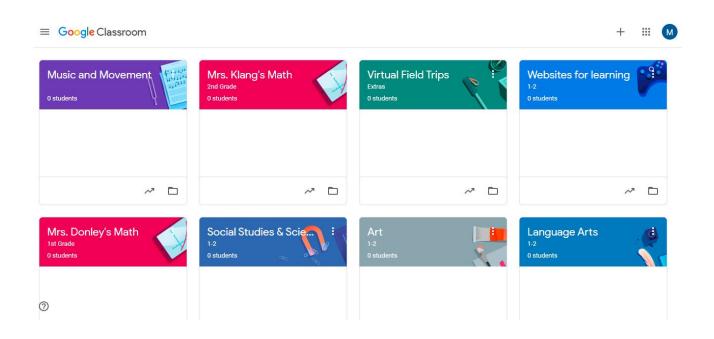


Grades 1 and 2

- Using a combination of Google Classroom, Odysseyware (purchased curriculum - not free), and other resources to deliver course content.
- Daily email checklist with instructions for resources.
- Posting videos daily (one teacher reading a chapter from a book, the other will read picture books)
- Office hours each day for time to reach out to families, includes time slots for families to sign up to communicate

Grades 1/2 Google Classroom View

Includes multiple classes - one for each subject.



Resource List

- IXL (a paid online learning system with multi-subject content)
- Raz-Kids (a paid online leveled reading resource)
- Vooks animated stories (free for teachers and 30 days free for parents)
- ABC Mouse (free for teachers and you can share activation codes for students to use at home)
- ABCya (free)
- Starfall (free)
- Museums and zoo websites for virtual tours
- Fluency and Fitness (free trial)
- BrainPopJr. (free now)
- List of free educational apps currently available: <u>link</u>

Schedules

 Provide sample schedules for parents to use with students that use in a format similar to our regular school day to help students/parents transition

Make a schedule for yourself and include break times!

Collaborate with other teachers your students have when making these

Sample Schedule for Google

- The number one tip I have for families is to build a routine
- Create a visual schedule of daily work
- If possible, send home materials to make a visual schedule at home
- Don't be afraid to keep it simple! Writing out your daily routine on a whiteboard or peice of paper would suffice!
- Long Break Work Ideas
- Covid-19 Planning at Home

Thursday, 3/19/20: Learning Checklist: Intermediate RISE

Services: Speech, Adapted Physical Education, PT (for students with direct services) - Select each service provider link and complete as recommended Learning Checklist Directions:

Jobeled Engage

- . Complete Learning Activities 1-5; Integrate Learning Activities 6-9 throughout the day
- · Take/send a picture of your student engaging in learning!



(Cosmic Yoga & Move to Learn)

Our Sample Student Schedule

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Sample student schedule
8:30-9:30 Morning routine
             *breakfast, teeth brushing, making bed, etc.
9:30-10:00 Live Morning Meeting with Ms. Steffen & Mrs. Glazier
             *calendar time
             *morning message
             *songs
              *sharina
10:00-11:30 School work time
             *reading, language arts, writing
             *math
             *to do list
             *brain breaks
11:30-1:00 Lunch/freechoice
             *outside time.
              *you tube music videos
1:00-1:30 Read aloud stories
              *vooks
              *comprehension notebook time
1:30-2:30 Project time
             *creating (art, stem)
             *social studies
              *science
             *scholastic newspaper
             *virtual videos
2:30-3:00 Snack time
      *find fun new snack recipes to make together:)
3:00-4:00 Freechoice
      *legos, blocks
      *dress up
      *puzzles (challenge as a family to do 100 or more piece puzzles)
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4:00-5:00 life skills/chores
5:00 Evening routine
Ideas...
                                                  Evening routines:
Morning routines:
                                                         *dinner
       *breakfast
                                                         *bath
       *make hed
       *teeth brushing
                                                         *teeth brushing
                                                         *bedtime reading
       *pet care
       *dress
Chores & life skills:
       *sweep/vacuum
       *load/unload dishwasher
       *fold clothes
       *put away toys
       *dust (an old sock on the hand works great for little ones & makes it fun:)
Physical activities:
       *Look for signs of spring
       *collect nature
       *walk the dog; go for a walk with family
       *play ball
       *play tag, hide-n-seek, duck, duck, gray duck, tag, red/green light with family
*Routine is important at this time of uncertainty. Children can feel less stress and less anxiety
with some routine in their day that has now become so turned upside down. Creating a "new normal"
routine that is similar to their day at school will be helpful in making a smoother transition at this
 time of the unknown. We can do this together!! Ms. Steffen & Mrs. Glazier
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Our Teacher Schedule

Still a work in progress

**Teacher Daily Schedule 8:00 - Send daily email to student emails with a daily to do list. Parents/Students will need to respond with a picture of the students doing one of the activities for the day. 8:30 - Morning walk, coffee, etc... 9:30 - Live Morning meeting (record for those that can't be on live) -chit chat morning message by Deanna Jump(TPT) -calendar -share by each present student -song(s) -what to do today 10:00 - 12:00 - Office hours -- prep time - available to parents/students by phone, email, chat for questions 12:00 - 1:00 - Lunch 1:00 - Live Read Aloud Time (recorded for those that can not be present) 1:30 - 3:30 - Office Hours - prep time - available to parents/students by phone, email, chat for questions

Any Questions?