

The Bulldog Blast

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Meade Middle School

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May Dates

1-31-State Mandated School Closure

Message from the Principal...

Good day Parents and Guardians! I hope all our mothers, stepmothers, mothers to be, foster mothers, surrogate mothers, and mother figures had a wonderful Mother's Day.

On May 6 the AACPS school board voted to extend eLearning until June 18th as our official last day of school. In addition to the Board's May 6 action, Superintendent George Arlotto has made the following changes to the regulation to apply to middle school students:

- Middle school students in yearlong credit courses who engage in eLearning and earn a "satisfactory" designation in the fourth marking period would receive a final grade one letter grade higher than the average of their first three marking periods. A student who earns a "no grade" in the fourth marking period would receive the average of the first three marking periods as their final grade but would have additional time to turn in work to achieve a "satisfactory" mark.
- Middle school students in yearlong non-credit courses who engage in eLearning and earn a "satisfactory" designation in the fourth marking period would receive a final grade one letter grade higher than the average of their first three marking periods. A student who earns a "no grade" in the fourth marking period would receive the average of the first three marking periods as their final grade but would have additional time to turn in work to achieve a "satisfactory" mark.
- Middle school students in one-semester non-credit courses who engage in eLearning and earn a "satisfactory" designation in the fourth marking period would receive a final semester grade one letter grade higher than their third marking period grade. A student who earns a "no grade" in the fourth marking period would receive the third marking period grade as the semester grade but would have additional time to turn in work to achieve a "satisfactory" mark.

Meade Middle yearbooks are now available for purchase at \$25 apiece. All ordering is done online. The yearbooks will be shipped to Meade Middle. Once we receive the yearbooks, we will set up pick up options for families. Please follow this link for ordering:

<https://link.entourageyearbooks.com/my/meademiddleschool2020>

During this time things are anything but normal. As you focus on your families and staying healthy and safe remember we will overcome! #WeAreMEADE "Our destiny is not written for us, but by us", Barack Obama.

As always, #WeAreBetterTogether,

Karla Steinbach,
Principal

E-Learning Frequently Asked Questions:

<https://www.aacps.org/elearningfaq>

Meal Locations:

<https://www.aacps.org/mealpick>

Information about Coronavirus (COVID-19):

<https://www.aacps.org/coronavirus>

Meade Middle School Google Classroom Information:

https://www.aacps.org/cms/lib/MD02215556/Centricity/Domain/1376/MMS_GOOGLE%20Classrooms_4-3-20.pdf

AACPS Family Information Line
[410-222-5001](tel:410-222-5001)

Free Internet Options:

<https://www.aacps.org/Page/8590>

We Miss Our Students Video:
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