

Hello Kindergarten Families,

We hope that everyone is staying safe and healthy! We know that these are difficult times and we wish that we could all be together; however, until the time comes that we can safely return to school, we will be engaging in distance learning. The district is providing each student with a packet that contains two weeks worth of assignments. These packets can be picked up at Highlands, or can be printed from the district website (lmsvschools.org).

As a kindergarten team, we have designated two days a week, Tuesday and Thursday at 9:30am, to have class meetings on Zoom. Each individual teacher will be sending out invitations for class meetings via email. During these meetings, we will be checking in with students to see how they are doing, answer any questions about the learning packets, as well as offer any assistance students might need.

Our kindergarten team would also like to offer some supplemental resources for learning during this time. Students are still able to access Imagine Learning and Lexia from home. These are great programs to help students with literacy and allow teachers to check on student progress. In addition, we will be adding activities to Think Central. This is a website that students can login to and access assigned math activities. Teachers will be able to check on student progress and offer any assistance needed. Several other excellent resources we are offering access to are Seesaw, ABC Mouse, and Reading IQ. Kahn Academy, Mystery Science, and Go Noodle are wonderful as well.

We realize that there is an overwhelming amount of information at this time. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or concerns. We are doing our best to navigate this new way of learning, but look forward to continuing to connect with and supporting our students.

At the bottom of this letter we are providing the necessary logins for the programs mentioned in this letter. We miss everyone greatly! Please continue to stay healthy and safe!

With love,

Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Pennoyer, and Mrs. Sever

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Login Information

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***Please note that these resources are being offered to supplement the district's distance learning packet. You make the decisions that are right for your family to ensure balance and well-being. Providing instructional opportunities and supplemental materials is our way of giving you and your child support when the time is appropriate. As a parent, you can prioritize the "MUST do's" and "MAY do's." Simply working on the packet provided by the district, at your pace, may be enough right now. It is your decision.

Imagine Learning

(Once on the Imagine Learning website, go to “Imagine Language and Learning”)

Username: Contact Teacher

Password: read123

Site Code: 0620250

Lexia

(Once on the Lexia website, go to “sign in,” then click on “Core 5”)

Username: Contact Teacher

Password: read123

Teacher’s email (required for first login) mendi.bates@lmsvsd.net

Think Central

Username: Contact Teacher

Password: read123

Seesaw

Please contact teacher for individual student login information

ABC Mouse (www.ABCmouse.com/redeem)

School Code: SCHOOL1446

Reading IQ (www.ReadingIQ.com/redeem)

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Kahn Academy

(No login required)

Mystery Science (mysteryscience.com)

(Create your own free account)

Go Noodle

(Music, movement and dance)

(Create your own free account)