

**April 20, 2020**

**Hello Everyone,**

**Let me begin by saying how proud I am of how everyone has handled this crisis. It has been a challenge that everyone has accepted and made a way for learning to continue. I truly appreciate your efforts.**

**I want to share the plans for Chattooga County Schools as we continue to deal with the current crisis and not being able to return to school for instruction. Below is a summary of our academic plans and the return of items to the school.**

### **Academic Plan**

**Chattooga County Schools will operate on a “bonus point” grading system for the dates of March 16<sup>th</sup>-May 8<sup>th</sup>. For every 10% of completed assignments, students will receive one point to their final average. (For example: A student completing 50% will receive 5 bonus points, a student completing 10% will receive 1 bonus point, etc.)**

**No student grade will be negatively impacted for this grading period.**

**Beginning the week of May 11<sup>th</sup>, there will not be any new graded assignments for students. From May 11<sup>th</sup>-May 29<sup>th</sup> students who are failing will have the opportunity to make up missed work and improve their averages. For students who have completed all the previous assignments, they can choose to continue their learning; as teachers will continue to post assignments and make paper packets available through May 25<sup>th</sup>. These assignments are not required.**

### **Materials Collection**

**Chattooga County Schools will begin collecting completed assignments Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> and every Tuesday through May 12<sup>th</sup> (April 21<sup>st</sup>, April 28<sup>th</sup>, May 5<sup>th</sup>, and May 12<sup>th</sup>). At this time, students may also return library books or additional items that may belong to the school.**

**Chromebook collection schedule will be released later.**

**For additional information, please contact your school principal.**

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**Superintendent**

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