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To: Paul Wick
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Re: Remote Learning Clarification

As we are moving forward with remote learning during this world pandemic teaching and learning will look different. Schools have started to plan what this will look like and how to best to support students. Parents/Guardians would have received letters from the Superintendent and/or from the Principal of your child's school that have stated the following:

- 1) Learning will be remotely; students are not be on the school site.
- 2) There will be no in-person contact between NVSD staff and students/parents/guardians.
- 3) School teams will have made contact with students/parents/guardians to provide clarity of what learning will look like. First priority is the well-being of students/parents/guardians, along with NVSD staff.
- 4) Food Access program has been implemented to provide additional support to families in need. **The Principal is the lead for this initiative at the school and is the main contact.**
- 5) Technology support is still a work in progress. The IT Department of NVSD is still considering what the loaning of IPADs/Laptops to families would look like. **The Principal is the lead for this initiative at the school and is the main contact.** (Just a reminder that non-tech learning is available through the classroom teacher and does not require an IPAD/Laptop).

In schools across the North Vancouver School District, the main contacts for teaching and learning are the classroom teacher and the school administrators at each school; thus students/parents/guardians should be directing questions to these individuals.



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