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July 30, 2021

Dear Red Rock Day School Family,

Your child's safety and the safety of our school staff is our foremost priority. I'm writing to update you on our school water supply. Red Rock Day School is still experiencing an issue with our campus water supply system. The wells are currently pumping a low volume of water, and the water tanks are not recovering as quickly we need them too. Therefore, the school is (and will remain) on limited water usage until the problem can be adequately addressed.

The steps taken to address the concern: Shiprock Agency Facility Management, NTUA, Iinaba Inc. and RRDS are working together. There are two plans (Emergency Plan and Long Term Plan). All parties understand that water is required to ensure the daily functioning of the school (drinking, cooking, cleaning, restrooms, etc.).

While the school works through the process of getting plans approved and funding allocated, we must delay transitioning to Phase II (Hybrid) Model of Instruction – student here part of the day Monday to Friday) but please be assured that we are working to get the concerns addressed as quickly as possible. This means we will begin the school year with remote instruction (**Starting August 2, 2021**) like we did last year (hopefully, not for long). As with our previous distance learning phase, five breakfasts, five lunches, and student Learning Support Kits will be delivered on Monday of each week. Teachers will follow a WebEx schedule (virtual meeting time) to meet with your child.

RRDS thanks you for your patience and understanding. We will keep you informed as the work continues. We understand that you want and deserve what is best for your family; therefore, we want to be transparent in the process. Please know that RRDS is working with Facility Management, Iinaba Inc. and NTUA to address this matter as quickly as possible. RRDS wants all of our students and staff to learn in a safe and comfortable learning environment.

Thank you,

Dr. Jeannie Kee-Parsons, Principal RRDS

cc: Dr. W. Coulter, EPA & S. Ahasteen, Facility Supervisor

Mission Statement: We will provide a safe student centered learning community. We will produce continuous learners through a rigorous academic curriculum intergraded with Dine' Cultural Standards

Vision Statement: We are preparing & producing future leaders

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Upcoming Event:

August 02: First Day of School

Aug. 6, 13, 20, 27; Early Release@
1pm

August 19: Open House 4pm-6pm



Attendance: During Phase I: School Attendance is the Key to academic success. Student are expected to call/text/ e-mail their classroom teacher for daily attendance to be counted. If you can't get ahold of teacher, please call the school so, your attendance is documented. Absences may impact student performance, and final grades.

The Code of Federal Regulations in 25 CFR 36.31 mandates: A student who has not participated in a minimum of 80 instructional Days per semester without a written excused absence shall **not** be promoted."

*Students will be automatically dropped when they have missed 10 consecutive Days.

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Message from the Front Office:

Red Rock Day School would like to welcome back the Returning and New Students to the 2021-2022 School Year.

Reminders:

Learning Support Kits will be delivered on Mondays, **Unless there is a Holiday** on the Monday. Then the Delivery will be on the following day.

Please do call to the Front Office if you have any questions.

Thank you,
Consuela Benally, Office Clerk

Mission Statement: How are students engaged and assessed to achieve significant growth or Proficiency

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Kindergarten & 1st Grade **WELCOME!**

I am Mrs. Benally, your teacher. Some of you may remember me, and to some of you, I am a new person in your life.

A little about me...

I am a person, just like you. I live in a house near Kirtland. So that means I have to drive about an hour to and from the school to teach you. I like to eat different kinds of food. My favorites are combination foods, like Navajo tacos, pizza, and enchiladas. I enjoy being active and outdoors. I go hiking, biking, running, walking, and gardening with my dog and husband.

I have taught at Red Rock Day School for 15+ years. I used to teach PE and health but then moved into first grade. I was recently asked to also teach Kindergarten. So now I am a K-1 teacher. I enjoy teaching our young children in this area.

A Little about our class...

We will start the year in remote learning until a very important building problem is solved. Please make sure to log in to the Webex meetings this week as I will go over the programs we will be using and how work will be assigned. Look over all material. We do have a class webpage that I use to provide resources for your child's learning. Make sure you can access you and your child's email as this is how I can safely and quickly send information your way and how you will get into our class webpage.

Webex Meetings

These will be scheduled with breaks in between so your little minds can refresh often.

I have tried to make the id and passwords the same for your convenience. However, you will need to write down the meeting times.

If you ever need help...

Contact me. I am busy but not too busy to help you. I do have online classes so text messages during the day will work and then phone calls in the late afternoon work for me. Check the Webex meeting schedule to see when I have classes in session.

Your child's success during this school year is best achieved through our partnership. Communicate with me and let me know what is going on. I will do my best to help.

Attendance

Please text or call me with your child's check in by 8:30 to be counted as a full day presence.

Anything between 8:30 am and 10:00 am will counted as tardy. Anything after 10:00 am will be counted as absent.

Also, please be sure to pick up your learning packets on Mondays. If not, your child is counted absent until the packet is picked up.

Contact Info

Email: Francine.Benally@bie.edu

Phone: (480) 238-3132

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July 28, 2021

Dear RRDS 2nd Grade Students and Parents,

Greetings/Ya'at'eeh,

First of all, congratulations and welcome back to the school year 2021-2022. I hope your child's summer break was adventurous and joyful. Thank you for choosing Red Rock Day School for your child's 2nd grade academic learning. With the new school year upon us, you will be amazed with how much your child will grow academically. 2nd grade Common Core Standards and Smart Goals will guide the learning path. With your daily support, you will amazingly uplift your child's academic learning, mentally, emotionally, physically, and psychologically. At this time, we will begin with distant learning and switch to hybrid soon.

Always remember that I am available to assist your child or answer any questions you may have regarding your child's learning. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (480)235-6459. If I miss your call, I may be on the phone with another parent. I will return your phone call as soon as possible. Please continue to take care of yourselves and family. Thank you for your support.

Ms. Tso-Young,

2nd Grade Teacher

Email: Melanie.tsoyoung@bie.edu

Phone: 480-235-6459

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Welcome to Third Grade!

Red Rock Day School 2021 - 2022

One Step at a Time!

Learning comes from listening, observing, and sharing with others.
Success comes from understanding our mistakes as moments moving forward.

Accomplishments come from giving our best effort every day.

This will be my 8th year modeling and guiding the educational needs of our students at Red Rock Day School. It is my pleasure to make learning interesting through inquiry and discussion. If we apply our knowledge and understand our focus, then together we will strive forward to a better tomorrow. I greatly appreciate the support of our students' parents' and grandparents' involvement.

Reminders!

Each Monday, please view the information inside the student folder before handing it over to you child. There may be important documents or communications for the parents.

Our Cisco Webex online class instruction will hopefully begin the week of August 9th after everyone has their laptop. We will meet Monday through Thursday. Student attendance is expected for modeling, discussing, and practicing the skills.

Reading Focus in August

I can recount (retell) a story and explain the lesson learned by the character.

Math Focus in August

I can fluently add and subtract within 1000 using different strategies and place value.

Our Third Grade Expectations will provide more information.

Hours of contact: 7:30am – 11:30am Noon – 3:30pm 5:00pm – 7:00

I may be reached by: phone: (480) 236-1966

email: jeanne.kuhlman@bie.edu

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Welcome to 4th Grade!

Red Rock Day School 2021-2022



I would like to welcome you and your child to a new school year at Red Rock Day School. I am glad to have your child in 4th grade this school year. I am excited to begin this year by getting to know your child. In addition, I am looking forward to teaching your child and working with you to make the most of your child's education.

Listed below are a few skills you can work on with your child at home:

- Read independently (books, magazines, chapter books, etc.) and record reading on a reading log.
- Ask your child questions about the book or story he or she reads. (Example questions: What was the story mostly about? Who were the characters? Where did the story take place? How did the story end? etc.)
- Practice and know addition and subtraction math facts (Example: $8+3=11$, $12-4=8$, etc.)

Reminders:

- At the beginning of each week, review the student folder packet before giving it to your child to work on. There may be important documents or communication for you as a parent.
- Cisco Webex online class meetings will hopefully begin the week of August 9, 2021 after your child receives his or her laptop. I will inform you and send you a Webex class schedule.
- Student attendance on Webex is expected for daily lessons, discussions and to practice learned skills.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me by phone: (480) 235-9417 or

by email: caroleen.damonfrank@bie.edu Contact hours: Monday- Friday 7:30am-4pm

Thank you,

Mrs. Damon-Frank
4th Grade Teacher
Red Rock Day School

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Greetings 5th grade students/parents,

Welcome, I look forward to meeting each of you and working with you this school year. To begin this school year, students will be assigned a weekly learning packet consisting of activities in Reading, Writing, Language, Math, Social Studies, Science, and Navajo. In addition, daily homework tasks for review and independent activities will be included as needed.

Students please do your best each day when completing your Learning Packets. Work on the pages assigned to you each day so you are not cramming at the end of the week. Your parents should designate a place and time when you will be working with limited distractions. Each week I will provide notes to serve as a guide for your packets so please read them thoroughly before starting an assignment. If you need additional help please do not hesitate to call/text me.

Parents: If your child is in need of any school supplies please notify me and we will get you what you need. Second, please review the Learning Support Kits and all documents before handing it to your child. Third, at the end of each week check your child's packet to ensure all tasks are completed. Finally, please send me a text each morning for your child's daily attendance record. I know distant learning can get frustrating and I'm here to assist you as needed.



Cisco WebEx

Our online instruction will begin the week of August 9th after everyone has received their laptops. We will meet Monday through Thursday. Student please ensure you log on daily. Passwords and meeting times will be forthcoming.



August Focus Standards:

I can determine two or more main ideas in informational text.

I can recognize that in a multi-digit number, a digit in the ones place represents 10 times as much as it represents in the place to its right and 1/10 of what it represents in the place to its left.

I know distant learning can get frustrating and I'm here to assist you as needed. Please do not hesitate to contact me @ 480- 233- 1039 from 7:30a.m.-4:00p.m. Monday thru Friday or at wenona.frazier@bie.edu

Ms. Frazier

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TO: 6th Grade Students
Parent / Guardian(s)
and RRDS Community

WELCOME BACK
School Year 2021-22



Earn 20 easy
points per week
like a CHAMP!

First of all, "Welcome Back, Ya'at'eeh, and let's step into a PAWSOME year together!"

PHASE I Distant Learning

We will begin with SAFETY FIRST for all RRDS students, parent/guardian, staff, and the community of Red Valley, Cove, Mitten Rock, Oak Springas, and surrounding area to return in PHASE I - Distant Digital Learning, as a safe social environment comes, together we will move to Hybrid Learning – Phase II, and then eventually, Phase III – In Person Learning as the school year progresses.

Learning Support Kit (LSK) and WEBex Meeting

- a.) Delivery of the LSKs folders to families with meal by the Bus Drivers will begin the week.
- b.) 6th grade students will begin and end the week with WEBex Meeting starting on Wednesday, then Thursday, and Friday at 10:00 am each morning.
- c.) An initial Student/Parent/Teacher - Scheduled Student/Parent phone call-to-Teacher will also begin this week.

Attendance

- School-In begins on Monday, August 2, 2021. Do begin texting in student's name for Distant Learning roll call starting from 7:30 to 8:00, for 5 points.
- Students need to start logging onto WEBex on laptop, fully charged with kajeet – internet device at 9:45am. Attendance for WEBex meeting will be taken at 9:55 am, for 5 points.
- For Scheduled Student/Parent phone call-to-Teacher, on time calls will be another 5 points. Have your Reading, LA Grammar, Write Source, Math, Science, Social Studies books ready with the LSK and learning supplies.

5 Tardies due to attendance for Roll Call, no Scheduled Student/Parent phone call-to-Teacher, and WEBex meeting count as 1 absent.

WEBex password for the school year will be: 6gI.like2learn

6TH Teacher Expectation

Attendance for Distant Learning, Scheduled Student/Parent phone call-to-Teacher, and the WEBex Meetings are very important – that is when the lesson information, directions and activities embedded in the LSK is taught and given to students.

Students who

1. write their name on the LSK, worksheets, and notes
2. turn in each assignment pages for the week completed on time
3. attend WEBex with full face view
4. return RE-DONE make-up work for a better grade
5. nice legible 6th grade appropriate handwriting

will earn an extra 5 points for the week.



Communication is key to a great school year. Call me should you have and question, email me, write me a letter anytime. Thank you.

Mrs. NP Lii bilnaghahi

School Cell #: (480) 233-6754

eMail: nora.lii'bilnaghahi@bie.edu

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EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

BY: MS. R. JOHN

BACK TO SCHOOL

We are into another new year of learning.

Take time to enjoy the new season. Remember to keep up with your learning packets. Pace yourself and try your best to complete the lessons. Take care and keep safe.

August

Biniant'aats'ozi meaning Ripening of Early Crops. This means that some of the crops are now ready for harvesting. Parents are very watchful of their children who are helping with the harvest that they don't pick the green crops, which will be picked later when they are ripe

Information Updates:

- Email

roselyn.john@bie.edu

Available for assistances/help with assignments

- Monday – Friday 7:30 am -3:30 pm
- Attendance:

Text in attendance:

- Cell phone: (480) 236-1147
- Present- 7:30 am – 9:30 am
- Tardy- 9:30 am – 10:00 am
- Absent- 10:00 am –

Questions, concerns, or help with assignments

Please refer to above cell phone number.

OBJECTIVE

Reading (Review)-

- story elements
- cause/effect,
- critical vocabulary

Mathematics-

- transformation
- reflection
- translation



Be Safe

Be Respectful

Be Responsible

RRDS

WEEKLY MEETING SCHEDULE FOR CLASS MEETINGS via CISCO WEBEX 2021-2022

Aug-21

GRADE LEVEL	TEACHER/CLASSRM	TIME	CONTENT AREA	MON.		TUE.		WED.		THUR.		FRI.	
				START	END	START	END	START	END	START	END	START	END
		AM											
		PM											
DAILY ATTENDANCE IS TAKEN BY CLASSROOM TEACHERS 7:30 TO 8:30 (please check-in with your teacher)													
Kdg. &	F. BENALLY		ELA	8:00	9:15	8:00	9:15	8:00	9:15	8:00	9:15	8:00	9:15
1st			WRITE	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00
			MATH	10:15	11:45	10:15	11:45	10:15	11:45	10:15	11:45	10:15	11:45
			SOC. ST.			12:15	12:45						
			SCIENCE	12:15	12:45								
			Tier II	2:00	3:00	2:00	3:00			2:00	3:00		
2nd	M. TSO-YOUNG		ELA	8:15	9:00	8:15	9:00	8:15	9:00	8:15	9:15	8:15	9:15
			WRITE	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00
			MATH	10:30	11:30	10:30	11:30	10:30	11:30	10:30	11:30	10:30	11:30
			SOC. ST.			13:00	13:30						
			SCIENCE					13:00	13:30				
			Tier II			2:15	3:00			3:00			
3rd	J. KUHLMAN		ELA	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30
			WRITE	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00
			MATH	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	9:30	10:00	9:30	10:00
			SOC. ST.			11:00	11:30					11:00	11:30
			SCIENCE					11:00	11:30			11:30	12:00
			Tier II							11:00	11:30		
4th	C. DAMON-FRANK		ELA	9:00	10:00	9:00	10:00	9:00	10:00	9:00	10:00		
			WRITE	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00		
			MATH	11:00	11:30	11:00	11:30	11:00	11:30	11:00	11:30		
			SOC. ST.	11:30	12:00								
			SCIENCE			11:30	12:00						
			Tier II										
5th	W. FRAZIER		ELA	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00
			WRITE					12:00	12:40	12:00	12:40		
			MATH	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00

			SOC. ST.							1:00		2:00		1:00		2:00						
			SCIENCE		1:00	2:00		1:00		2:00												
			Tier II																			
6th	N. LIBILNAGHAHI	AM	ELA	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00	10:00	11:00			
		AM	WRITE	1:00	2:00	1:00		2:00				2:00		1:00		2:00						
		PM	WRITE	2:00	3:00					2:00	3:00											
		AM	MATH	11:00	12:00	11:00		12:00		11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00			
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7th	W. HAYES		ELA	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	8:30	9:30	12:00	1:00			
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8th	R. JOHN		ELA	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00	11:00	12:00			
			WRITE					12:00	12:40	12:00	12:40	12:00	12:40	12:00	12:40	12:00	12:40	12:00	12:40			
			MATH	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00	1:00			
			SOC. ST.							1:00	2:00			1:00	2:00							
			SCIENCE	1:00	2:00	1:00	2:00															
			Tier II																			

Individual student meeting times are not shown on schedule as they may vary. Times are subject to change as needed for each individual grade level. This schedule is met to cover general education teacher time, service provider time may vary and overlap. Time has been added to address Tier II for those students who may need extra support. Not all students will be in Tier II. We thank you for your families flexible and understanding, please work with your grade level teacher for correct time schedules as they may be adjusted.

07.25.2021 JKP