



WMES Related Arts Team

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WMES Parents and Students,

Over the past couple of weeks we have had certain questions asked to us and we would like to address them in this letter.

1. Is my child required to do the work for Related Arts?

The answer is “yes” just like for your core classes (English, Math, Science, Social Studies, etc...) your child has received a grade in Related Arts for 1st-5th grade in Music, Art, PE, and Health. We are required to give your child a numerical grade and we can't base that off of participation since we don't physically see your children anymore. The assignments have to be done in order for the Related Arts Teacher to justify their grades to the students.

2. Is it too late for my child to submit work?

No all assignments for the work that was received at the pickup or that is available right now is due by April 30th. Anything that is turned in after April 30th for this month's work will be considered late unless the teacher gives permission for the assignment to be turned in late.

3. **What are the assignments and where are they located?**

The assignments are listed on each teacher's webpage on the Williams Memorial Elementary School website. They have also been placed in a Google Drive Folder. The link is bit.ly/wmesra. They were also given out at the dropoff at the school on April 1st and April 2nd.

The assignments for each class are as follows:

Music: All assignments are on Quavermusic.com and your child must create an account using the Quaver Code below for their grade level.

1st Grade: 9739F

2nd Grade: 4VWW9

3rd Grade: V4LRA

4th Grade: 6YUYB

5th Grade: 54K9U

Art: Ms. Herche has listed assignments on her Google Classroom for students in 3rd-5th grade to complete. The Class code is jarpooy. For students in 1st and 2nd grade the assignments are located in the Google Drive folder as well as on Ms. Herche's webpage.

PE: Complete a WEEKLY Physical Activity Log with at least 60 minutes of Physical Activity each day. Please note that this is a weekly log and not just a one time log.

Health: Complete a WEEKLY Nutrition Log. Please note that this is a weekly log and not just a one time log. The document is located in the Google Drive Folder as well as on the Teacher's Webpage.

4. What if I don't have access to the internet?

Teachers do have alternate assignments for those students who truly do not have internet access. These activities are also posted on the teacher webpages and in the Google Drive Folder.

5. How Do I submit Related Arts Assignments and what if I have any questions about the assignments?

Assignments and Questions can be submitted by sending them the corresponding RA teacher

Music: Mr. Phillips
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