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Dear PGHS Parents and Guardians,

As we have transitioned to remote learning options on calamity days, I want to express and clarify our goals and expectations for remote learning days. First, attendance will not be taken in the traditional sense. Teachers will determine student attendance based on their participation in the posted lesson activities and/or assignments. As long as a student participates, s/he will be considered present and attending. Also, PGHS teachers will have all their lesson materials and/or assignments posted by 11:00 am on every remote learning day. Teachers will also be available to students until 3:00 pm on remote learning days, whether via email, video chat, Google Classroom, Schoology, etc. Any assignments posted on a remote learning day will be due no later than the following day at school during that class period unless the assigning teacher states otherwise. Furthermore, not all assignments or learning activities will be taken for a grade. The assignments and lesson activities are prepared by the teachers and are used to reinforce or extend learning, or simply to offer more practice. It is at the teacher's discretion whether or not to post a graded assignment. Lastly, if students do not have internet access at home or the internet goes out for any reason, these students can make up their missed assignments upon their return with no penalty.

Please know that our teachers have put a tremendous amount of time and thought into what they are providing for our students. We welcome communication with you, and if you have any questions about a specific subject or assignment, please reach out directly to the assigning teacher. We are committed to finding the best way to serve your children and to make remote learning a beneficial experience for all PGHS students.

Respectfully,



Jeffrey T. Wise

