Dear Nicasio Families,

The staff and I were so excited to welcome you and your children back to campus last Thursday for small-group orientations! It goes without saying that this back-to-school season is unusual. We all hoped that we could start the 2020-21 school year together and in person, with friends and teachers together in classrooms (masked and physically-distanced, of course). And while that is not currently possible, please know our entire staff is working hard to connect with you and your children, to start the year of positively, and to find additional ways to support students however we can.

On that note, teachers are working to create small groups of students for in-person instruction on a regular schedule. The purpose of these groups is to offer students instructional support alongside their peers. All staff and students will follow health and safety guidelines, including physical distancing, regular handwashing and the use of facial coverings. These schedules are still being developed and will be shared by your child’s teacher. Please note, participation in these small groups is not required.

While we are in distance learning, we will continue with our Friday schedule of work drop-off and pick-up in the MPR. The updated schedule is included in Cougar Tracks. Please locate your family’s last name and arrive at school during your scheduled time to drop off completed work and pick up new materials for the next week of instruction. Thank you in advance for wearing a face covering and practicing physical distancing while on campus.

Last Friday we had our first all-school virtual assembly where I introduced September’s life skill, teamwork. There are many ways our students can demonstrate teamwork even while sheltering in place, like helping a sibling or completing chores. Historically we have chosen one life skill winner from each classroom and now we need your help. Please share photos or videos of your child demonstrating teamwork during the month of September.

I am grateful to each of you for your continued support during this challenging time. There is no other community I would rather be a part of. Please be safe and take care of one another. I am confident 2020-21 will be a great year!

Sincerely,

Barbara
Meet “Team Nicasio” 2020-21!

Ms. Kristy Snaith

Ms. Barbara Snekkevik

Ms. Damena Ware

Ms. Janis Yerington

Ms. Monica Snell

Ms. Mikki McIntyre

Coach Neal Chavez (& Micah)

Ms. Ellian Klein (& Iris)

Ms. Judith Kirkland
2020-21 NICASIO SCHOOL
Weekly Homework Schedule ~ EVERY FRIDAY~

COMING SOON! ~ The S.F.- Marin Food Bank will return to Nicasio School in the near future!

**DISTANCE LEARNING Homework Pick-up/Drop-off Schedule**

~ **BY FAMILY** ~ Please arrive to the MPR during the following assigned time blocks to pick-up & drop-off your child(ren)'s homework:

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*MPR Entry limited to one member of each household. For health & safety purposes, please wear a face mask and maintain social distancing of 6 ft. or more while awaiting entry into MPR.

We appreciate your continued cooperation and support!
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Dear Nicasio School Families,

If you are in need of stronger/faster Wi-Fi access in order for your child to participate in online classes, please contact his/her classroom teacher. We have extended our high-speed Internet to the parking lot to serve families on a “drive-in” basis. Your child’s teacher can schedule an appointment to make the parking lot available to you.

Estimadas Familias de la Escuela Nicasio,

Si usted necesita señal mas fuerte/veloz para el acceso a Internet para que su niño(a) participe en las clases en línea, favor de contactar a su profesora de clase. Hemos hecho una extensión de nuestra conexión de Internet hacia el estacionamiento para ayudar a familias que puedan llegar ahí. Su profesora puede hacer una cita para que el estacionamiento esté disponible para ustedes.
Mental Health Crisis Hotlines 24/7

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255
Buckelew Suicide Prevention Hotline (Local): 415-499-1100
California Youth Crisis Line: 1-800-843-5200 - For youth (ages 12-24) and families
The Trevor Project: 1-866-488-7386 - For LGBTQ youth
The Friendship Line: 1-800-971-0016 - For seniors and caregivers
Crisis Text Line: Text MHA to 741741

Mental Health Support Lines

Behavioral Health and Recovery Services Access Line: 1-888-818-1115 - For mental health or substance use assessment
SAMHSA's Disaster Distress Line: 1-800-985-5990 or text TalkWithUs to 66746
The Peer-Run Warm Line: 1-855-845-7415
Community Action Marin: 415-459-6330 - Mental Health Warm Line

Other Resources

HHS COVID-19 Information Line: 415-473-7191
General Resources: 211
National Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-7233
Food Locator website: https://foodlocator.sfmfoodbank.org/

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