

June 19, 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We made it to the end of the 2019-2020 school year! I am so impressed by all of the hard work and support we have had educating your children during the COVID pandemic. I would like to give you some information as we close out the year.

First, we have summer supply bags for all students in K-7. The bags include books, supplies, and science experiments to work on over the summer. We are launching a summer website that will have 8 weeks of activities for your children to do independently in literacy, math, science, physical education, music and art. It is an exciting new site for our families and community. Visit often and enjoy.

For students in K-2, we have purchased summer workbooks for your child to work on. Please bring those back in September for a prize! This will help students develop previous years' skills and help as they move into the next grade.

I am happy to announce that we will continue to offer meals in the summer on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 11-1. The program was very successful during our COVID emergency. (Please note: we will be closed July 3 and July 6.)

We have been working on possible plans to re-enter school in the fall. We will follow guidelines from NYS and the Board of Regents. Thank you to the families who joined our Zoom calls and had conversations with us at lunch pickup, so that I can incorporate your needs and concerns. As always, the number one priority is the safety of your children.

Since the process is changing rapidly, we will email and post on our website updates during the summer and we will mail a letter home in August with our plan for the fall. Please check the website often as the policies changes rapidly with the pandemic concerns.

To all families, thank you again for all of your work and support in the trickiest year ever for our community. As always Westminster Community Charter School has risen to the challenge and our Pride is showing strong. Feel free to email me at any time during the summer with any concerns or information that you need.

All the best,

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