



Date: Wednesday, January 20, 2021

Topic: **Update to parents, guardians, and staff**

Meeting for Parents, Guardians, and Staff:

- Our next biweekly meeting for parents, guardians, and staff is Tuesday, January, 26.
Topic: Meeting for parents, guardians, and staff
Time: Tuesday, Jan 26, 2021 @ 6:00 PM
Join Zoom Meeting
<https://zoom.us/j/92105480899?pwd=L2doYXB1cHV5Z2F2Q1EvWEt6ZHIzQT09>
Meeting ID: 921 0548 0899

Manitoba Education's Remote Learning Support Centre

- The province has a new online portal for remote learning which offers an array of support for both educators and students in Manitoba - <https://www.mbremotelearning.ca/>
- This Resource Centre may be accessed by families who are homeschooling children in two ways:
 - Families may contact Resource Centre directly for resources and strategies in supporting their child's learning at home. Contact information is available on their website.
 - Families may choose to move their homeschooled children into regular online classes with full-time teachers at the Resource Centre. They will provide regular daily programming in English language arts, math, science, and social studies. Any Park West families who may be interested in enrolling their children in full-time classes for second semester at the Remote Learning Resource Centre are asked to contact Stephen David (sdavid@pwsd.ca) by 2:00 pm on Monday, January 25.

No Classes for High School Friday, January 29:

- There will be no classes for students in Grades 9-12, either in-person or online, on Friday, January 29. This will allow high school teachers a little extra time to wrap up student marking and assessment for semester 1 and plan for term 2 courses.

June Provincial Exams for Grade 12:

- We just received notice that the June provincial exams have been canceled by the Province.

Continued Level Orange:

- The Province is extending Restricted Level Orange for school divisions.
- All Level Orange measures will continue including hybrid, alternate-day learning for Grade 9-12 students if 2 metre spacing cannot be achieved.
- Further information is available at https://manitoba.ca/asset_library/en/covid/response-management-K-12-restricted.pdf

Return to Play Extension:

- The Board updated the Limited Return to Play which allows for student sports to occur provided schools are not in Restricted Levels Orange or Red. The update involved extending the effective date from January 31 to March 26. The Board also reviewed a letter from the RM of Russell in support of the return to play.