

TMS Principal's Weekly News Update

January 8, 2021

Upcoming events

- 1/11/2021 – On-Site Learning Resumes, BOE Meeting
- 1/13/2021 – Early Release Day (E.R.D)
- 1/15/2021 – 2nd Quarter Ends/ E.R.D.
- 1/18/2021 – No School
- 1/20/2021 – Report Cards Posted to Tyler Portal
- 1/22/2021 – E.R.D.
- 1/29/2021 – E.R.D.



Returning to School

Please help students plan for their return to school. They should:

- Practice waking up at the right time for a typical school day. It's been a while.
- Organize the materials to bring back to school on Monday. Be sure to... Throw away or recycle the stuff that is not needed anymore
- Keep items at home that are **NOT** needed at school. It's always good to leave a few surplus school supplies at home in the event that a remote learning day is called.
- Students are encouraged to pack the things they **DO** need by Sunday so there is not a rush doing so on Monday morning.

Staying Healthy Reminder!

The Thompson Middle School community has been doing all the things we need to in order to keep everyone healthy! Remember we need to:

- Keep our masks on properly
- Cover our coughs and sneezes
- Wash our hands
- Keep proper distancing while in school and out in the Community especially when we are not wearing our masks

Thank you for doing your part and keep up the great work!

Early release days (E.R.D.) for students on Friday's will continue through the end of **March**. (Walkers and parent pick up dismissal will be at 11:20 AM and bus dismissal will be at 11:30 AM.)

This is what is happening next week:

<u>Monday</u> 1/11 <u>Day 2</u>	<u>Tuesday</u> 1/12 <u>Day 3</u>	<u>Wednesday</u> 1/13 <u>Day 4</u>	<u>Thursday</u> 1/14 <u>Day 5</u>	<u>Friday</u> 1/15 <u>Day 1</u>
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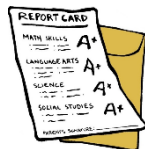




Student Council TMS Spirit Week



Second quarter marking period ends on Friday, January 15th. Students should submit any make up work and any assignments that have not been completed!



Heart of Winter

- Be reminded that students still go outside whenever possible for mask breaks. Please be sure students are dressed and prepared appropriately.
- Be reminded that in the event of a remote learning day due to snow, we will utilize the same schedule we've been using for the last few weeks.
- This time of year can be difficult on families with limited exposure to sunlight and warm air. Find opportunities to laugh and support one another positively even when you're not in the mood.



WELCOME BACK



We miss you!

