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Strive to be your best ~ Attitude matters ~ Integrity always ~ Lead by example

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Dear Mariner Families,

Under the current unprecedented circumstances, Mayflower will continue to serve our students to the best of our ability, while keeping the best interest of our entire community in mind. We are prepared to provide distance learning for our students for the next two weeks. On Friday all students were sent home with necessary information to begin this process. Below you will find additional information regarding our plan moving forward. All information related to Distance Learning can be accessed via the following link: <https://sites.google.com/monroviaschools.net/musd-distancelearning/home>

What will distance learning look like?

Teachers have prepared plans and materials for you and your student to participate in learning from home. Students across grade levels will have opportunities to engage in common, age appropriate, standards-based learning.

Online Learning: Students will have access to Acellus online learning for both English Language Arts and Math and this will be a part of learning for all students. Additionally, grade level specific digital learning will take place including, but not limited, to Google Classroom, Reflex Math, Typing Club, Swun Math, iReady and more.

Additional Learning Experiences: Students will also engage in activities that do not require screen time including daily reading and writing. Again, grade level specific details about these assignments will vary.

What will my child do each day? Student learning plans will vary by grade level. Teachers have created daily agendas with simple step by step directions and all plans have been posted on the district Distance Learning Platform. Suggested learning time will vary by grade level and should not exceed more than 4 hours per day.

What can I expect in the way of communication? Teachers are planning to communicate with students and families on a regular basis. Every effort will be made to create appropriate opportunities for contact and engagement with students, in a variety of ways. You will also receive regular updates and communications from me and Dr. Thorossian. Please feel free to contact me via email at any time. mcostarella@monroviaschools.net
Para información en español: hhernandez@monroviaschools.net

Visit our school website for teacher contact information and to view a grade level specific distance learning plans for your child. <https://mayflower.monroviaschools.net/>

What if I need technical support? Visit the MUSD Distance learning platform for information about technical support. (<https://sites.google.com/monroviaschools.net/musd-distancelearning/home>) Teachers will be providing step by step directions. We will continue to develop a plan for device distribution for those in need and will communicate how we can best support you very soon.

We will do our best to move forward supporting you and your child. Thank you for your continued partnership and understanding.

Sincerely,
Michele Costarella
Principal