



FOWLER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 45

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Dear WVMS Family,

The Western Valley Middle School faculty and staff would like to thank you for your patience during these unprecedented times in education. We appreciate the extra time and effort you've put in to ensure your child(ren) is learning during these stressful times.

We are aware that the end of the school year is a special memory for all students. It saddens us greatly that we are unable to bring closure for this school year. We will do our best to make your child's last day on our campus special. Please read the information below, as it contains all of the details regarding end-of-year items. Parking will be available in both WV parking lots for your convenience. **Also, we are reminding you to please maintain 6 feet of social distance between each family in order to ensure everyone's safety.**

6th – 7th End-of-Year Material Distribution Date

All 6th and 7th grade families must be present at the WVMS south parking lot on **your designated date/time**, as follows:

- **Monday, May 11th – 6th Grade**
 - 7:30A – 8:00A Medically fragile students (must be documented in our system)
 - 8:00A – 9:00A: Homerooms for Lowery, Perez, M.Nasser, McKenzie, Hunt
 - 9:00A – 10:00A: Homerooms for Cerda, Leighton, Travis, Edwards, Metz, Reina
- **Tuesday, May 12th – 7th Grade**
 - 7:30A – 8:00A Medically fragile students (must be documented in our system)
 - 8:00A – 9:00A: Homerooms for Martinez, Tobin, Petschauer, Totzke
 - 9:00A – 10:00A: Homerooms for Jimenez, Camacho, Davis, Noonan, Carrasquillo

Personal Items

Teachers have placed all of your child's personal items, including final report cards, in tagged plastic bags. Those bags will be distributed from the parent drop-off curb, by homeroom teachers. Please pull into the parking lot and give the attendant your name. They will radio the staff to be ready with your child's items. Continue along the curb and remain in your car. Items will be brought to you.

WVMS 2019-2020 Yearbook

Parents may purchase a 2019-2020 WVMS Yearbook online. Parents should contact Ms. Renzi for questions about the yearbook (brenzi@fesd.org). Only parents that have paid for a yearbook may pick one up. **No cash will be accepted on that day for a yearbook, as they must be pre-ordered.** *Please note that the yearbook printing may be delayed. If yearbooks are not ready by your pick-up date, we will notify you when you may return to pick up your paid copy.*

Final Report Cards

All students will receive a final report card. Final grades for 4th quarter will be reflective of the average of all 1st through 3rd quarter grades for each subject area. In addition, you will find a “yearly grade”, which will be calculated based on the average of all four quarters of the school year.

Library Books & Sports Uniform Drop-Off

Students should drop off library books at the drop-off bin or they may be handed to your child’s homeroom teacher when you receive your personal items. Sports uniforms need to be handed to the office staff, who will be located at the south curb (for any students that have one out). **Any student that owes for books or uniforms WILL NOT be allowed to pick-up a final report card until the debt is paid. If a child is withdrawn, records will not be released until the debt is cleared.** Office staff will have a list of any students that owe books or uniforms.

Parents Unable to Attend

Parents that are not available to be present on their designated date/time above may stop by the office, starting on Monday, May 18th. Office staff will be available Monday through Friday, from 8:00A – 4:00P, through Friday, May 22nd. **Only student personal items will be available for pick up on that week.**

We look forward to seeing your child on their designated pick-up date. If you have any questions about the information contained in this letter or about any aspect of your child’s education, feel free to contact me at (623) 707-2100 or via e-mail at mruiz@fesd.org. Thank you in advance for your time and support!

Sincerely,

Marco Antonio Ruiz, M.Ed.
Western Valley Schools Principal