

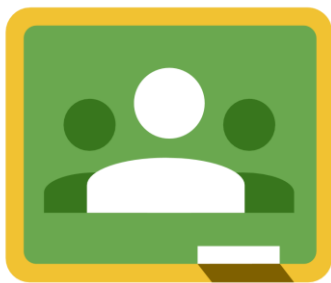
“Non-Traditional Instructional Day” (NTID)



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What is it?

In response to the last couple of winters, we applied for and were granted the option from KY Department of Education to implement a Non-Traditional Instructional Day Program. This will allow us to utilize some non-traditional methods to continue learning on days that would otherwise be lost due to weather or other emergencies. This is a day that will not have to be made up in our calendar. The Superintendent will determine which days will be designated as a “Non-Traditional Instructional Day”.



Content

Web-based academic work can be accessed via Google Classroom. Hard Copies can be provided in advance to prepare for possible inclement weather days.



Implementation

This will only be used in situations when school must be closed and we will likely have access to electricity in our area. Ex: School closing as a result of inclement weather, water outages or other issues.



Notification

Use of this program will be communicated through District / School Webpages, Facebook, Twitter, various media outlets, ONE CALL system, etc.



Accountability

Teachers will discuss program details with students before it is implemented. Students would be required to complete all designed assignments during these days as outlined by the teacher.



Teacher Availability

Teachers can be available thru the use of Google Classroom, Teacher Webpages, email, Remind 101, etc. The means of communication can vary between teachers and buildings.



Attendance – Faculty/Staff

In the event of using a “Non-Traditional Instructional Day”, attendance for faculty / staff will be mandatory. Administrators at each school will be responsible for setting the schedule for the day.

Questions?

Feel free to contact your building principal for specific questions. Mr. Phillip Cassity (RPS) – 606-836-0007; Mrs. Pamela Wright (R-MIS) – 606-836-8186; Mr. Shawn Moore (RMS) – 606-836-8135; Mrs. Anna Chaffin (RHS) – 606-836-9658

Remember this is a new program and we will continue to look for ways to be more efficient. Implementation is always difficult at the beginning of any new program. But, this will enable learning to continue when it is necessary to miss multiple days of school due to inclement weather or other emergencies.



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