

Birch Island's Weekly Update

DATE: 5/11/20

Please be sure to register for next year's electives! Registration information is linked on this [part](#) of the BJHS website.

It's not too late to order a yearbook. You can order yearbooks online by clicking on this [link](#).

It's Spirit Week! Join the FUN.

Be sure to add your picture each day to show off your team spirit. These will be added to our end of the year slideshow. This will be fun for all of us to see now AND later!

Check the link each day on our Birch Island News Google Classroom page in order to post a picture!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Comfy Clothing Day	Favorite Stuffed Animal or Live Pet Day	Crazy Hair or Best Hat Day	Most Spirit Sports/BJHS/Birch Day	Movie Character Day

Join all your Birch Island teachers and friends on Friday for a kahoot game. Test your skills on how well you know your teachers!

Friday - 11:00 - Birch Island Kahoot Game: <http://meet.google.com/hxx-dppt-fhp>

Curriculum Updates & Important Info:

Language Arts: Virtual Creative Writing Club is starting up for grades 6-8 with Ms. LeBlanc! Creative Writing Club is a safe space to write and share original works of poetry and prose. The Google Classroom code to join is **adumkhh**. Each day we'll post prompts or writing games to get those creative gears going, and on Friday, if anyone feels comfortable, they can showcase what they've been working on, virtually. Happy Writing!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Sullivan	MONDAY & TUESDAY = BOOK TAKE-OUT: Curbside Pickup @BJHS available 8-2.				
	BOOK TAKE-OUT Curbside Pickup @BJHS 8-2 Can't make it? Ebook available through Ms. Sullivan	BOOK TAKE-OUT Curbside Pickup @BJHS 8-2 Quick Google Form & Epic! BOOK CLUB questions due today.	New NOVEL STUDY starts today! READ <i>Flipped</i> , <i>Fuzzy Mud</i> or <i>Al Capone Does My Shirts</i>	Read for NOVEL STUDY See Google Classroom for Chapter guidelines	Read for NOVEL STUDY
Mr. Czyz	Draft "Exact Directions" Reading Practice	Revise "Exact Directions" Reading Practice	Read: "How to Avoid Taking a Shower" Reading Practice	Make list of talents Reading Practice	Draft your "How-to" Reading Practice

Math:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Dorr	<p style="text-align: center;">This week we are working on ABSOLUTE VALUE and COORDINATE PLANES!</p> <p>Assignments from Big Ideas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6.4 - Absolute Value 6.5 - Coordinate Planes <p>Optional Google Meets: Daily at 10:30! Come check it out.</p> <p>IXL: If you finish Big Ideas early, check out the starred skills on absolute value and coordinate planes in IXL for additional practice..</p> <p>**Be sure to check Google Classroom for my videos, other helpful information, and optional live session codes. Come join us for a game!</p>				<p>6.4 and 6.5 due Friday by 8:00pm</p> <p>Can we have a snowball fight?</p>
Mrs Belanger	<p style="text-align: center;">This week we are working on Absolute Value and Coordinate Planes</p> <p>Assignments from Google Classroom</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WMR #2 from Home <p>Assignments from Big Ideas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6.4 - Absolute Value 6.5 - Coordinate Planes <p>Do you and a friend or you and a family member want to participate in a <u>Coordinate Plane Escape Room Challenge</u>? It is not mandatory but rather something fun to do if you want!! If you do I have posted it in the Google Classroom!</p>				<p>This week you have 3 assignments which are due Friday by 8:00pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I MISS you</p>
Ms. Hanley	Assignments will be posted on Google Classroom. Weekly "Meet" at 1:30 on Wednesday.				
Czyz	Use of Time Practice	Fluency Practice	Elapsed Time Investigation	Fluency Practice	Elapsed Time Investigation #2

Science:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
To Do:	Climate Facts-More Animal Adaptations and the Greenhouse Effect	Climate Facts-More Animal Adaptations and the Greenhouse Effect Optional Google Meet at 11:00	NASA Answers Big Questions about Climate Change	NASA Answers Big Questions about Climate Change Optional Google Meet at 11:00	"Fun With Science" Friday Climate Facts and NASA Answers Due Today

Social Studies:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Please check Google Classroom each day for slideshows/videos and assignments				
To Do:	Tour of Ancient Egypt, Site 2: The White Chapel. Optional Google Meet Session at 11:00	Tour of Ancient Egypt, Site 2: The White Chapel Assignment due at the end of today	Tour of Ancient Egypt, Site 3: Hatshepsut's Temple Optional Google Meet Session at 11:00	Tour of Ancient Egypt, Site 3: Hatshepsut's Temple Assignment due at the end of today	FUN FRIDAY Another cool hands-on activity from Mr. Kosak and Mr. Levy

Band and Chorus:

Band-Anderson	<i>Open Band Google Classroom for assignments and enrichment opportunities! (You'll miss things if you only look at your calendar or "to do" list!)</i> This week: Sight Read #3 (due Friday), we'll begin our Solo/Ensemble Performance Project. MEET: Tuesday at 1:00 (you won't need your instrument for this meeting)
Chorus-Tarleton	Your rehearsal log is due May 15. Please email or leave a message in Google classroom if you have questions. You should be learning to sing "The Water is Wide." There is no submission for this.

World Language:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Lord/ Ms. Lera	<i>Los Números en Español</i> <i>Check Google Classroom for introduction and activities with Spanish numbers!</i> <i>All work due by Friday.</i>				

PE Class:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Mrs. Costa	Google Classroom code- p42taki Assignment posted on Monday-Due on Thursday			

Music Appreciation:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Tarleton	R&R 5 is due by the end of the week. The Elvis Presley video is available for you to watch and there is no submission for Elvis. A short quiz will be posted Wednesday.				

Don't forget about curbside pick-up today and tomorrow! Scroll down to see....