

ECOLE SECONDAIRE SALMON ARM SECONDARY

Home of the Jewels & Golds

April 2, 2020

Dear Jackson Families,

First, I would like to thank you all for the warm reception and kind words for our teachers that are reaching out to families. It is heartwarming to know that families are still interested in continuing their learning with Jackson.

While teachers have been busy contacting families and preparing learning opportunities for students, support staff and admin have been getting ready for students to collect their belongings.

We have a tight timeline but we are asking that that pick-up of personal belongings occur tomorrow, Friday, April 3.

Students with lockers on the <u>Top Floor</u> of the building can come between 9:30 and 12:30; and Students with lockers on the <u>Bottom Floor</u> of the building can come between 12:30 and 3:30.

It is our hope that families will be able to attend during these time however, we understand that this might not be possible and families will need alternate times. Please call the office if you need to arrange an alternate time.

Students will only be permitted in the gym to collect their pre-packaged belongings. We understand that this is less than ideal however, this system best ensures that our custodial staff are able to maintain their cleaning standards and our also adhere to our occupancy limits.

We will be keeping any school district library and textbooks that are found in lockers and we ask that if you have any of these items at home that you return them to the school when you come to pick up your belongings.

There is the potential for the parking lot to get busy. We appreciate your patience and ask that you remember to practice social distancing.

Thank you for your understanding during this difficult time.

Sincerely,

Steven Drapala

Principal

Rhys Waters Vice Principal