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Dear Sturgis Families,

I write to you today with an update and preview of some upcoming communications you can expect to receive from Sturgis. For clarity, I present these notes below via a numbered format:

1. In case you might have missed it, please see my [letter to families sent Friday, September 11th](#).
2. The daily schedule [next week \(9/21-9/25\)](#) is different from this past (first) week.
3. We ask that parents/guardians inform us electronically if your child will be absent, dismissed, or tardy from school (whether remote or in-person). You can find the [East](#) and [West](#) forms for sharing this information on our campus homepages.
4. Sturgis' co-curricular music and theatre programs will run this fall. Information will be forthcoming to students. For cleaning and efficiency purposes, we will use our West campus for all after-school arts programming for both East and West students.
5. Students will have two mask breaks when attending school in-person: at the end of second period and while eating their lunch. As a reminder, students are to bring their own lunch and carry it with them during the day.
6. Students are encouraged to bring a reusable water bottle to school and use our hands-free bottle filling station.
7. On our [East](#) and [West](#) homepages, you can find a [technology help form](#) to report any glitches your Sturgis student may be experiencing with virtual learning.
8. Starting Monday, October 5th, our [529 Main building](#) will be available - space permitting - for students seeking a controlled and supervised setting during a remote learning day. Space will be limited to twenty students at first. I will share more details in my letter to you next Friday (9/25).



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9. For students who have chosen to attend school completely remote, we will arrange for a books/materials pickup day in the coming weeks. We will communicate further details directly with those families next week.
10. Families may apply for free and reduced lunch services via [our online form](#). Please note that eligible students also receive subsidized CCRTA passes and other school related costs (such as athletics fees).
11. As a reminder, you can submit inquiries [here](#) regarding back-to-school questions.

Sincerely,

Paul Marble
Executive Director