

*Honoring all who served*  
**VETERANS DAY**



Colleagues,

Happy Veterans Day to all who served and thank you for your service. Thank you to the building AR's who attended the meeting last night and participated in the Q and A with Dr. Logan. There was some good discussion, great questions as well as suggestions on what we can do to maintain a safe learning environment.

Unanswered questions from last night were clarified this morning:

1. Can the district send out communication to families stating that specials are not considered optional and students will receive grades? **The district asks that Principals send out building communication to families on this topic. Talk with your building Principal if this is something that needs to be done in your building.**
2. Was the email sent out to all staff regarding adjustments to GLM, TEAMS and Pacing Guides? **An email was sent to all Principals to share with the regarding changes that will impact their building. Ask your administration what is being offered to give staff additional plan time.**
3. What is the kill time for the QT3 cleaning solution? **3 to 7 minute.**
4. When errors are made on the videos provided by staff, how can it be resolved? **Notify Melissa Comine or your TLC which video has errors.**
5. What is the threshold on going remote? **There is no plan to going full remote. The district is addressing building by building active cases, by either closing the classroom,**

**program or building.**

### **Snow/Inclement Weather Days:**

The Snow/Inclement weather days was discussed last night. They will look different this year. Talk with your building administration on a building plan. There were questions on the secondary schedule and I said I would email it out. Here is what the **secondary schedule** will look like.

**7:40am Planning and Preparation**

**8:40am Delayed Student Start (8:20 am for Central and South Students)**

### **Shortened Schedule-Synchronous Remote Learning**

#### **4 Block Schedule (Middle and High)**

- 8:40-9:10            1/2 Block
- 9:15-9:45            3/4 Block
- 9:50-10:20          5/6 Block
- 10:25-10:55        7/8 Block

#### **9 Period Schedule (Central and South)**

- 8:20-8:40            1<sup>st</sup>
- 8:45-9:05            2<sup>nd</sup>
- 9:10-9:30            3<sup>rd</sup>
- 9:35-9:55            4<sup>th</sup>
- 10:00-10:20        5<sup>th</sup>
- 10:25-10:45        6<sup>th</sup>
- 10:50-11:10        7<sup>th</sup>
- 11:15-11:35        8<sup>th</sup>
- 11:40-12:00        9<sup>th</sup>

12:00-1:00            Student Office Hours

2:00-3:25            Teacher Planning and Prep

- Resource and ELL teachers should communicate within their buildings to decide if/when to pull students.
- Self-contained Special Education teachers should follow the above schedule or contact Kara Saldierna for clarification.
- Early Childhood will split their morning between two groups and have a show and share in the afternoon. For further instruction, reach out to Jorja Brazda-Witters.
- A detailed explanation on the elementary schedule was given out last night. Talk with your building AR for further explanation.

## Negotiations:

We are beginning to negotiate the 2021-2022 Master Agreement with the district. Sessions will be recorded and available following the conclusion of each session. A link will be sent to every member via constant contact when the video is ready for viewing. You will click that link and it will take you to the site. You will then need to use your NSEA ID number to view the video. Your membership number is on the mailing label for your NSEA Voice magazine. Reach out to [lorrie.krejci@nsea.org](mailto:lorrie.krejci@nsea.org) if you can't locate your membership number.

Support your negotiations team by wearing **RED** on days we negotiate, currently **November 12, November 17, November 19, and November 23**. More dates to come but have not been set. At the conclusion of each session, a constant contact with a link to the video will be sent to you. Another platform of communication will be the Omaha-I Stand With Teacher Facebook page. Please be aware that the Omaha-I Stand with Teachers Facebook page has member, nonmember and community followers. Please keep this in mind as you post comments on that page.

### To our dues paying members:

This is a reminder that AR meetings and information shared during those meetings are for dues paying members. One advantage of being an OEA member is having access to information that non-members don't.

Be Well,

Robert  
OEA President

