Virtual Talent Show

Dear Mabry Families,

I hope that you are all safe and healthy! I also hope that this week’s focus on catching up and completing work has been a great opportunity to feel more confident that assignments have been submitted and our students are caught up and ready to enjoy Spring Break! Remember, there will be no assignments over Spring Break next week! Please relax and enjoy this brain break with family!

I know that there are also many questions about grading, especially as it pertains to the letter sent from the district yesterday. I will be sending a separate letter with more details soon, but please know that digital learning will continue and there is no need to contact the school or teacher regarding a selection to accept Q3 grades for Q4. While no student will get a lower grade for Q4 than he or she received for Q3, digital learning will continue because it is vital that students are as prepared as possible for next year. Again, I will send more details soon regarding grading practices for the remainder of the year. Thank you for your patience as we finalize those details.

I also know that many of you are anxious to retrieve items from the school since students left without knowing that they would be returning this year. However, due to concerns for the safety of staff and students, the district is not allowing access to the building at this time. I am confident that there will be an opportunity for this, but it will not likely occur until May. When the district allows access to the building for students to pick up items, I will send communication about that opportunity. I am sorry for this inconvenience, but I am sure that you can understand that the district is being very cautious about access to schools.

Finally, as you know, this week students were encouraged to submit videos of themselves demonstrating their talents for our Virtual Talent Show. I am excited to share the link below for you to view the Virtual Talent Show! Thank you to Ms. Underwood for organizing this opportunity for our students and to Ms. Parades, Ms. McCoy and Ms. Bockmon for assisting in the process! On a related note, I am happy to announce that we will be rescheduling our drama performance of Aladdin in August when we return to school next year. So, if you purchased tickets, hold on to them. They will be honored for the August performances.

https://bitly.com/mabryvirtualtalent

Thank you and enjoy Spring Break!

Mr. Tanner