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Mission:

Doss CCSD will
create and sustain
an environment to
inspire curiosity,
respect tradition, and
embrace excellence.

District Values:
Love, Respect, Serve

Pam Seipp, Administrative Consultant

May 15, 2020

Via Electronic Mail

Dear Parents, Guardians, Employees and Community:

As we end the school year, we take this opportunity to thank each of you for helping us educate children. We recognize the far-reaching impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and understand the challenges it has created for everyone. Sincerely, we applaud your strength as a family and appreciate your support of Doss School!

Although school was officially closed by Executive Orders, we have provided lessons, materials, and resources to assist student learning. Via telephone, electronic mail, and social media we remain in contact with all parents, and with the community and county. Communication will continue throughout the summer.

The Commissioner and the Texas Education Agency modified requirements, including waiving state assessments and the student attendance rules. In turn, Doss CCSD made modifications to instructional continuity plans, lesson assignments, and grading procedures. Each adjustment made was in the best interest of students.

Governor Abbott's recent announcement to "open Texas" included comments for schools to consider calendar options. Additionally, the Commissioner of Education has asked every school district to begin researching options for next year's school calendar, and to investigate new methods of providing student instruction.

The Doss CCSD Board, administration, and employees are committed to educating children and will leave no page unturned. Currently, the approved calendar calls for a Doss School in-person student start date on Monday, August 24th. Yet, if it is necessary to modify or extend the calendar, we will let you know immediately.

Originally, Doss School planned to pick up instructional assignments and materials Friday, May 22nd. However, the Commissioner recommends all schools provide instructional materials for students to work on during the summer. So, we will not have a pick-up but leave textbooks and packets with students at home.

All assignments to be graded are due to teachers by May 22nd. Work assigned for the last week of school will support or extend learning. Report cards will be prepared the last week of May and mailed early June. Expect mail soon that will include student recognition, various certificates, and a special incentive for the entire family.

Again, thank you students, parents, employees, and community! For students and educators, each school year may be compared to a chapter in a book. Each chapter contains a message that may be memorable. Truly, the "Chapter" theme used by Doss School this year has great meaning.... ***Every page you turn is a lesson learned!***

Sincerely,

Pam Seipp

***Truth is we all have stories!
We look forward to sharing
when we are together again.***



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