

Good evening DCS Family,

We have important information to share with you this evening on student grades, attendance policy reminders, and plans for observing 9/11 tomorrow.

Student Grades

A complete look at student grades is available through PowerSchool in the Parent Portal. There you can keep up with grades and see the full view of your student's progress when grades are posted. Canvas provides families with many useful tools, including assignments and grades, but does not provide the full picture when looking at grading. PowerSchool is where the information for student progress reports and report cards will come. If you have not signed up for PowerSchool's Parent Portal, please do so as this is an important resource to help you with your child's education. Please contact your school directly with any questions.

Attendance Policy

As a reminder, while in Plan B, it was important to create a new attendance policy. This policy is temporary and effective while we are in Plan B. We communicated this policy in last week's message, and that information is available on the <u>Safe and Secure page</u> of our district website under <u>District</u> <u>Messages to Families</u>.

September 11, 2020

At 8:46 a.m. on September 11, 2001, the world changed forever and the solemn events of that historic day began. In honor of the heroes and victims, and in celebration of the unity and solidarity our nation experienced during the events of 9/11, we will observe a district-wide moment of silence in all schools and departments throughout Davie County Schools at 8:46 a.m. on Friday, 9/11. We encourage students and families at home to do the same. This is a reminder as a county, and as a nation, that we are one and we are strong.

Thank you and have a good evening!