## Central Highlights

August/September 2020

## DISTANCE LEARNING and TECHNOLOGY

Central school has been moving along our 258 students with Distance Learning where students and teachers are working hard in being flexible with instruction and understanding student learning need. Back to School night was held on Wednesday, August $20^{\text {th }}$ where parents were able to view teacher PowerPoints describing their class assignments, expectations for student learning and policies related to instruction.

Beginning on August $12^{\text {th }}$, all students in grades Kindergarten through $8^{\text {th }}$ were provided with Ipads, instructional materials and in some cases WiFi services so that students may access instruction. Students and parents in need of technology assistance have been informed to access services through the district office by using support@cusd.zendesk.com in cases where more assistance has been needed.

## STUDENT MATERIAL and FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Weekly, teaching staff contact parents/family members to come to the school to pick up supplies when deemed necessary for upcoming learning activities. These supplies are distributed on Mondays and Wednesdays from 11am to Noon.

Free breakfast and lunch meals have been made available to children ages 0 to 18 years of age during the hours of 11am to Noon every Monday and Wednesday. These distributions are located in front of the Central campus on $18^{\text {th }}$ Avenue.

## ATTENDANCE DURING DISTANCE LEARNING

Attendance is taken daily and begins at 9am every day. Any student who is not present during Distance Learning is still required to have verification of their absence.

- Parents/guardians are required to submit a note or phone call to excuse absences that are verified in accordance with the EC 48205
- Parents/guardians must verify the nature of the student's full or partial absence
- Information collected by phone or in person shall record the following: student name, parent/guardian name, date of absence, and reason for the absence
- All absences left unverified by a parent/legal guardian, three (3) days after an absence will be marked as unexcused.

