WE HAVE MADE IT TO THE CONCLUSION OF WEEK 1!!!

A Week that has been both challenging and rewarding! We are grateful to ALL of our Stakeholders for supporting our Virtual Educational Journey!

Monday September 7, 2020 is the LABOR DAY HOLIDAYS – ALL SCHOOLS & OFFICES ARE CLOSED
Round 2 Materials Distribution!

We would like to announce our next Materials Distribution which will be held on Wednesday September 9th from 10:30 – 4:00pm. This distribution will consist of books only and for the following grades: First, Second, Third, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth. Additionally, for Fourth grade only, please attend the distribution if you need to exchange your Bb Zig Zag workbook for the appropriate Ab Zig Zag workbook.

Our distribution plans are different from the previous event. The distribution will take place in the front of the school instead of the cafeteria. Please follow the directions below:

Dora Kennedy French Immersion – 8950 Edmonston Rd, Greenbelt, MD 20770

1. Drive up to the front of school (Do Not Park)
2. Remain in your car
3. When greeted by a staff member, please provide your student’s grade level and homeroom teacher
4. A staff member will bring your materials to you

More materials & devices are expected to be delivered. When the materials arrive, families will be notified.

Wednesday

On Wednesday Sept. 9th we will continue our initiative of supporting our scholars through Social Emotional Learning and lessons empowering them to excel in virtual learning space.

Students will engage in the SEL/Academic Support opportunity independently after receiving instruction from the Homeroom teacher.

**Students will attend their Homerooms as normal**
9:15am - Teachers will have an Initial “check-in” w/ students and take attendance

Teachers will collect, review, and debrief previously assigned independent coursework

Teachers will provide students with an asynchronous Social Emotional Learning activity, providing directions and expectations.

9:50am - Teachers will dismiss students to work offline; independently on the SEL Activity for the remaining of the school day.

Calendar (A & B Days)

The following schedule will be in effect for the 2020-2021 school year. Sample Week Below:

Every Monday: A Day
Every Tuesday: B Day

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Every Wednesday: Alternating A Day/B Day
  · First Week is A Day
  · Second Week is B Day
  · Third Week is A Day and the pattern continues for the rest of the school year.
  Wednesday will be a day used for Independent Study and Small Group Instruction.

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Every Thursday: A Day
Every Friday: B Day
More information forthcoming relative to our P.A.S.S
(workshops)

Parental Academy for Student Success

DKFI PTA http://www.dkfipta.org/ We encourage our stakeholders to become a members.

RESOURCES
Virtual Learning Etiquette
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PGCPS: What you need to know

Parent Centers Available – Days/Times: Mondays and Wednesdays, 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Parents may call 240-696-3315 during these hours to receive live assistance starting August 31, 2020.

Parent Distance Learning Hotline – Starting August 31, 2020, parents/guardians can call 240-696-6229 on Monday – Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for live assistance for technical/equipment issues and/or instructional guidance and support.
DISTANCE LEARNING TV SCHEDULE
The PGCPS Office of Curriculum and Instruction has arranged for some lessons to be delivered on television.

- Continue to check our Dora Kennedy French Immersion Website for updates and new information [https://www.pgcps.org/dorakenedney/](https://www.pgcps.org/dorakenedney/)
  - Under the Parent Resource tab you will find information about our DKFI PTA [http://www.dkfipta.org/](http://www.dkfipta.org/) We encourage you to become a member.

- Please use the PGCPS Reopening Plan as a resource. It can be found at [https://www.pgcps.org/reopen/](https://www.pgcps.org/reopen/)