




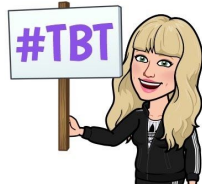

Mrs. Houston's Monday Memo

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Together We Will

“Keep your thoughts positive, because your thoughts become your words. Keep your words positive, because your words become your behavior. Keep your behavior positive, because your behavior become your habits. Keep your habits positive, because your habits.” - Mahatma Gandhi

Let's Stay Connected

College Monday 4-6	TikTok Tuesday 4-7	Wish for it Wednesday 4-8	ThrowBack Thursday 4-9	Fist Bump Friday 4-10
<p>Make it casual-but inspirational-fave college merch!</p> 	<p>We know you do it---let's show off our best skills!</p> 	<p>What do you wish for today? Can we make someone's come true?</p> 	<p>Let's face it---we miss school---TBT when we were at Lexington!</p> 	<p>Congratulations -you made it another week in jhs---give your bud a fist bump!</p> 

by **Amber Houston** on April 5, 2020

This was our final week of enrichment and make up work—you can now expect our teachers to be moving on with their specific content area curriculum with lessons, projects, and work! Of course, we are all new to this idea of “Distant Remote Learning”—so we are trying to think outside the box for engaging and meaningful activities in addition to not simply delivering status quo in class style work. While we got thrown into the deep end of the pool, we are trying our best to find balance for all our students and ourselves.

So with this being said AUHSD and Lexington have come up with a unified remote learning schedule that you may have seen come out via Aeries email from our district. If not, I have copied the schedule below for your reference. All our teachers have classes on Schoology as their learning platform for students and parents to get connected and checked in. WE encourage your student to upload a clear face photo of themselves for their Schoology icon---this helps when there are class discussions. Our “live/synchronous” student mandatory meetings (which may not be face to face, but real time communication) with classes will only be on Mondays and Tuesdays. Periods 1,3,5,7 will be on Mondays and Periods 2,4,6 will be on Tuesdays (exact times below). Wednesday, Thursday and Fridays will be “independent/asynchronous” time for students to work on things with optional teacher office hours as specified by each teacher on their Schoology Accounts. Make sure to check out each teacher’s Schoology for systems and assistance. Email teachers with any questions.

We do understand that since our campuses are closed the remainder of this school year, students have questions about how to return library or textbooks, getting items from PE lockers, getting the yearbook, returning tech and probably many more. We are working with AUHSD district to have a unified message and retrieval day for all of these things. This information should be coming out to you in the next couple of weeks.



Unlimited Possibilities at Lexington Junior High School



REMOTE LEARNING SCHEDULE

The remote learning schedule below allows students to participate in synchronous (real-time interaction) and asynchronous (independent) learning.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30am -9am Period 1					
9am-9:30am Period 2					
9:30am-10am Period 3					
10am-11am	Office Hours	Office Hours	Teacher PLC	Office Hours	Office Hours
11am-12pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
12pm-1pm	Office Hours	Office Hours	Office Hours	Office Hours	Office Hours
1pm-1:30pm Period 4					
1:30pm-2pm Period 5					
2:00pm-2:30pm Period 6/7/0					



COVID-19 UPDATE: 4/1 (6:00PM)

ANAHEIM UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

**AUHSD Dismissals
Extended Through the
Remainder of 2019-2020
School Year**

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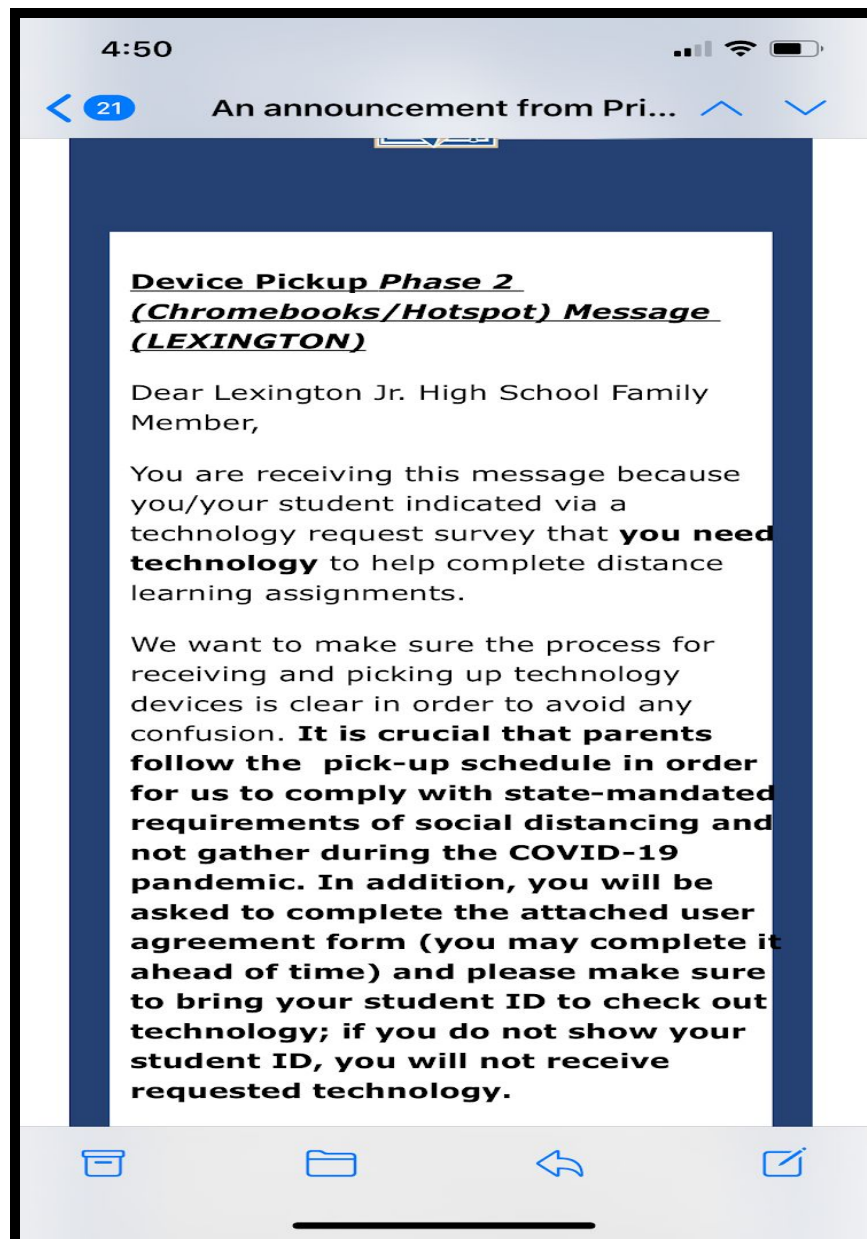


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anaheimunion In recent weeks, the State of California escalated its efforts to slow the spread of COVID-19, through the executive order issued by Governor Gavin Newsom calling for California residents to stay at home, with exceptions for attending to essential needs. In addition, a Major Disaster Declaration by President Trump also acknowledged the scope of this crisis and bolstered California's emergency response efforts.

Based on these conditions, directives and preventive measures, the Anaheim Union High School District has extended the dismissal of our schools through the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year, which ends on May 21, 2020.

Many of you have reached out: Chromebook and Hotspot distribution is tomorrow Monday, April 6 1-3 OR 6-7pm. People who took the survey indicating YES, received confirmation email like below giving you information. See you tomorrow!



THIS WEEK'S TOP STORIES

Lexington Vision Statement

We champion a collaborative community that excels in student centered learning opportunities, fosters critical, creative thinking and embraces diversity. We empower compassionate citizens of tomorrow to meet the demands of an ever-changing global society.




COVID-19 Projects

History classes are busy making Bubonic Plague Public Service Announcements---Check out some cool ones from Mrs. Wilson's class!

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The Bubonic Plague
Also known as The Black Death!



There is a plague that originated in China and is spreading throughout Europe, wiping out a third of Europe's population. It will cause you to have flu-like symptoms but will also cause black spots all over your body that are extremely painful. It has killed 30 to 60 percent of Europe's population and had a mortality rate of around 70%. The plague is spread by fleas that are commonly found on rats. A bite by an infected flea will spread the disease. If you get this disease you would feel pain everywhere along with the black spots on your body. Go to the doctor immediately to get antibiotics if you think you have the Bubonic Plague.



MEDICAL ALERT

Hansel Barrios
Period 1

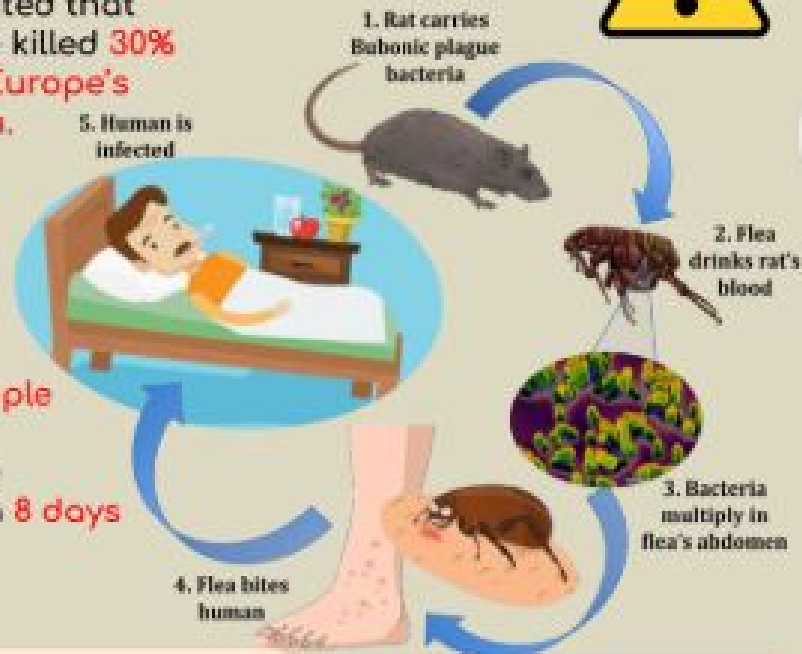


BUBONIC PLAGUE

The Black Death (Bubonic Plague)
It is estimated that the plague killed **30% to 60% of Europe's population.**



80% of people who got the plague died within **8 days**



The Origin

The Bubonic Plague originated in China in the early 1300s and spread along trade routes westward to the Mediterranean and Africa. It reached southern England in 1348 and Britain in 1350.

Symptoms

A person may feel the following symptoms: fever and chills, extreme weakness, abdominal pain, diarrhea and vomiting, bleeding from mouth, nose and under skin, blackening of tissue on fingers, toes and nose, shock

How to avoid getting Bubonic Plague:

- Drink vinegar
- Eat crushed minerals
- Sit close to a fire or in a sewer to drive out the fever
- Fumigate the house with herbs to purify the air



BUBONIC PLAGUE

What Does it do?
- if affects your lymph nodes

What to expect if contracted - within 3-7 days of exposure to the plague bacteria, you'll begin to develop flu-like symptoms such as fever, headache, chills, and swollen tender lymph glands.

HOW TO AVOID:

- reduce rodent habitat around your home, work place, and recreational areas (MAKE YOUR HOME RODENT PROOF).
- Wear gloves when handling or skinning potentially infected animals to prevent contact between skin and plague bacteria.
- use repellent if you think you could be exposed to rodent fleas during activities such as camping, hiking, or working outdoors.
- keep fleas of pets by applying flea control products and don't allow pets that roam in endemic areas to sleep on your bed.

Origin:

China

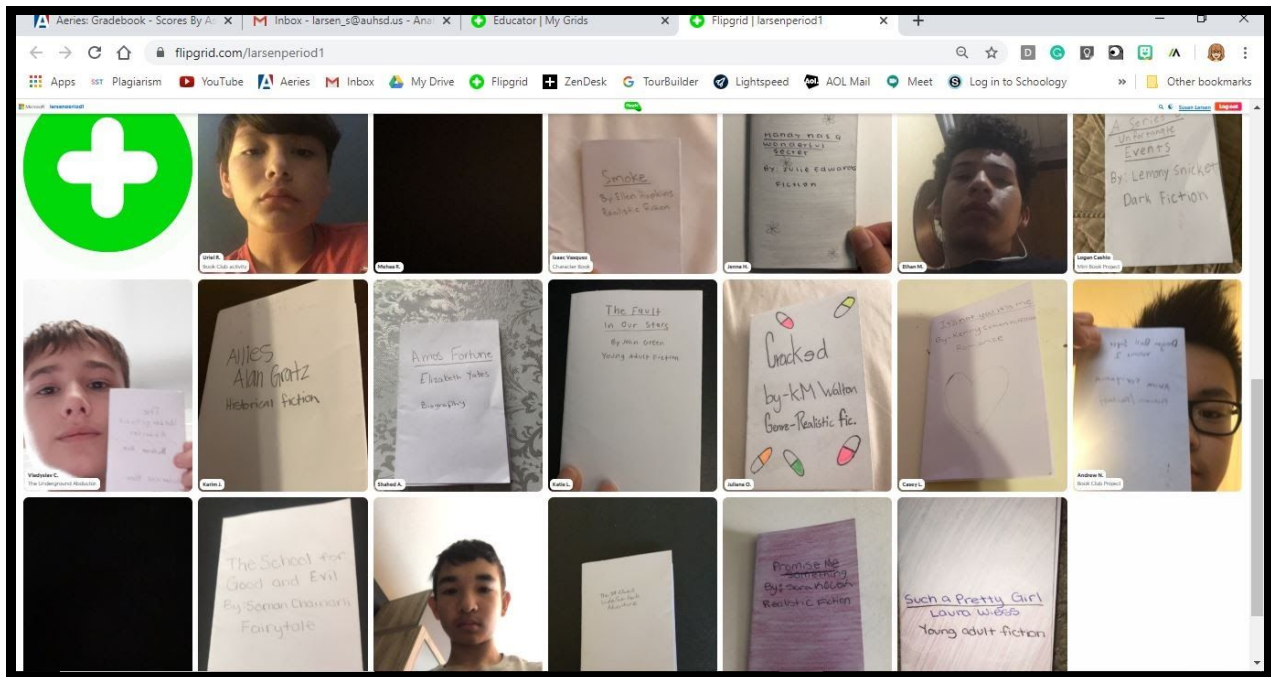


It soon spread to Europe killing an estimated of 30%-60% of their population and reduced the world population from an estimated 475 million to 350-375 million in the 14 century.

The Bubonic Plague requires urgent hospital treatment with strong antibiotics.



Ms Larsen's English classes sharing their project for their SSR book. Some showing character traits...others theme!



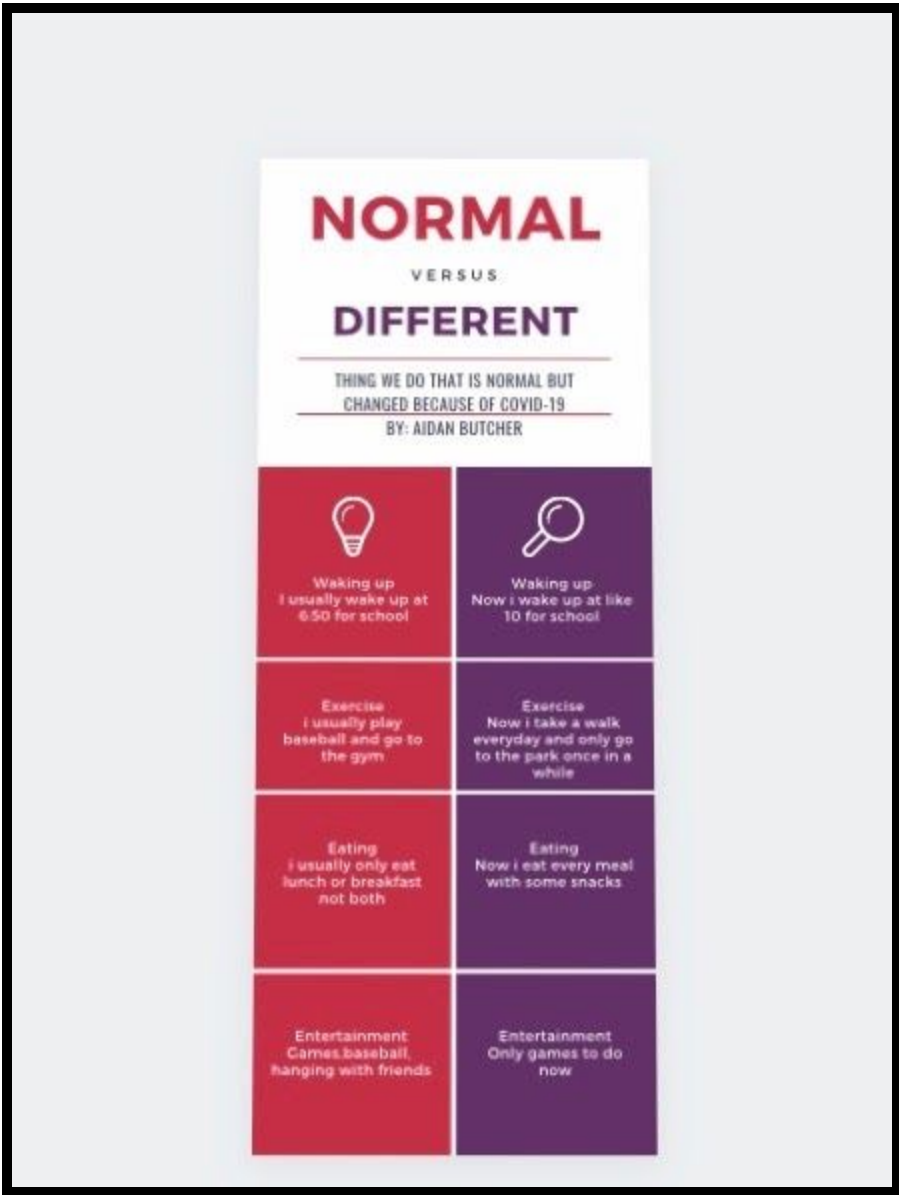
Ms. Sweeney's students have been snapshotting their workouts and activities!



Congratulations to Anthony Safowho who got 3rd place in the OC Science Fair!

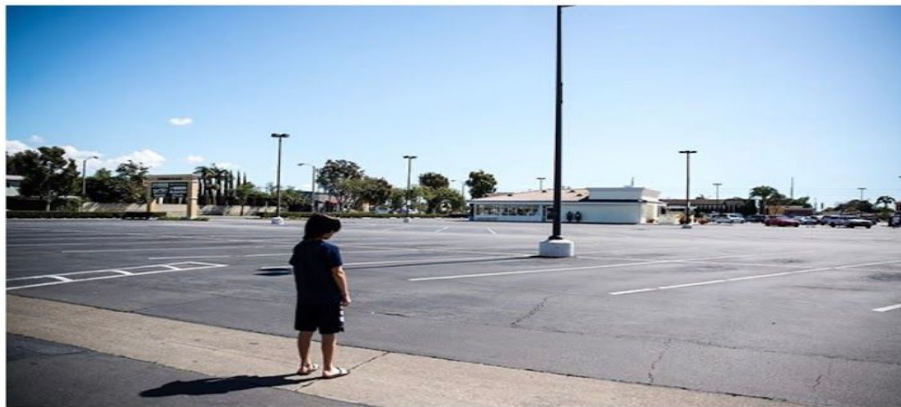


Infographics being made by students capturing this moment in history.



Our very own, Ryan Leong's photo, was featured in the Nation Educational journal, EdSource! Way to go Lions!

Teachers should seize this moment to connect with their students



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APRIL 2, 2020



This is a teachable moment. We are living history today. Now is an opportunity to reflect within the moment.



Our Choir teacher and students put together an awesome performance of What the World Needs Now...is Love. Listen to it on our social media sites!



Administration checked out chromebooks this week to get kids connected!



Announcements and Information for School and District

DURING THE AUHSD & AESD
SCHOOL CLOSURES,
AUHSD FOOD SERVICES
WILL BE OFFERING



Free Meals for Children

18 YEARS AND UNDER, AT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING
LOCATIONS FROM 11:00AM -12:00PM:

Katella High School
Anaheim High School
Sycamore Junior High School
Loara High School
Brookhurst Junior High School
Western High School
Kennedy High School
Ponderosa Elementary School

Sites are subject to change

- **No enrollment or paperwork needed!**
- **Children must be present to receive a meal**
- **Meals are for pick-up only**

**DURING AUHSD & AESD SCHOOL
CLOSURE, AUHSD FOOD SERVICES
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FOODSERVICES

Free Meals for Children

**ALL CHILDREN, 18 YEARS AND UNDER, CAN PICK UP A
MEAL AT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:**

Katella High School - 2200 E Wagner Ave, Anaheim, CA 92806

Anaheim High School - 811 W Lincoln Ave, Anaheim, CA 92805

Sycamore Junior High School - 1801 E Sycamore St, Anaheim, CA 92805

Loara High School - 1765 W Cerritos Ave, Anaheim, CA 92804

Brookhurst Junior High School - 601 N Brookhurst St, Anaheim, CA 92801

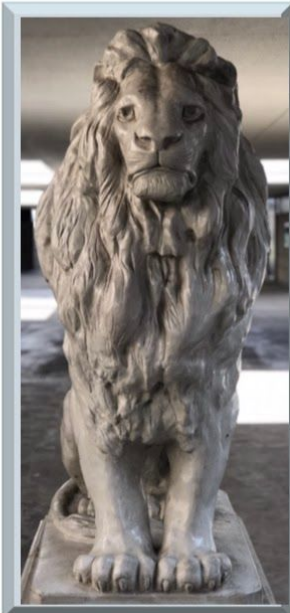
Western High School - 501 S. Western Ave, Anaheim, CA 92804

Kennedy High School - 8281 Walker Street, La Palma, CA 90623

Ponderosa Elementary School - 2135 South Mountain View Ave.
Anaheim, CA 92802

SITES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

- **NO PAPERWORK OR SIGN UPS ARE NECESSARY.**
- **CHILDREN MUST BE PRESENT IN ORDER TO RECEIVE A MEAL.**
- **MEALS WILL BE OFFERED FOR PICK UP ONLY, NO MEALS WILL BE CONSUMED ON-SITE.**



OUR SCHOOL VISION

At Lexington Junior High School, we believe that to be successful educators we must create a high interest level in learning and maintain cross-curricular collaboration with enthusiasm for our subject areas. We are dedicated to maintaining high expectations for ourselves and for our students and to utilizing a variety of instructional strategies so all students are actively engaged in relevant learning and are successful in our classes. We set professional goals annually and frequently re-examine our effectiveness through peer collaboration and the sharing of best practices. Our collaborative and enthusiastic spirit maintains our focus on continuous improvement with the intent to help all students achieve academically and socially at Lexington.

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