



Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to Harpool Middle School and Team 6-1! Thank you for partnering with us as we navigate a new and challenging year! Thank you in advance for your patience as information can sometimes change daily. We will do our very best to keep you informed and updated.

WE ARE SO EXCITED ABOUT STARTING OFF THE YEAR WITH YOU!

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Virtual Learning Information:

Agenda: Check your Canvas Modules, Calendar, Announcements, and your email Inbox daily.

Attendance: Teachers are required to mark students Present or Absent each day they are scheduled. Attendance will be taken daily based on students' completion of assigned work OR sufficient progress as follows:

1. Student progress in Canvas Learning platform (working in canvas)
2. Progress via student / teacher interaction (virtual meeting)
3. Completion and submission of assignments (submitting assignments in canvas)

Canvas: Make sure you are signing into Canvas daily to access your classes. You can get to the Canvas link through your Denton ISD [Single Sign On Portal linked on the student page](#)

Chromebooks: Treat Chromebooks with respect and make sure they are **charged** daily.

Grading: Student work will be graded both through Canvas and HAC (Home Access Center grading system), but student's official grades will be posted in HAC. Parents and students can [sign up here](#) to check grades on HAC (online grading system).

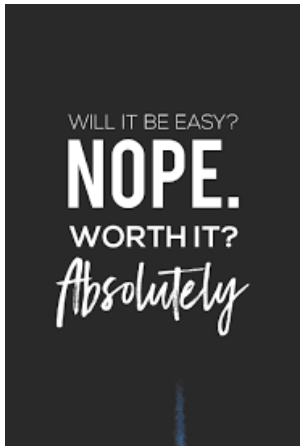
1. Only grades below 90 may reassess one time, for a possible final score of 90.
2. In order to reassess, students must complete all assignments related to the assessment and any additional learning opportunities assigned by the teacher, prior to reassessing.
3. The student must reassess within 4 days of the student receiving the original grade.

Please see the [Harpool Grading Policy](#) for more details.

Phones: During virtual learning, please make sure your phones are not a distraction.

Schedule / School Day: We suggest following your class schedule as you work from home. This will allow for optimal access to your teacher. This will also help minimize issues with grading, attendance, and student teacher communication.

Student / Teacher Communication: Use your Canvas Inbox or teacher email listed above to contact your teachers with questions about assignments.



We are all navigating these new waters together. We are confident that together we will have a great year!

Please, feel free to contact us if there are any questions /concerns and we look forward to working with your child!

TEAM 6-1!