

# TARKIO ELEMENTARY AMI PLAN

## SCHOOL CLOSURE- DISTANCE LEARNING SPECIFICS

Parents and Students,

Below is some specific information regarding what a typical day will look like if we have a closure due to Weather. . If you have any questions, please feel free to contact your classroom teacher, or Mr. Barnes at the school- 660-736-4177 or email at [bardus@tarkio.k12.mo.us](mailto:bardus@tarkio.k12.mo.us)

**ALL SCHOOL CLOSURES WILL BE SENT TO PARENTS UTILIZING THE SCHOOL'S TEXTCASTER/NOTIFICATION SYSTEM. THE SCHOOL WILL ALSO IDENTIFY IF WE WILL BE USING AN AMI-DISTANCE DAY OR NOT:**

### **AMI DAILY PROCEDURES:**

1. Teachers will be using class Remind/Notification Text to communicate with parents regarding expectations for the day.
2. Elementary AMI Packets will be sent home and labeled as AMI Day 1, AMI Day 2, AMI Day 3. These packets will have a math and reading assignment as well as potentially other enrichment or special classes activities. In the event that we have an unplanned AMI day, teachers will identify which packet is to be used.
3. IN THE EVENT we anticipate a closing the next day- SPECIFIC WORK may be sent home for students to work on with specific instructions.
4. Class Meet Time- At 9:00 daily grades 3,4,5 may have a virtual meeting through google classroom. While the Google Meet Session will start at the same time each day, the duration of the meeting will be different each day. -Teachers will provide their direct instruction and lessons for the day during that session. Once the direct instruction is done, students will be able to sign off and work on their homework for the day. IF students have questions they may message, email or google meet individually with the teacher for the duration of the morning in order to get questions answered.
5. Parents are encouraged to help reach out to teachers with any questions or concerns they may have and to engage as much as they can with their student's learning!
6. It is the expectation that all 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students who are able to log into Google Meet meetings with teachers each day at the appropriate time. IF you do not have the ability for your child to log into a google meet with their teacher, please be sure to remind text the teacher and indicate that they cannot sign in. Be sure to assign your child the appropriate AMI Packet or specific daily work.
7. It is the expectation that all K,1,2 teachers communicate with their parents via remind to set the expectations for the day. Teachers of these grades will be available via remind text and email to answer any questions parents may have.
8. The AMI work will NOT take the place of the in person educational experience and will consist of review work. New concepts will not be taught during an AMI Day.
9. Specific information from your student's teacher will be sent home in a letter to better give you an idea of what to expect for each specific grade level.
10. Assigned work will be expected to be turned in the following day. The work will be graded. In addition, this is how we take attendance for the AMI Day. Student's whose work is not completed will receive 0's and students will be counted as an unexcused absence for that AMI Day.
11. IF we are anticipating a closure the next day due to a weather forecast, a different AMI Packet may be sent home with your child the day before. Devices may be sent home depending on the situation.