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## **GAUGER-COBBS MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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Good Evening Gauger Families,

I wanted to reach out to our families to let you know about the delay in the delivery of technology devices for our district. Every student at Gauger Cobbs will receive a Chromebook. When the anticipated delivery arrives, we will deploy them immediately. The advisory teachers will be in contact on Thursday with login information and we ask that you please or complete the technology survey on our district website to inform us of your needs. (if you haven't already done so)

Educating every student during this challenging time remains our priority. If the delay in the delivery of our devices impacts your ability to participate in remote learning, you will not be held accountable for the work or time missed. Once our delivery arrives, we will offer programming and extra time for assignments to be completed.

We are in the process of creating lesson plans for the opening week that will be posted on the school website(can be printed) and will also be available for pickup at the school. In addition, if your child has a personal device they will be able to login to the sessions via their tablet, IPAD, iPhone, and personal computer until we can distribute a new school device to your child. We will have a dial-in option via phone for your child to join the Zoom lesson for all 6th-grade students.

We appreciate your understanding and flexibility as we work to secure additional devices during this global pandemic. We will reach with more detailed information when our devices arrive.

We have received many inquiries about students who had broken devices from last school year. We do not have replacement devices at this time. However, our technology department is recording your requests and we will follow up in the upcoming days. It is our goal to support all students with technology as soon as we have them in hand. We look forward to partnering with you as we open for virtual learning.

Sincerely,

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