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Ya'at'eeh To'Hajiilee Parents,

We would like to share some important information as we come upon the month of May.

PARTICIPATION

Because of the school closure for the rest of the school year by order of the State of New Mexico and the Navajo Nation due to the COVID-19 pandemic, TCS has adopted distance learning so that students can safely complete their classes for school year 2019-20. All TCS students must participate in some form either through completion of packets, text, email and/or by ZOOM/Google meetings or other online program as specified by their teacher(s). We want your child to be successful in completing their class(es). Non-participation will result in a student receiving "No Credit" for this semester of school year 2019-20 and the possibility of repeating that grade or class. Please notify TCS at (505) 908-2426 if you have a different phone number or address than what we have on file so that it can be updated. Please contact your child's teacher to get assignments up to date. You may obtain this information from the school.

EXTENDED SCHOOL CALENDAR:

TCS will officially extend school year for two weeks effective May 21st to June 5th, 2020 to make up instructional hours for students. Students will continue with distance learning platform with their respective teachers up to June 5th, 2020.

SENIOR CLASS

- Senior Graduation will be postponed due to NM Governor and Navajo Nation President's Office stay-at-home order.
- Secondary teachers - keep in contact with seniors regarding their classwork. Mrs. Carlton-McQueen is also contacting senior students to continue to support them with academic needs and also providing next step plans after they graduate.

ONE SCHOOL, ONE BOOK

TCS will furnish the paperback book "The BFG" by R. Dahl to start a book club for family household to promote literacy for 20 minutes a day. Reading will support students by helping them to develop vocabulary and reading comprehension skills as part of Language Arts via distance learning.

Sincerely,



Willinda Castillo
Chief School Administrator