

## Parent Resources for Extended Absence & Remote Learners

### **PowerSchool**

- Tips:
  - Check the PowerSchool gradebook with your student.
  - Take time to visit with your student about their grade and also the assignments they are working on.
  - If your student is taking an Edgenuity course, the student's updated "Actual Grade" will be listed, but for individual assignment scores, see information below in the Edgenuity section.
  - If you see an "I" for incomplete assignments, this means the student has not submitted the work and it could turn into an "F". Act quickly on incompletes by encouraging your student to email their teacher and work on that activity at home as soon as possible.
- Set yourself up to view PowerSchool Gradebook and receive notifications to your email/phone:
  - [PowerSchool Help for Parents](#)

### **Google Sites**

- Check out our LCHS Google Sites Page to find course information and resources.
  - <https://sites.google.com/lewiscentral.org/titans-lchs/home>

### **Google Classroom**

- Tips:
  - Ask your student to login to Google Classrooms and show you Announcements and Assignments. If you see Assignments that are darker in color, that means it is either coming up due soon or could be past due. Have them click on that assignment. Do you notice "Missing" or "Late"

written by an assignment? Work “Turned in” will be grayed out in the assignment list.

- Take time to see the quality of work your child is submitting by clicking on an assignment to “View” it. Notice and talk with the student about the assignment and how they are doing on their classwork.
- Note: A student can “Turn in” blank work, so it is a good idea to click on student work submitted to see what they did in fact turn in for homework.
- Set up Google Classroom Notifications to your email/phone:
  - Would you like to receive email notifications of your child’s upcoming assignments and missing work? Ask for your child’s teacher to “Invite” you to join their Google Classroom.

## Edgenuity

- Tips:
  - Your child should log on every day during their class hour and in addition to that time to stay on target with due dates.
  - You can see if your student is on track with their deadlines by asking your student to log-on to Edgenuity, click on a course and click on their “**Course Report.**” An up-to-date list of their due dates and how they are doing on those assignments will be available to you.
  - If your student is behind progress, spending extra time outside of class time and on the weekends will help them catch up! Due dates don’t accrue on weekends, so that is an easy time to do extra and make gains in progress.
- [Edgenuity Help for Families: Guidance + Tips for Virtual Learning](#) (scroll to the video underneath this heading name).
- [Monitoring Your Student’s Progress](#)

- Ask for your student's teacher to set you up for scheduled progress emails or the parent portal (so you can see detailed information about the student's work progress and login time whenever you like).

### **General Tips/Resources**

- Example Questions to ask your Extended Absence / Remote Learner --
  - What did you focus on today?
  - What did you accomplish today?
  - How does what you learned today connect with what you learned yesterday?
  - Did you find anything challenging / difficult today?
  - What did you do to overcome or work through that challenge?
  - How do you feel about the work you did today, yesterday, this week?
  - What will you work on next?
  - What is something you can improve? How will you do that tomorrow?
  - What is something you did well?
- Encourage your child to check their email daily.
- Have parent/student check-in conversations daily (use questions or suggestions from above).
- Make school work / homework time a routine at home.
- For questions about schoolwork or your student's learning, contact the teacher right away.
  - [School Directory](#)

### **Technology Support and Assistance**

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