

Principal's Report

May 6th 2020

- Online learning is in full swing. Lots of learning around technology and navigating the delicate dance of trying not to overwhelm families. Focus has been to go slow, connect and have various approaches depending on the needs of our families
- We have provided increased support for those students who are vulnerable or at risk
- Office 365 and FreshGrade have been the key platforms we have been using
- Support from non-enrolling teachers is increasing to meet various needs in classrooms
- Laptops have been given out to families to support on-line learning.
- We are currently in Stage 4, as stated by the Ministry (most learning is at home, with some face to face learning taking place in schools.
- We are moving towards Stage 3, where we are increasing face to face interaction, in particular for those in K-5, and those needing it in gr. 6/7. (Slow process, safety first)
- Welcome to K – currently on hold, with discussions around how this could look
- Grade 7 year end celebrations – discussions are happening on how this could look differently this year
- Refunds on field trips are being processed
- Tennis has been tentatively rebook for next school year (September)
- Interims – May 15th (Survey sent out, Comment on FreshGrade)
- Colebrook Connects – Staff is initiating ways to connect with the community
- Virtual Talent Show – coming soon!

Other:

- Beginning to look at ways to send home student belongings from the school