

Friday, Sept 4, 2020

Hello Virtual Families!

Our first FULL WEEK is coming to an end. We've all learned a lot! So proud of you ALL!

This is going to be quite a bit of information. PLEASE take the time to read, investigate, and understand so that we can all be on the same page with this journey! :)

- EVERY STUDENT needs to be receiving my REMIND notices. I cannot stress the importance of this for communication purposes. Set the notices to be received at an email address and/or mobile device. Students under age 13 will have limited access, but will still be able to RECEIVE reminders.
- EVERY PARENT needs to be receiving my REMIND notices. Again, the notices can be set to be received at an email address and/or mobile device.

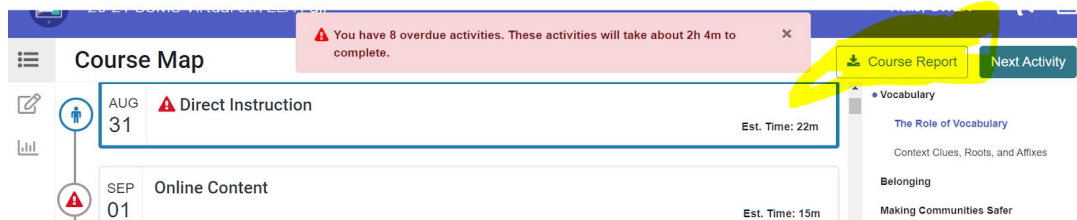
REMIND Join Links:

Ms. Phelps (8th) <https://www.remind.com/join/3f4kca>

Ms. Sztanya (7th) <https://www.remind.com/join/mrsszta>

Ms. Marshall (6th) <https://www.remind.com/join/fckekhh>

- Students should be logging on and working every day on their coursework. When they click anywhere on a course tile, they can access the "Course Report" for that particular class. (see yellow highlighted in picture below). The "Course Report" will give a detailed description of DAILY expectations of lessons to be completed in order for students to stay on pace and on track. Doing well on activities/assignments AND keeping on pace is what every student goal should be.



Notice in **PINK** there's an alert that says how many overdue activities this student has and an approximation of how long it will take for the student to get back on track. In THIS case the student started working on this course on FRIDAY (Sept 4) when the official START DATE was MONDAY (Aug 31). So, they started 5 days late. NOT BEING CAUGHT UP WITH THE DAILY EXPECTATIONS WILL AFFECT YOUR "Actual" GRADE. **The "Actual" grade is the one that will be used for your Midterm grades and your 9 Week Term grades.** Today you will note that your student view of course grades no longer says "Overall". It now says "Actual". That will let you know what to expect at midterm and at the end of each 9 week grading period. For more clarification on the different grade types and the student experience, please watch the tutorial videos again. I'm including the links here so you don't have to go looking for them. :)

Student Experience Tutorial

<https://www.edgenuity.com/student-experience/>

Grade Types Explained

<https://youtu.be/4InbTwbu1CY>

Message us with any questions!

Sincerely,

Ms. Phelps

Ms. Sztanya

Ms. Marshall