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Historic, 2019-2020 school year comes to a close

As the 2019-2020, history-making school year comes to a close, we would like to take this time to recognize the outstanding achievements of our students, educators, and parents. Little did we know on Friday, March 13, that we would not be returning to our schools this year.

Teachers redesigned their “classrooms” in a matter of days. Students adjusted to the new normal, and parents rose to the challenge of supporting their children through three months of Remote Learning. We are well aware this was no easy feat, and we cannot thank all of you enough for your efforts to make this work. We are so proud to be part of this incredible Ocean community.

While we work to prepare for school in September, we want to provide students with learning resources they may access over the summer. We are launching the Spartan’s Online Learning Library, which includes learning videos and other online tools students may access. It is our hope that these resources help reinforce standards and skills.

In addition, we are hosting a variety of summer bridge programs at each level and required summer assignments will be available on our school website. Those assignments have also been distributed by the teachers.

Our Summer Reading activities were announced in last week’s newsletter. Once again, we encourage

families to make reading a priority and take advantage of the reading resources we shared.

We also wanted to let you know that we will continue to provide food throughout the summer just as we did during Remote Learning. The food distribution this summer begins on June 29th and will take place every Monday and Wednesday from 9-11AM.

The Reopening Task Force will continue to meet throughout the summer. We expect to receive official guidance from the Department of Education this week, and the Task Force will use that guidance to design our reopening plan.

Congratulations to all our 4th graders who will

be moving on to TOIS. The clap-outs and celebrations last week were terrific. We look forward to celebrating our 8th and 12th grade graduates at in-person graduation ceremonies in July.

Please see the links below for additional information, and reach out to us with any questions you may have. Once again, we thank every one for their tireless efforts, and wish all of you a safe, healthy, enjoyable summer.

[Letter from the Superintendent](#)

[Spartans Online Learning Library](#)

[Summer Assignments](#)

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