March 31, 2020

Dear students and families,

Tomorrow, the teachers and staff at ARISE academy will join the rest of the teaching team in Queen Anne’s County on our new endeavor of Continuity of Learning. Students will be receiving daily learning activities from their teachers through Google Classroom and email. Students should read each assignment carefully, complete the assigned activities, and make sure that it is turned in to teachers for feedback.

If a student is currently enrolled in an online course, they should also login to that program on a daily basis and complete at least 45 minutes worth of assignments. I am finalizing a hard copy of each assignment for parents and students to have as a reference. I will be dropping them off at student homes on Wednesday. All activities SHOULD BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY unless there are internet or computer issues that occur. In those cases, students should take pictures of their completed written assignments and email them to the appropriate teacher.

Both teachers and students enter into this new phase of learning with a level of uncertainty. Please know that we will do everything we can to make this a positive, successful, learning experience for students. If there are questions, each teacher will make themselves available electronically to students at the given hours below. Please understand that these hours may be adjusted as we move forward and also know that teachers will check email at other times during the day.
As always, do not hesitate to contact me with questions or concerns.

Respectfully,
Kevin C. Kintop
Program Director

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