



August 27, 2020

Dear Cadman Scholars and Families,

Welcome to our 2020-2021 school year. We are ready to begin our year of Online Learning on August 31, 2020. The start of school brings excitement, energy, enthusiasm and for us at Cadman with Eagle Pride. If you are a family new to us at Cadman, we are excited to meet you and get to know you and your hopes and dreams for this year. If you are a family returning to Cadman, we are ready to continue our connections with you as you share your hopes and dreams for this year. This will be a year we remember for the rest our lives. We are making history and as a community at Cadman will stretch our Eagle Wings and SOAR.

As a school team, we are prepared to support, assist and create the space for all of our learners and families to thrive. School begins for scholars on August 31st. Your classroom teacher will reach out to you with how to get in touch with daily zoom lessons. This year families can expect:

- A six-hour school day with customized learning experiences for each TK-5th grade scholar.
- Our school day at Cadman while we are online will be from 9:00-3:30.
- Each classroom teacher and support provider will send out school day and support schedules.
- All scholars will have daily, live interaction with their teachers via video conferencing
- Custom learning experiences will be based on scholar's needs and will include daily live, online instruction (up to three hours), independent learning (up to 2 hours), working with other scholar's in small groups or participating in educator office hours (at least one hour).
- All elementary scholars will receive instruction in reading, writing, mathematics, science, social studies, physical education and the arts.
- Scholars will receive grades to measure their progress.
- Each grade level will use Seesaw or Google Classroom as their learning platform.

We are ready to embark on this journey with each of you. Your contribution to our community at Cadman is essential for our collective success of our scholars. We know this year will have twists and turns and together we will figure them out. We will remain flexible, have grace and patience, breathe and most of all remember that learning is exciting, fun and filled with joy. Let's SOAR into the 2020 school year.

With Eagle Pride,
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