



Barnum Public Schools

Distance Learning

Attendance Plan

It is the student's right to be in school. It is also the student's responsibility to attend class every day that school is in session. Beginning March 30, Barnum Public Schools will be implementing distance learning. Students will be expected to participate in 2-4 hours of daily learning experiences provided by licensed teaching staff. During distance learning, teachers will be checking in with students a minimum of once a day. Attendance will be taken based on student participation through online platforms, weekly check-ins and work submission. Teachers will be informing district staff if more than 5 days have gone by without communication with the student/family. The following procedures are in place to ensure that the student is supported during distance learning and attending daily to expected learning tasks.

Step #1	Step #2
If a student/family has not been engaged in learning or in contact with the licensed teaching staff within 5 days; <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School principals, social workers, school counselors, and truancy officers will be notified to make contact with the family.	If the school personnel is unsuccessful with connecting to families; <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Home visits may be considered.

The goal of Barnum Public School is to ensure that ALL students within Barnum Public Schools receive an equitable education and have equal access to learning and instruction through appropriate educational materials and interaction with a licensed teacher(s). It is also the responsibility of the student's parent/guardian to ensure the student is attending school. It is the teacher's responsibility to work cooperatively with the student's parent/guardian and the student to solve any engagement issues, such as digital access to content, that may arise.

Please contact your school principal if you have any questions or concerns about distance learning. We want to make sure all students are supported during this time.

We're all in this together!