



GEORGE - LITTLE ROCK
MUSTANGS

George – Little Rock Middle School/Elementary Announcements
Tuesday, March 17, 2020

ASAP SCHEDULE:

Monday, March 16 – No ASAP

Tuesday, March 17 – No ASAP

Wednesday, March 18 – No School

Thursday, March 19 – No School

Due to the Covid 19 virus, the George-Little Rock schools will be closed this Wednesday, March 18 to Tuesday, March 31. On March 27, the administration will reevaluate the situation if it is better or not to determine if we return to school or extend the closure period. Thank you, Pat O'Donnell

Public Health is strongly encouraging all Lyon County residents, to follow these guidelines for the next 2 weeks. We need our student population to limit groups of friends in the same area at this time, we need social distancing, and illness prevention. Illness spreads very fast whether a cold, influenza or the current virus we are working to prevent in our County. All of Lyon County wants to see our county be COVID-19 Free and Public Health needs every family and community member to do their part! Melissa M. Stillson, RN, Public Health Administrator, Health Services of Lyon County

Lyon County Conservation is cancelling all public/school/library/etc. programs for the month of March. We will access again in April. Any questions please call or email. Emily Ostrander, Lyon County Naturalist, Office (712)472-2217, Cell (712)739-0315, lccbnaturalist@lyoncountyiowa.com

MUSTANG APPAREL SALES: Mustang Apparel is available to order on the school website. Go to <https://george-littlerock.org/order-mustang-gear/> to view the catalog and designs for this year. If you have six or fewer items in your order, you may order online following the link. Otherwise, you can print out the order form attached at the above address or pick up an order form in the office of any of district's buildings. This catalog and designs will be up all year.

PARENT/STUDENT COMMUNICATION: We appreciate the convenience of personal cell phones and text messaging, but we would ask that students come to the office to call their parent when they are feeling ill and need to go home.

STUDENT ATTENDANCE:

- ▶ Daily, punctual attendance is an integral part of the learning experience and is required of all students to receive the maximum benefit of the educational program.
- ▶ When sickness or family obligation necessitates an absence; parents shall notify the school in advance or at the time of the event with a telephone call, a note or a personal conversation with the building principal or the office secretary. If the school has not been contacted by 9:00 A.M., the school will attempt to call on the day of the absence. Upon the student's return to school, the parent is to send a note with the student stating the reason for the absence. The student shall have two (2) days to make-up school work for each day absent, up to a maximum of five make-up days.
- ▶ Where absence is planned; make-up work shall be finished before the absence occurs. Students are to notify teachers and the office at least five (5) days before the scheduled absence.
- ▶ Students absent for partial days must also report to the office upon their return to school. Reporting to the office will prevent students from being counted absent for the full day. Students must report to the office before leaving the building for ANY reason.
- ▶ Students participating in school activities must be in school the whole day on the day of the event to participate in a school activity. Only in extraordinary circumstances, may this rule be waived by the principal.

WEATHER RELATED ANNOUNCEMENTS: The following TV and Radio Stations will carry our weather related announcements: **TV Stations** KELO –TV; KTIV-TV; KSFY-TV; KMEG-TV; KCAU-TV **Radio Stations** KIWA - 105.3; K101 - 101.1; K1HK - 106.9; KNWC - 96.5; KUOO - 103.9

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