

POMS FAQ

1. **Will students receive a report card?** Yes, students will receive a report card for the 3rd nine weeks. The report card will be completed in May for the period of January 23rd through March 13th.
2. **Will students be promoted to the next grade level?** Students who passed their courses based on the first three marking periods will move to the next grade level.
3. **What if my child had a failing grade for a class based on the last report card?** Students will be offered credit recovery. After the report cards are finalized, you will receive a call with your options for remediation.
4. **What about my field trip money?** If you wrote a check or sent cash for your child's field trip, it will be returned to you. If you sold a fundraiser product, the profit will move to the next grade level.
5. **When will learning packets be delivered again?** Learning packets will be delivered on May 5th, May 19th, and June 2nd. Pick up at the school will also be an option. Completed packets can be turned in on delivery days.
6. **What schedule do the busses use to deliver packets?** The busses leave the middle school at a time that is shared through our messaging system. It takes approximately an hour and a half to go to all the stops. It is not a 2-hour delay schedule, just a window of time that varies based on the number of students at a stop receiving materials.
7. **Will there be another chance to pick up my child's belongings and drop off school books?** Yes, we plan to offer more times, and you will be notified by our messaging system.
8. **Why am I not getting the one calls/texts or emails from the middle school?** You may have selected to receive only one of the three options. Please contact our technology department, 342-7322, to set up or check your preferences. You can also select the link on the P-O webpage under quick links to update your information.
9. **How do I find out about teachers' zoom session?** Check your email, student's email, or teacher web pages for information. You can also email teachers for specific information. Zoom sessions are held weekly.
10. **Does my child have to participate in the zoom sessions or complete the learning packets?** Students are highly encouraged, but not required to participate in any or all of our learning opportunities. Students who do participate will get a participation grade.
11. **What does my child have to do to get a participation grade?** Students have to participate in zoom sessions or complete learning packets. There is no limit or minimum requirement to get a participation grade. We highly encourage you to take advantage of all the options that suit your needs.
12. **What is next in the area of instruction?** We will be using the online learning platform called Odysseyware through Edgenuity. This program will provide online instruction in the areas of reading, math, social studies and science. Participation is highly encouraged, but not required. More information will be provided when it is operational.

Please note that information and guidance from the Pennsylvania Department of Education are received often and could result in changes with our programs. Most importantly, we wish for everyone's health and safety during this time.

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