

Clarion-Limestone Area School District



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Flexible Instructional Day (FID) Information

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Clarion-Limestone Area School District has been approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Education to provide our students with up to five Flexible Instructional Days (FIDs). These days will count toward the state requirement of 180 instructional days and will not require any changes to the board-approved school calendar.

As we approach the winter season, please note that the administration plans to use the three built-in snow make-up days before utilizing any FIDs. After those three snow days are used, the district will begin implementing FIDs to avoid extending the school year or changing the graduation date.

Examples of situations when a FID may be used include:

Snow, power outages, flooding, water leaks, or other emergencies resulting in a one-day school closure.

How will Flexible Instructional Days work at Clarion-Limestone?

High School/Middle School Procedures

High school students will have their Chromebooks and chargers at home. They have been instructed to take them home every night. If there is anticipation of a one-day closure, an announcement will be made to remind all students to take their laptops and chargers home that evening.

Students will check their assignments on Google Classroom and complete the assigned work. Daily attendance will be based on assignment completion — students must complete their assignments to be counted as present.

Teachers will be available through email throughout the day to answer questions and support students as needed.



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Elementary Procedures (Grades K-5)

If a FID day is a possibility:

- Students in grades 4–5 will take their Chromebooks and chargers home.
- Students in grades K-3 will be given paper packets to complete.

Students will check their assignments on Google Classroom (grades 4–5) or complete their FID packets (grades K–3).

Daily attendance will be based on assignment completion — students must complete their assignments to be counted as present.

Teachers and paraprofessionals will be available throughout the day to assist students and families. Parents and students can contact teachers via ClassDojo or email with any questions or concerns.

We appreciate your continued support and cooperation as we work to keep students engaged and learning during inclement weather or other unexpected school closures.

Sincerely,

Clarion-Limestone Area School District Administration