

## John Jay HS Physical Education



Dear John Jay Community,

This communication is in an effort to reach out to our students, and their families during these difficult and unprecedented times. The WCSD has made the decision to move forward with a “distance learning” model which will transition us towards new procedures, and policies. The Physical Education department has been collaborating in an effort to make this transition seamless, and clearly communicate our expectations as well as the best means of communication for parents and students to use with their specific teachers.

Each teacher has a link to their own personal site on the John Jay HS webpage under the “teachers” tab, and these pages will have access to the google codes necessary for each student to join their Google Classrooms. Each physical education teacher has 11 different classes, so students must know the correct period of the day along with the corresponding “Odd or Even” day of the school cycle. These google classrooms will be used, and by this Friday, April 3rd, will offer our Distance Learning P.E. Activity Log which allows teachers to track each student’s progress and expresses our expectations. In addition to the Google classroom codes, each teacher website and google classroom will have information specific to that teacher regarding contact information, and corresponding times for best availability.

We understand that these are challenging times, and we are all in uncharted waters with so many new adaptations to deliver and receive distance learning. Most importantly we want our students and their families to know we are here to support and guide this process and we anticipate a learning curve for both teachers and students with regard to this entire process.

Upon receiving this letter we ask each family to visit the John Jay Website at <https://www.wappingersschools.org/Domain/1118>, find the “teachers” tab in the top right, and locate their physical education teachers name, which will direct you to their individual site. There you should see corresponding google classroom codes which will allow you access to join. By Friday, April 3rd, the google classrooms will have our Activity Log Assignment issued in 2 weeks increments while we all await further information regarding the extent and duration of our School’s closure. We ask that everyone join their respective classrooms before then.

Beginning Friday April 3rd, our Physical Education staff will be able to make themselves available for "DISTANCE" office hours and assistance by appointments Mon-Fri between the hours of 7:30am-2:30pm. Please email your teacher directly if you would like to set up a meeting. **Be SAFE, & Be ACTIVE!**

Sincerely, the John Jay HS Physical Education Department

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