



Respect

Caring

Responsibility

Integrity

April 13<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> , 2020

**Distance Learning - WOW!**  
**Word of the Week: Adapt**  
**Palabra de la Semana: Adaptarse**



***CNG Core Values: Responsibility, Integrity***

**Adapt:** To adjust oneself to different conditions and environments.  
To modify or make suitable as required.

**Adaptarse:** Adaptarse a diferentes condiciones y entornos.  
Para modificar o hacer adecuado según sea necesario.

***How are CNG ES students, teachers, and families learning to adapt to Distance Learning?***  
***¿Cómo aprenden los estudiantes, maestros y familias de CNG ES a adaptarse al aprendizaje a distancia?***

Please ask students to email their virtual, 'post-its' about this new WOW – **Adapt/Adaptarse** to  
Ms. Cruckshank: [michelle.cruckshank@cng.edu](mailto:michelle.cruckshank@cng.edu)



## **SHOUT-OUT! Recognizing Word Of the Week Contributor for Mindset/Mentalidad**

*Thank you to Roman for his wise words about Mindset:*

### **From Roman, E-5**

“I have a great mindset when I do my tests and I finish strong.”

## **Condor Activities Starting Again**

Official paid Condor Activities will begin again after Semana Santa following the schedule below:

- CONDOR ES Music and Dance Classes - 7:00 to 7:50 am
- CONDOR PS Activities from 3:00 to 3:50 pm
- CONDOR ES Activities from 4:00 to 4:50 pm
- CONDOR MS and HS Activities from 4:00 to 4:50 pm

## **Principal's Project Extended**

This is an optional project. We had some responses, but nearly as many as we can if we all make an effort this week! You don't have to participate but we hope you will! The idea is to write thank you letters and notes, in Spanish, to send to Medical Workers and First Responders (Military, Firefighters, Paramedics, and Police Officers) in Bogota. These are the people who go to work every day to help keep us safe and healthy. This project is in alignment with CNG Core Values, and also reminds us to have gratitude and appreciation for others during this difficult time!

Following is a the link to the **Principal's Project on the new ES Resources Website:** (also sent out last week): <https://www.esdresources.com/principal-s-project>



## **NEW - ES Website has Many Resources (from Ms. Shannon and Ms. Krisy)**

The following is from Shannon Coyne and Krystina Yeager, our ES Librarian and Tech Teacher. Please join me in thanking them for this amazing HUB of information and resources for our ES community. It is a work in progress, but does (and will) provide many resources as we navigate the world of Distance Learning!

Welcome to the [One-Stop Shop Website](#), created for Digital Learning resources for our CNG elementary community and beyond. It's in Phase 1 of development so please bookmark this valuable tool and check back often as it will be updated frequently. You'll find videos, games, and activities for students, parents, and teachers. See lists below for a few ideas.

Currently, we are highlighting information to help build a solid foundation for online learning. In weeks to come we'll feature timely tips and resources. During our Tech/Library virtual meetings we will be using this site as a tool with students and encouraging them to interact with the website. Please feel free to share ideas and suggestions in our feedback form located on the Home Page. We would love to hear from you!

As another helpful tool, we created a [Virtual Class Meeting Directory](#). This directory includes links for all Specialists, Spanish/SNL, and Home Room Teachers, listed by grade level and HR teacher.

Happy Exploring!

### **WEBSITE HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **STUDENTS**

- Physical movement activities
- Coding challenges
- Digital citizenship games
- Mindfulness
- Ebooks and Audiobooks

#### **PARENTS**

- How to set parental controls on your digital devices
- Parental monitoring software suggestions
- Home learning tips
- Digital citizenship information
- How-to-videos

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CNG COMMUNITY NEWS



## Amazing Counselors!

**Ms. Adri:** I have 4<sup>th</sup> grade, and my 3rd grade students are in: Carla Marshall, Karla Sanchez and Rose Van' classrooms.  
<https://classroom.google.com/c/Njl4Njg1NzE5NzBa>



**Ms. Moni:** I have 5<sup>th</sup> grade and my 3rd grade students are in: Katie Cuny, Katherine Bucherati and David Saranchuk's classrooms  
<https://classroom.google.com/u/0/c/Njl4NzA0NDc1Nzda>

## Coffee Chat this Week

We will be hosting a ZOOM Coffee Chat for parents this Thursday. Please look for a Skyward message on Monday with the meeting link. We hope you can join: **Thursday April 16<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am.** All grade levels are welcome. Hope to see you then! (will also be sent on Skyward Tuesday 4/14)

Michelle Cruckshank is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/96329934596?pwd=OWdLTktJdmIMYIZFa1IxdXlyZGFSQT09>

Meeting ID: 963 2993 4596

Password: 7r5A7U



## UPCOMING EVENTS

April 16 ZOOM Coffee Chat for ES Parents, 8:00am  
April 13-17 MS 6th grade registration materials will be sent to 5<sup>th</sup> grade families;  
Ms. Barker will meet with students in 5<sup>th</sup> grade classes



## ONLINE RESOURCES

CNG Distance Learning Hub:  
<https://libguides.cng.edu/c.php?g=1007782>  
[Google Classroom](#) (English)  
[Google Meet](#) (English)  
[CommonSense.org](https://www.commonsense.org/)  
CNG's [Acceptable Use Policy](#)