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September 7-11, 2020

- C**reating the highest-quality learning programs (virtual, hybrid, face-to-face);
- N**avigating each challenge using our four Core Values as our compass; and
- G**uaranteeing our commitment to the health and well-being of everyone.

## **Elementary School 6-Day Rotation Cycle** **September 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>, 2020: Daily Rotation**

7 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>	9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup>
<b>M</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>Th</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>W</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>

### **Self-Directed Afternoon Choice Activities**

*Have you seen the amazing Arts Activities posted by our Art Teacher, Mayayo?* These are part of the, 'Self-Directed Activities,' we are providing for offline fun when students are done with their schoolwork. Thanks to our wonderful ES Specialists' Team for embracing this chance to engage students in new and different ways! Have your student connect here: [ES Self-Directed Offline Activities](#) or through their HR teachers' Google Classroom (can be accessed only with a CNG student/adult account).



## **Connecting with Our Counselors**

Ms. Moni and Ms. Adri will begin their classroom guidance lessons in September. They are focusing on Emotions; which is especially timely important for our students in DL. Here is a letter with more information that you will also receive through Skyward: [ES Counselor's First Lesson 2020-2021](#)

### **Ms. Adri**

<https://zoom.us/j/9966123801?pwd=QWhxd0pRc3Y4MGVOWHdudHh4NmE3QT09>

#### **3rd grade**

Karla Sanchez, Carla Marshall  
Lance McKay

#### **4th grade**

Ashlee Thomas, Devin  
Beaugureau, Richard Hobson)

#### **5th grade**

Avon Anderson, Rachel Thies,  
Dave Saranchuk



### **Ms. Moni**

<https://zoom.us/j/4491217327>

#### **3rd grade**

Katie Cuny, Katie Bucherati,  
Rose Van Grinsven

#### **4th grade**

Molly O'Rourke, Rocio Niño,  
Ben Coleman

#### **5th grade**

Peter Macala, Alyssa LeClaire,  
Luz Angela Puentes

## **Athletic and Condor Activities**

All athletic and Condor Activities are now in motion! We want to thank all the parents and students for committing to staying connected. As mentioned in previous CNG Community News, we will continually collect feedback from students and parents to improve our program during distance learning, hybrid, and the eventual return to on-campus education. An additional thank you to the parents that attended the open dialogue meeting with the Athletics and Condor Activities team. If you did not have the opportunity to attend the meeting, the presentation is available [here](#).  
GO CONDORS!



### **Attendance in DL**

Students are expected to attend all classes with the cameras on and full engagement. We have had reports of students logging in for a couple minutes and then leaving class. We consider this an absence so appreciate your assistance to remind your children to stay in synchronous lessons the entire time with full participation. If students are experiencing technology issues parents should, please, immediately notify the teacher.

### **Traveling Families (at Farms/Fincas) and School Supplies**

We are happy to know that many of our ES families are able to travel outside the city and stay on farms and fincas. Being in the great outdoors is so healthy! If this is your plan, please be sure your ES student has all of the supplies they would normally need for Distance Learning. If you are going in and out of the city, having a school bag available at all times is a must-do!

### **Coffee Chat This Thursday September 10th**

Please join Michelle, Lisa, Monica and Adrianna this week:

**Thursdays, 8/20-9/10 at 8:00am** <https://zoom.us/j/92239483894>

**Meeting ID: 922 3948 389**

### **Last week's Coffee Chat Summary for 9/3**

We had around 40 people join CC last week. There were a lot of great questions and timely information shared. Many of the topics are in this Community News. In addition, we talked about:

- Return to school/Hybrid model remains contingent on decisions of the Colombian Ministry of Education, and the CNG Board of Directors.
- Student agendas are done and will be delivered by the printing company in the next few days.
- Math Workbooks are being organized for home delivery this week.
- We are in the process of interviewing and hiring for a Technology teacher and a 5<sup>th</sup> Grade teacher.
- The IDEA program will administer the Cogat assessment to all new 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> graders later this month.
- Shannon Coyne presented information on returning and checking out library books. We are hopeful that a checkout system will be in place by the end of September. More information to come.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### ONGOING

- Tuesdays and Thursdays: Opportunity Days, 12:30-1:30
- Learning Center Intervention/Support for Students: Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday 1:30-2:30
- IDEA 3rd Grade/Day 3, 4th Grade/Day 4, 5th Grade/Day 5

### September

- 8 First Day – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Religion Class, 2:00-2:45pm
- 10 ES Coffee Chat, 8:00am; Colombian Program Open House, 3:00pm-4:00pm. Link: [PS-ES Colombian Program Open House](#)
- 11 First Day – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Religion Class, 2:00-2:45pm



#### CNG Distance Learning Hub:

<https://libguides.cng.edu/c.php?g=1007782>

#### How to Login to Gmail and Google Classroom (Elementary focus)

<https://youtu.be/a6e4SKItRVE>

#### Parent Tutorial for Google Classroom

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lqS-hoSljnw>

#### Distance Learning Tech Support

Email or Google Hangouts Chat:

César Quintero ([cquintero@cng.edu](mailto:cquintero@cng.edu))

### Accessing ZOOM from different Types of Devices: Helpful Links

Here are some links to videos about the use of Zoom in different devices. Hope it helps!!

[How to Use Zoom with a Mac](#)

[How to Use Zoom with an iPad](#)

[How to Use Zoom with a laptop](#) (start at the 2:13 minute mark)

[How to Use Zoom with a tablet](#) (start at 0:23 minute mark)

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