

# SPARTAN NEWSLETTER

FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS  
FROM THE OFFICE OF TEACHING AND LEARNING  
#SPARTANLEGACY

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## Important Spartan Updates



### Remote Learning Plan PHASE 2 begins April 20, 2020

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Township of Ocean School District  
[www.oceanschools.org](http://www.oceanschools.org)



Governor Murphy has announced that New Jersey schools will remain closed until May 15, 2020. On, Monday, April 20, 2020, the Township of Ocean School District will move into Phase 2 of its Remote Learning Plan. Our Phase 2 Plan represents minor changes intended to improve learning for all students. The changes are a direct result of the feedback we received from parents and staff. In the coming weeks, you will see staff members holding more live video conferences and posting videos to help direct student learning. Please reach out to your child's teacher or school principal if you need any help. Please click on the image above for the full plan.

## Marking Period Grades

Marking period grades are complete and will be available through the Power School Parent Portal at the end of the day today, Friday, April 17. If you need help accessing Power School, please contact your school principal.

## TOIS/OTHS

April 20, 2020

is a  
**RED DAY!**

## SPARTAN CONNECTION

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## Supplemental Learning Resources

We heard you! After reading your comments in our Parent Survey, we will do our best to provide you resources that may help your families at home.

- ◆ Click [Wide Open School](#) for suggestions on life skills, art, music, DIY, emotional well being, and field trips to name a few.
- ◆ NJTV Launches Learning Live—tune in Monday-Friday, 9 –1 (Optimum—Ch. 8, Verizon—23, 523)

## Virtual College Exploration Week

Virtual College Exploration Week takes place April 20-23 and will include over 300 colleges from 45 states and 10 countries. This Expo will include 96 sessions with day and evening options. It will feature a panel presentation on a range of topics for juniors and underclassmen. This free event is open to all students. We highly encourage OTHS juniors to attend. Please visit this [LINK](#) for more information.

## Supporting students on the spectrum

### Autism and the Coronavirus: Resources for Families

The Child Mind Institute has provided a variety of resources to help families during this public health emergency school closure . [CLICK HERE](#) to read more.

## Get lost in a good book

Audible has launched a free listening experience for students and families. They are offering a wide collection of audio books for free. Take a break from the screen and choose a story that interests you. Available in six different languages, this is an excellent resource not only for students but parents too. [CLICK HERE](#) to access their library.

## Teaching & Learning Support

The entire faculty is here to support you. Please reach out to us through email.

[Click HERE for a full list of every staff members' email address.](#)

[Click HERE to access contact information for every administrator.](#)

How else can we help you with Remote Learning? Please contact Kelly Weldon at [kweldon@oceanschool.org](mailto:kweldon@oceanschool.org) OR (732) 531-5600 x3200



## AP Exam Schedule Announced

	12:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
<b>Mon, May 11</b>	Physics C: Mechanics	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	United States Government and Politics
<b>Tues, May 12</b>	Latin	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Human Geography
<b>Wed, May 13</b>	Physics 2: Algebra-Based	English Literature and Composition	European History
<b>Thurs, May 14</b>	Spanish Literature and Culture	Chemistry	Physics 1: Algebra-Based
<b>Fri, May 15</b>	Art History	United States History	Computer Science A
<b>Mon, May 18</b>	Chinese Language and Culture	Biology	Environmental Science
<b>Tues, May 19</b>	Music Theory	Psychology	Japanese Language and Culture  Italian Language and Culture
<b>Wed, May 20</b>	German Language and Culture	English Language and Composition	Microeconomics
<b>Thurs, May 21</b>	French Language and Culture	World History: Modern	Macroeconomics
<b>Fri, May 22</b>	Comparative Government and Politics	Statistics	Spanish Language and Culture