

TO: WISD parents-guardians-students  
FROM: Staff and Administration  
RE: ALTERNATIVE LEARNING PLAN (week 8)  
DATE: May 11, 2020

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**The number 13 represents the combined energy of the numbers 1 and 3.**

***It is a number with very a strong symbolism and has great power.***

**Number 1 has a vibration of new ideas, new beginnings, progress and individuality, while the number 3 symbolizes passion, motivation, optimism, self-expression, and inspiration.**

We are hopeful that Sunday was a great day for all of those individuals who act as a Mother for their families. We wish you extended health, happiness and continued blessings throughout this month.

Speaking of May, the number thirteen has cropped into our brains. There are only thirteen school days left in this particular month. That's it....13! We can do this, everyone. It is a small time frame, and one last set of hurdles as we move into the first week of June. We will then close out the 2019-20 school year. That in and of itself is much to celebrate, and to be thankful for.

Thirteen is to not be feared. It is to be embraced: it means a new optimism, and progress as we move forward in this period of virtual-remote and alternative learning. It is a time to take a deep breath, and remind everyone around you that they can muscle through this as well. We ask that you encourage your children to finish strong. We want them to be successful, and mindful of the need to complete their work each of these thirteen days. We want them to see the finish line, and need your support to do this.

Thank you for your continued partnership of the endeavors that the WISD staff works to bring to our students and each other. We are grateful for your patience and positivity. We know this is a challenge, and will continue to be until the very end. But, remember, when you are feeling down, and at the point of exhaustion: it is only 13.! Thirteen days until the end of May, and we can face the first week of June with renewed joy and energy. Let's help each other to muster through these thirteen days.

Please use the WISD webpage for your most current and relevant information regarding teaching schedules, student and family information, resources, videos and upcoming events. There are new

**NFL events, a new Creative Stride video, and several new videos that Mike McGowan has created for us to share with you. All of the links are meant to be useful and informative. They are also part of our work to be clear, predictable, and positive during this alternative learning time.**

**Take care and stay well.**