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RFH Community,

The fourth quarter began this week. Your children should have had the opportunity to participate in additional face-to-face video sessions with their teachers, as more than 90% of our teachers were live via Google Hangouts or GoToMeeting during this past week. Additionally, teachers offered office hours today, Friday, April 24, so that students could reach out with individual questions.

All spring state testing has been canceled. However, **Advanced Placement testing begins from home on Monday, May 11, 2020**. Students registered for AP exams in the fall, and should now be receiving information directly from the College Board in order to prepare for the at-home, open-book, 45-minute exam for each AP course that they are enrolled in.

In addition to more video, you should also have noticed the following revisions to online instruction.

- Assignments were **posted by 8:00 AM** on Monday Thursday.
- Assignments were **due at 8:00 PM** (Monday Friday), giving at least 24 hours for each assignment.
- **Fridays** have been reserved for **office hours** so students can meet individually and in small groups with teachers.
- Students received updated syllabi, reflecting changes in the curriculum, assessments and grading for the fourth quarter.

Please reach out to your child's teacher(s) if you have questions about these updates.

At the school, we are collaborating on plans for end of year events and for summer programs, recognizing that we may need to alter plans that we had in place in order to observe social distancing guidelines. We will update the community on May 15, 2020 or earlier, as we receive information about reopening our building. Please access our Student Wellness page at https://www.rumsonfairhaven.org/domain/98, where you can find resources to support our students. Thank you for your continued support as the RFH faculty and staff work to provide students with access to our rigorous curriculum.

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