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| **Staying Connected at Home** |
| **Wednesday, March 25, 2020**  Good Afternoon Lisbon Families,  Hope everyone has taken the time today to enjoy a yummy tasty waffle....yes, I did say waffle! Today is International Waffle Day! So, if you like waffles, please be sure you partake in a delicious treat for yourself! I hope all my Lion friends are staying healthy and well this week.  As we enter the second week of being at home, it may be getting harder to keep children engaged and entertained, while we are all feeling stress and uncertainty.  We are all in this together, during this time, navigating uncharted territory.  Please take care of each other and we all look forward to being together .  **Virtual spirit Day**  Today is "Maryland Day".  Spend some time reading about our state and share a picture of you in your Maryland gear or colors!   You can tag your pics on twitter **@hcpss\_les, adding #LESLions**. We are hoping this is another way to connect with each other during this time of social distancing.  **Thursday, March 26th** is “Reading Day”.  Share a picture of you and what you are reading!  **Friday, March 27th** is “LES Day”.  Be sure to share a picture of you in blue, gold, or spirit wear!    This past week, Mr. Anoff and I did some yard work and took our puppy, Lilly, for walks around our neighborhood.  I would love to see pictures of you and the things you are doing!  Post them on Twitter or send them to me and I will post them!  **Reminder: Digital Resources for Elementary Students**  While HCPSS staff work on a comprehensive distance learning plan, families are reminded that through [https://hcpss.me/](https://nam01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http:%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2FMrFnrmVkAYBp9xx1owT5wQ~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRgXPI-_G75SF2thcmVuX2pvaG5zb25AaGNwc3Mub3JnWAQAAAAB&data=02%7C01%7Ckaren_johnson%40hcpss.org%7C8e9105cdecec4071258608d7d0fafa90%7C96a9ac4c477e4dada2b28ad3fc46790b%7C1%7C0%7C637207648680552437&sdata=rzNTfIyfu3DW5I0f05Wi9PyxFAunqjAuiIkMixOyXGg%3D&reserved=0), students may access the following approved online tools:   * **Canvas**: HCPSS’ learning management system * **MackinVIA**: Provides students access to ebooks and databases * **HC Library:** Provides students access to online resources and content through the Howard County Library System * **Clever:** Provides students with access to approved online apps, browsable by content area * **G Suite:** Allows students to create documents, spreadsheets, and presentations * **WeVideo:** Allows students to engage in video production * **Office 365**: Allows students to create documents, spreadsheets, and presentations, as well as email for secondary students * **Typing Agent:** Students can continue to work on Typing Agent at home. This provides great practice to improve keyboarding skills. * **Wixie:** an online publishing and creativity platform that lets students share what they know through their writing, their voice, and their art. * **DreamBox:**Try using DreamBox through [hcpss.me](https://nam01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http:%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2F-1xzTRLT6YLEdVMSmVbP4A~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRgXPI-P0QRaHR0cHM6Ly9oY3Bzcy5tZS9XB3NjaG9vbG1CCgAAvr57Xpl_G75SF2thcmVuX2pvaG5zb25AaGNwc3Mub3JnWAQAAAAB&data=02%7C01%7Ckaren_johnson%40hcpss.org%7C8e9105cdecec4071258608d7d0fafa90%7C96a9ac4c477e4dada2b28ad3fc46790b%7C1%7C0%7C637207648680562390&sdata=dwMW%2FJfh1Lw4U9lcQN2SjPLBLM6Bxuc88quqV9MV068%3D&reserved=0) under the Clever link. If that works, continue to use that. If that does not work, you can sign-up for DreamBox for 90-day free trial directly through DreamBox.   + **Here is the Link…**. [https://www.dreambox.com/at-home](https://nam01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http:%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2Fm7jbALA0vZ0QKjri66TcfQ~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRgXPI-P4ReA2h0dHBzOi8vbC5mYWNlYm9vay5jb20vbC5waHA__G75SF2thcmVuX2pvaG5zb25AaGNwc3Mub3JnWAQAAAAB&data=02%7C01%7Ckaren_johnson%40hcpss.org%7C8e9105cdecec4071258608d7d0fafa90%7C96a9ac4c477e4dada2b28ad3fc46790b%7C1%7C0%7C637207648680562390&sdata=O4QK75wfTGjwDxx4E4ML4U%2FmroN%2FQ%2Btp6eXTyDcRpNs%3D&reserved=0)   If you need your child's login, please email Mrs. Anoff debra\_anoff@hcpss.org .I will get the login information.    ​​​​​​​Stay Healthy and Safe,  Mrs. Anoff |
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