

Flippin High School

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Dear Flippin Parents/Guardians,

Arkansas Act 862 gave schools across the state the opportunity to make up one to five unexpected absences through a district-created Alternate Method of Instructions (AMI) plan. We are very excited to announce that we have received approval for five of the AMI days again this year.

All 9th – 12th grade teachers have created AMI assignments for each class that they teach. Your child will receive his/her assignments from each of his/her teachers on Thursday, November 21th and Friday, November 22th. We have provided each student with a folder that should be used to store his or her assignments in a safe place at home. Since the high school follows a modified block schedule, FHS students will complete the assignments for a red day (Monday or Wednesday), white day (Tuesday or Thursday), red Friday, or white Friday, depending on which day of school is missed. When students return these completed assignments, they will be graded and the student will be counted present for the missed day of school.

No student should have more than four assignments on any given missed day of school because we only have four blocked classes each day. In addition, some teachers have combined assignments, so your child may only have three assignments to complete on that day. Should the “exceptional or emergency circumstances” prevent your child from doing the work, he or she will be given three days to complete the work upon his/her return to school. This will allow your child to be counted present on those days. These completed and returned assignments will be counted as regular school days. Students who fail to complete the work cannot be counted as present on AMI days. Please note that it is perfectly acceptable for students to work on these assignments prior to a snow day if they choose to do so.

Please contact me at (870) 453-2233 if you have any questions or concerns.

For The Kids,

Dale Horn
High School Principal

NOTE: The packets are posted on the website on the Curriculum page via this link: <http://flippinschools.com/curriculum/page/254/alternative-methods-of-instruction-information-work>.