Cleary School for the Deaf
Nurturing the potential of each student

August 30, 2020

Dear Cleary parents and families,

We are extremely excited to welcome your child back to school on Thursday, September 10th!

We are also excited to be able to provide your child with their own individual device to use for the remote part of their education as well as during in person school.

However, unfortunately, at this time we have ONLY RECEIVED PART OF OUR ORDER. Remaining devices, mostly ordered for our MS and HS students, are back ordered and not available for pick up on Sept 8 or 9 as we had hoped. They are expected in the next few weeks.

Therefore, we ask the following ....

1. On September 8 or 9, ONLY those families of students who do not have any other device at home to use in the interim should come in to pick up. As soon as the remainder of our order arrives, we will contact those of you who were able to wait, with pick up and set up arrangements. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

2. Please note that at this time we only have 70 devices (All IPADS) to distribute on September 8 and 9.

Therefore, please be advised that these will be delivered on a first come first served basis, until they have all been distributed.

This is another reason why we are requesting that if your child has a district owned device or another device able to be used at home while we await our full order, please do not come for pick up on September 8 or 9.

If you will come for pickup and set up of a device on either of these 2 dates, please note the scheduled times that you may arrive at Cleary's Nesconset Campus (301 Smithtown Blvd) :

Photo ID as well as a mask are required for admittance and for borrowing a device:

September 8:   6:00 pm

September 9:   9:30 am OR 1:30 pm

At pickup, you will be asked to participate in a workshop on the use of the device. Please plan to stay for approximately one hour.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support as we embark on the new school year together.

Sincerely yours,

Katie Kerzner   Alise Becker-Santa
Principal   Administrative Coordinator of PPS