

Albert Einstein Academy of Ohio

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Good Evening AEA Students and Families,

We hope everyone has had as pleasant of a Winter Break as is possible during this school year. We are anxious to be in session tomorrow and look forward to seeing the students even if it must be remotely for now.

In anticipation of this we would like to remind everyone of our policy for remote attendance:

- Remote learning students must attend classes with their cameras turned on.
- Students must be visible and some part of their person must be displayed so the teacher knows they are present (the top of their head, an elbow or shoulder, etc..)
- If the teacher can't see them on camera they will be marked absent and lose participation points.
- When called on students must acknowledge the teacher to earn participation points.
- If your student is not feeling well and can not participate in classes we ask that parents please handle this in the same way you would if your child was attending school in-person. Call the school secretary and let them know your daughter or son will not be participating and the reason.

This is also a good time to remind everyone that attendance is taken by the amount of time a student participates in their classes. If a student logs into a class and leaves the view of the teacher they will be marked as absent for the time they can not be viewed. If a student refuses to answer when called on by the teacher they are considered absent as well.

We also would like to remind you that at this time, Albert Einstein Academy intends to return to In-Person learning on January 19th for the families that selected this option. We look forward to having our students in the buildings in a safe and healthy way during the pandemic. We are committed to in-person learning for everyone it is appropriate for and hope we are able to open on January 19th.

As always, our students, staff, and families safety is our first priority. If health and education authorities require us to remain remote or if we see reason we can not safely offer in-person instruction you will be notified.

Thank you for being a part of AEA!

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