

## Blue Hills Regional Technical School Family Self Determination for Remote Learning Only August 2020

Please read the guidelines and expectations of learning below. This form is to be completed by families who have determined that their student **should only participate in remote learning to start the 2020-2021 school year**. This form can only be filled out by Blue Hills parents/guardians. Students cannot complete this form. **This form must be completed and submitted by August 28, 2020.** 

## REMOTE LEARNING ONLY GUIDELINES/EXPECTATIONS

By filling out this form you agree to the following terms for Remote Learning Only option. If you have multiple children that you want to participate in remote learning only, then please include all names below.

## **Remote Learning Only Guidelines/Expectations:**

- 1. I understand a Remote Learning Only determination must apply to both academic and vocational weeks.
- 2. I understand that by choosing Remote Learning Only my student must remain on remote learning through the end of the first quarter. *Transitions from remote learning to in-person or hybrid learning can only occur at the end of each term.*
- 3. I understand that my student will be accountable for attendance, participation, and course grades during remote learning through measures such as assignment completion, login time, online discussions, and virtual class meetings as outlined by teachers and the school district. Completed student work must be returned or submitted to the teacher(s). Students will receive grades, progress reports and report cards.
- 4. I understand that my student will be responsible for both the teacher and Massachusetts DESE assessments when applicable (ex: Gr. 9 & 10 MCAS examinations), and that some exams (ex; MCAS, AP) must be taken in person.
- 5. I understand that students in the Remote Learning program will not be eligible to participate in onsite extracurricular activities or schoolwide social events should they be offered. (Note If the MIAA determines that there will be high school sports this year, then this rule would additionally apply to interscholastic sports.)
- 6. I understand that students in the Remote Learning Only program will not be eligible to participate in the school's Co-operative Education program but, instead, will be required to participate in remote vocational instruction.
- 7. I understand by filling out this form, I agree to follow the rules and regulations of BHR and its remote learning plan.
- 8. I understand that, by selecting the Remote Learning Only option to start the school year, I must notify the Principal's office no later than November 6<sup>th</sup> if I desire a change to in-person learning for my child.
- 9. I understand that instruction and instructional materials will be provided through synchronous means and my student will be expected to follow the school day schedule virtually from home.
- 10. I understand that by choosing the Remote Learning Only option that I am indicating that my household has *adequate internet access* and performance that will allow for my student to work productively from home.
- 11. The Remote Learning Only plan will stay in effect for the 2020-2021 school year unless families provide required notice of the intent to return to onsite schooling which will then take effect at the start of the following quarter.

Student Name -	Grade -
Additional Student Name -	Grade
Additional Student Name -	Grade
Parent Name -	
Parent Signature -	Date -

After reviewing and signing this form, Parents/Guardians must submit this form electronically to the Blue Hills Main Office no later than August 28, 2020.