William Cullen Bryant High School

Class of 2020 SENIORS: Frequently Asked Questions

1. **When are we going back to school?** As of now, we are scheduled to return April 20th - until we hear differently. The Mayor and Chancellor of NYC Schools will determine when we return to the building. Until then, we will participate in remote learning.

2. **Are Seniors going to graduate?** YES. Seniors will graduate this year in June as long as all seniors have the required amount of credits per subject - see requirements here: [https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learning/in-our-classrooms/graduation-requirements](https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learning/in-our-classrooms/graduation-requirements)

3. **Will there be a graduation ceremony?** As of right now, this ceremony HAS NOT been cancelled. However, we are waiting to hear what future regulations will be for ceremonies in June 2020 and beyond.

4. **What will happen to senior activities? Senior dinner dance, prom, senior trip etc.** All school events have currently been postponed. Senior Dinner Dance and Senior Trip are postponed due to DOE regulations. IF THERE IS A CANCELLATION, money will be returned to those students who purchased tickets for senior dinner dance and senior trip. Prom is currently postponed and we are waiting for guidance as to whether NYC schools will be able to hold proms as well as if the venues will be open. We will share more information about prom as soon as we know more.

5. **What about Bryant performances - are they cancelled?** As soon as we go back to school, performance dates will be scheduled for all major art shows. These decisions cannot be made until the DOE informs schools when students, staff and families are allowed back into the building.

6. **I am feeling overwhelmed with work right now, I need help.** Every teacher has daily office hours in which they are available to answer questions, tutor, have google hangout sessions. If you need to schedule individual or an alternative time with a teacher - EMAIL THEM. They will help you! And if for some reason you have trouble coordinating this, email AP Crea acrea@schools.nyc.gov and I will assist you in this process.
7. **Why must I sign on to google classroom for each class every day?** Similar to daily school sessions, remote learning attendance must also be taken for each class. As we know students have different schedules, all students have a full 24 hours to "attend" each class. Students are also email to communicate with teachers if anything arises that prohibits their participation (similar to an absence during an in-school session) Appropriate documentation is needed for submission. Please contact your guidance counselor, teacher or Assistant Principal with any questions regarding absence.

8. **I need help with google classroom!** Did you know that Bryant created a remote learning website dedicated to helping students and parents with tech and resources for remote learning? Take a look here: [https://sites.google.com/view/bryant-remote-learning-hub/home](https://sites.google.com/view/bryant-remote-learning-hub/home)

9. **What about AP exams?** AP Exams are slated to take place in May 2020. Students will take a 45-minute exam online at home for each AP exam.

10. **Are Regents exams still on?** Regents exams are currently still on for June 2020. All NYS graduation requirements (credits and regents) are required in order for students to graduate in June 2020.