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Dear Parents/Guardians of 8th grade students,

Great news everyone! We are sending this notice to let you know about an improvement to the way we communicate homework on a nightly basis. This is a program that we are piloting with students in the 8th grade at Bunker Hill. You all will be the first to experience a new system utilizing Unified Classroom that will allow you to see all the assignments for ***all your child's courses in one place!*** We have heard the need to streamline and improve our system and we are unrolling this procedure now to finish out the 2018-19 school year. Simply put, as a result of this program, starting on May 6th **Unified Classroom** will be the new, consistent method for viewing homework assignments online for all your classes.

Here is what you need to know:

- Your child can currently login to Unified Classroom and has done so all year long.
- As a parent you can have your own Unified Classroom account. If you do not already have one and would like to create one of your own a link to the site, directions, and requests for assistance can be found here: <https://www.wtps.org/Page/26999>
- All homework can be accessed in a calendar that is visible as soon as one logs in. Here is a video on how to use the dashboard in case you need assistance: <http://bit.ly/UCHWCalendar>
- The calendar will have assignments in the Events and Assignment areas based on the type of the assignment. You may need to navigate to the following day to see all the assignments.
- Teachers will switch to this method of homework communication on May 6th so please familiarize yourself with the site before that date.
- You can send direct questions about the Unified Classroom platform to Elizabeth Pitel at epitel@wtps.org who will try her best to get back to you as soon as possible.

We truly believe that this new, consistent method, while it may be a change for some, will alleviate confusion and anxiety about homework for both students and parents. We are so thankful for your continued support and assistance towards making Bunker Hill an amazing school!

Thank you so much for your attention to this matter,


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