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Hello 7th grade science students and families,

I hope this email finds you well. I miss working with my students daily in 7th grade science and am eager to connect and begin distance learning. I've set-up an online classroom in SDUSD's learning management system, canvas. Students can access canvas at https://sandiegounified.instructure.com/; they will need to use their district username and password to log-in. They will see SCI-7 listed under their courses and this is where they will find the work for 7th grade science. The work that will be posted for April 6th-April 27th is part of SDUSD's soft launch and while it will not be graded, I will be checking student work, providing feedback, and interacting with students. I recommend students use the soft launch as an opportunity in 7th grade science to familiarize themselves with the canvas platform so that when we begin April 27th with graded assignments, they will feel comfortable and confident. The first module that I've created will be available starting Monday, April 6th. This module will include 5 Tasks (a new Task will be posted each day this week). Each Task is designed to help students familiarize themselves with canvas. I will provide written instructions as well as video instructions for each Task, and will be available to answer questions via email.

Please keep in mind this is the first time I've done distance learning and so I am learning along with students and families. Please feel free to email me at any time: khardy@sandi.net with questions or suggestions.

Thank you for your partnership as we move forward with our school year,

Kimberly Frank