

Caedmon Student Expectations for Live Class Sessions

Below are a set of expectations for the parts of the school day when students will be “live” with their teachers and classmates, such as Morning Meeting, Closing Circle, teacher Office Hours, and any live lessons, discussions, or presentations.

- Students should be dressed appropriately, just as if they were going to school.
- Aside from the device being currently used for remote learning, students may not use additional devices (such as iPhones) during live sessions.
- Aside from any websites, documents, or videos being used for the live session, students may not engage with other, unrelated activities on their device during live sessions. This includes browsing the web or chatting with classmates.
- Students should thoughtfully prepare before a live session, which includes charging their device, having any necessary physical materials ready (book, pen, paper), and having established a workspace with as few distractions as possible. (We fully understand that the latter can be difficult in a remote learning situation, and ask that students and families simply do their best.)
- For the duration of the live session, students must have the sound on their devices turned on and, barring any extenuating circumstances, they also must have their video turned on so that their teachers and classmates can see them.
- In group sessions, students should always have their microphone set to “mute” until teachers ask them to unmute to participate in a session. When a student has finished participating, they should mute their microphone again.
- All students must exit the video-conferencing space prior to the host teacher, and may not remain in the space without an adult.