## **CONTOOCOOK VALLEY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL**

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Good morning Parents and Guardians,

We have just passed the midpoint of the first quarter of the 2017 - 2018 school year. At this time, we provide you with an update on your student's progress in the courses in which they are enrolled.

## **Progress Reports**

Since most of you are, by now, familiar with the PowerSchool parent portal, we no longer print out progress reports that can get lost or can remain undelivered. Instead, we ask that you check your student's progress live on the PowerSchool parent portal. If you need assistance with this, please contact our registrar Brandi Litts at <u>blitts@conval.edu</u>.

Please remember that the progress report provides a moment-in-time view of your student's academic performance. If your student has not progressed or is not progressing, the expectation is that the classroom teacher has provided some narrative feedback about areas of concern. This feedback may have come prior to the midpoint in the quarter through email. In either case, we will look to support your student so that there is ongoing improvement.

## End of Quarter I

The end of the first quarter will be on November 3, 2017, and by November 9, we expect to provide you not only with the quarter grade but with a narrative that includes your student's progress in both academic courses as well as our school's 21st century skills.

Thank you again for all of your support as we have begun the year. Our staff continue to work hard each day to meet the needs of all of our students and should you have any concerns, I encourage you to reach out directly to your student's teachers and school counselor.

## October is Manufacturing Month

October is Manufacturing Month for the State of New Hampshire. Schools across the state provide field trips for students to manufacturers in their communities to spotlight the growth and opportunities in the industry.

Locally, ConVal students will visit manufacturers in the Monadnock region on Wednesday October 18. In addition, ConVal's Region 14 Applied Technical Center will host a community event on Wednesday, October 25, from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm in the LHT. For planning purposes, please RSVP by emailing Donna Noonan at <u>dnoonan@conval.edu</u> if you plan to attend. Everyone is welcome.

Have a wonderful Wednesday!

Sincerely, Gib West