Good evening 4 Power families,

It is our third week at home and I hope you are all doing well during these challenging times. I miss every one of my students so much and I can’t wait to see their beautiful smiles again.

You have been receiving lots of information from our principal or the district. Unfortunately, I don’t have any answers for you either at this time. However, if you are looking for work to do with your child, you can go on the class website (<http://madamepower.weebly.com> ) where you can find sites for them to work on. Some of the sites offer print worksheets for them to work on paper rather than screen time. You will also find the Math Makes Sense exercise book from which you can print exercises. We have worked on Modules 1, 2, 3, 4 and we had just started Module 8 when school closed. These exercises are in English to assist you to understand the strategies used to do the work.

For their reading, they can continue with **RazKids**. Please just make sure that they really understand what they are reading and not just go to the questions and answer them until they have the right answer. Not that they would do that! ☺ But I have seen it when in class…☺ **Boukili** is also a new site I found for your kids. You will have to make an account for them. In this one, they are able to listen to books and repeat what they said so that pronunciation is correct, read solo or even record themselves reading the book.

For their writing in **French**, you can ask them to write a sentence or two on something the family or he/she did during the day/ week and send it to me via email. I would love to have some news from them once a week. I’m not sure if they have their school email in their agenda or not. If not, let me know and I can send you your child’s email to use.

Today ASD-S will be announcing to our families, telephone guidance services beginning on Wednesday, April 1, 2020. Don’t hesitate to reach out if you need anything. We are also hoping to hear from the New Brunswick Education Minister, Dominic Cardy, during the week with an announcement for suggested home learning opportunities.

In these challenging times, remember our school slogan - we are "Better Together". Phone calls to family members, letter writing, and emails are all great ways to support real life learning and support much needed social connection. Read a book, read a recipe card, measure ingredients for you, listen to a podcast (this one was created by two of our HES students and their families ([https://salgado007.podbean.com/](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/R-oZtmlQbysdTOzDGOn46w~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRgZJBuP0QfaHR0cHM6Ly9zYWxnYWRvMDA3LnBvZGJlYW4uY29tL1cHc2Nob29sbUIKAADuXINe2RsojVIac2FyYWguYmxhbmNoYXJkQG5iZWQubmIuY2FYBAAAAAI~)), do puzzles, build structures with Lego, play cards & board games together! Most of all, don’t forget to go outside for fresh air while respecting social distancing. Be explorers in your own back yard or house! Be safe and stay healthy.