



March 13, 2020

Mooreville Families –

Based on guidance from the Indiana State Department of Health and Governor Holcomb, Mooreville Schools will close schools beginning Monday, March 16. At this time, there have been no confirmed cases of Coronavirus COVID-19 in Mooreville Schools. These actions are being taken out of an abundance of caution. Our schools will re-open no earlier than after Spring Break, Monday, April 6. Should conditions change that date, all families will be notified.

MHS and PHMS will close promptly at 5:00p.m. today. MHS will hold the SAT Saturday, March 14, but only those testing will be admitted. Elementary schools will close promptly at the end of the Rec&U program at 6:00p.m. today. We will have students bring home Chromebooks (gr. 7-12), any perishables, and other items. If your child has medication in the school nurse's office, please come to pick it up or contact the school about sending it home.

This means all activities in school buildings will be canceled as buildings are closed for cleaning with no entry. There will also be no Rec&U childcare programs during this time.

Our Food Services staff will have meal services available in a drive-through version of our USDA lunch program at Neil Armstrong and Newby Elementary Schools each weekday from 11a.m. to 1p.m. beginning Monday, March 16 through Thursday, March 26. This program is available for all children ages 0-18.

During this closure, students will participate in eLearning. For those in grades 7-12, they will utilize their Chromebooks. Students in grades K-6 will have online learning opportunities available. Those K-6 students who do not have access to smartphones, tablets or other devices may call the Mooreville Schools Education Center (317-831-0950) to request a printout of activities. For those who do not have internet access at home, our technology staff is working to expand Wi-Fi access into school parking lots. We will notify families when the access is expanded.

We want to recognize our staff for all of their efforts in light of this historic and fluid situation. We appreciate their hard work and we appreciate our families for understanding our changing protocols in response to state and federal updates.

Please watch for updates from our schools in the coming days. As needed, we will share information through our Skyward parent notification system as well as our website and social media channels.

Sincerely,

Randy L. Taylor
Superintendent