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Greetings Members of the AEBSD Community:

At 6:00 p.m. this evening the Governor held a press conference during which it was announced that due to the evolving situation regarding COVID-19, **public and private schools will remain closed until May 1, 2020**. During this time period, AEBSD we will continue to deliver student work, and lunches, as we have the past week. The AEBSD staff has done a tremendous job of collaborating, sharing resources, and helping each other develop appropriate educational options for our students and families.

While I know we will encounter some challenges that can't be predicted at this time, we will be posting relevant health related documents, reviewing procedures, and adjusting protocols on an ongoing basis. If there are any issues, concerns or questions that you or your student(s) have, please don't hesitate to contact your student's teacher, principal, or the district office. We will do everything we are able to resolve any issues that might arise and help make this the best learning experience possible for your student(s).

Our current situation has definitely added a level of stress to all of our lives. The AEBSD's goal is to not add any additional complications to our families' lives and that we continue to assist and partner with families in the education of our students that we are privileged to serve. Thank you for your continued support as we navigate these challenging times.

Please see the included letter from the Commissioner of Education, Michael Johnson.

Sincerely,

Patrick Mayer,
Superintendent