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Notice of School Closure and Transition to NTI Days

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Due to the state emergency, as called by Governor Andy Beshear concerning the COVID-19 virus, Jenkins Ind. Schools will be closed starting Monday March 16th 2020 with an anticipated date of being re-opened on April 6th 2020. Non-Traditional Instruction will be implemented during this time pursuant to KRS 158.070 (9).

Communication is important during times like these so please make sure to download the JIS app which is available in the Google Play and App Store for Apple. Just search for Jenkins Independent Schools and download the free App. We will be sending out texts, push notifications, phone calls, posting on Facebook and Twitter to communicate important information that is school related.

There will be no school activities to take place during this time off which means no extra-curricular activities will be able to practice or gather, no school trips will take place, and all facilities will be closed to students and parents.

We will be running bus routes once per day between 11 am to 1 pm to provide meals to your child. If your child is K-5 and receive work packets on NTI days, we will be distributing their work packets also while delivering food. We will be putting out more information on times the buses will be coming to your area. That information will be put out via the JIS App, school website, text messages, and phone calls.

Jenkins Ind Schools prides itself on being open and welcoming to students and parents, but under these conditions we have been instructed to shut down the buildings. Please bear with us and be patient as this is a new experience for all of us.

Thank you,

Mr. Michael D. Genton
Superintendent
Jenkins Ind. Schools