SCHOOL CLOSURE UPDATE

As you have probably heard, Governor Abbott issued an executive order closing all school campuses through the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. However, instruction is **not** yet over. Please see below for important dates:

May 8th – formal remote instruction for most students will conclude. Please be sure your child(ren) have submitted all assignments and activities required.

May 8th – May 22nd – teachers will continue to work with students who are failing or have not completed the remote instruction activities. At the end of this time, grades will be calculated. Students will either receive a "P" for passing, and "F" for failing or an "I" for incomplete, depending on their circumstance. Please work with teachers to help your child(ren) reach the passing level. We want to finish strong!

May 15th – meal delivery and pick up service will end. We need some time to deep clean our cafeteria and perform maintenance. However, on June 8th, our normal summer service will begin with meals available for pick up at the Nixon Cafeteria. If your family is struggling to feed your children during the gap, please contact a campus principal. We will work with our Communities in Schools program to see how they can assist you.

A few other updates:

- The election for Board of Trustees has been moved from May 2nd to November 3rd.
- Tryouts for activities such as cheerleading, twirler, dance team, twirler, flags, and drum major will be conducted at the discretion of the sponsor. Students who have signed up for those organizations will be contacted regarding next steps.
- All award celebrations have been canceled. We will be recognizing our academic and athletic award recipients on our social media and web page. Please join us in celebrating those students' hard work and success.
- **A final decision regarding the Graduation of Seniors 2020 has not yet been made.** We will not be able to hold our ceremony on May 29th as planned, but will provide details of a virtual graduation ceremony as soon as they are available. We have not ruled out a gathering later in the summer, but that will be dependent on the status of COVID-19 and the desires of the Senior Class. We will let parents and Seniors know in the coming week.
- Guidance regarding library books, student personal items, will be forthcoming from campus principals.

Thank you for your continued patience through this very unusual time.