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## Good Afternoon:

Today New Jersey Governor Murphy made a statement that outlined an aggressive plan to prevent the spread of coronavirus. In this statement, the Governor ordered all schools closed indefinitely.

As a result, all Woodbridge Schools will be closed until this order is lifted. We will continue to provide instruction and support services to all of our students. The Governor did not specify how long the schools will be closed.

We will also be directing all of our administrative and support staff to remote work, effective immediately. Principals and office staff will still be accessible via email, but phone communication may be limited. Some principals have their office phone calls forwarded to their cell phones, but some do not. If you call the office and no one responds, or your message is not returned, please use email.

Today, our first day of remote instruction, went relatively well. We planned on several glitches, but overall we did OK. We are currently reviewing procedures and looking for ways to improve. Please let me or your principals know if you have any suggestions for ways to improve instruction or support services.

One of the areas we need to work on in the meal delivery. We had very little turnout this morning. Please let us know if you need a meal but for some reason were unable to get it today.

As I reminded our staff today, during these challenging times we need to remember our primary function: instruction.

Thank you, stay safe, and be healthy.

Robert Zega, Ed.D

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