

Geneva Area City Schools

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March 13, 2020

Dear Geneva School Families,

I am writing this letter to share information in regards to the current developments and the extended break order that was issued by Governor DeWine. Yesterday, March 12, 2020, the Governor ordered that all Ohio schools would close for a three week period to limit exposure and spread of the Coronavirus. This decision came suddenly for all of us and I know it will alter many of our normal plans and routines.

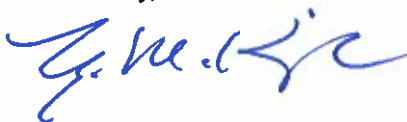
Geneva Area City Schools will have students in attendance on Friday, March 13th. March 13th will be the final student day prior to the extended break. Teachers and other staff will have a records and preparation day on Monday, March 16th. Currently, students will not be in session through Friday, April 3rd. At this time, the plan is to have students and staff resume school on Monday, April 6th.

Prior to the order from the Governor, the district was preparing for the possibility that schools may be closed for a period of time. The sudden change has limited some of our work but we still plan to provide academic content to students over the extended break. This may come in a variety of forms - through a teacher's online classroom, from a posting on the website or in a packet. It will depend on the teacher and the grade level of the students. We know that some families have limited access to technology so we are attempting to make packets available if necessary.

The Geneva School District is planning on providing "bagged" breakfast and lunches during two weeks: March 17th - 20th and March 30th - April 3rd. We are waiting for more information and guidelines so please check the website (under "District News" on the homepage) for more details. The District will post information and updates throughout the extended break on the website so please check back regularly.

Thank you for your support during this time. Please be patient and we will do what we can to support you and your child. Stay healthy and best wishes in the coming days!

Sincerely,



Eric M. Kujala
Superintendent