



MELVINDALE-NORTHERN ALLEN PARK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Greetings Cardinal Family,

In response to the COVID 19 virus, the Melvindale-Northern Allen Park School District will be closed for the next 32 calendar days, from Friday, March 13th until we re-open after Spring Break on Tuesday, April 14th. This action is based on the guidelines and protocols intended to control and mitigate the spread of COVID 19, as established by the Wayne County Health Department, The State of Michigan, the Federal Government, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Thursday, March 12th Governor Whitmer made the decision to close all schools in the State of Michigan until April 6th, which puts our return date after our scheduled Spring Break. District staff is reporting today (Friday, March 13th), without students, to plan for the continuation of the educational process through remote learning.

During the time the district is closed, our custodial staff will perform deep cleaning of all surface areas. Additionally, we will continue to offer our students educational opportunities through remote learning, as mentioned above. Remote learning may take many forms which could include, but are not limited to: on-line based learning, information and activity packets, homebased learning projects, etc.

The COVID 19 virus outbreak is a fluid situation that has changed rapidly and required those impacted by it to be flexible. The Melvindale-Northern Allen Park School District will continue to follow the directions of, and make all decisions based on, the recommendations of the Wayne County Health Department, the State of Michigan, the Federal Government, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

The safety of our students, staff and community will always be our highest priority, and our decisions are made with this foremost in mind. As always, we thank you for your understanding, patience, and support as we work collaboratively to provide our students with the best practices, and safest, most secure learning opportunities during this time.

Sincerely,

Dr. Kimberly Soranno
Superintendent/Curriculum Director

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District Safety Coordinator