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Dear Woodbridge Community,

As you are aware, Governor John Carney has asked that all 19 Delaware school districts close from Monday March 16th through Friday, March 27th. It is a decision that I believe is best for the health and safety of our community. In the event that this closure needs to be extended we will be certain to communicate with you.

Currently, our staff is developing instructional plans for the extended time off and we will be sending out notifications shortly. Please know that we will not be teaching any new curricular materials during this time of closure. We continue to encourage our students to spend time reading and working on basic skills that will enhance previous learned material.

Additionally, our child nutrition department has started grab and go meals that began Monday afternoon. You can find the times and locations of this service on our website. Once the duration of the closure is known, we will begin designing a new school calendar for this year, which could include adjusting the last school day to a later date. This decision would be made by our Board of Education at a public meeting that all can attend.

Furthermore, our offices currently remain open and staffed, but we ask during this health crisis that our community contact the school to schedule a time to visit. The decision to close was extremely difficult for the Governor to make. His goal, and ours, is to do whatever we can to prevent the spread of the virus and make sure we reopen as quickly as possible, while keeping our community healthy.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Heath B. Chasanov".

Heath Chasanov
Superintendent