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COVID Update Message to Parents

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On Friday the Governor issued a Shelter in Place order and extended the school closures through April 7. The good news is that this will not hamper the work the District is doing to provide Continuous Learning Plans for every single student and meals to all those who need them.

However, there will be a few changes. Starting tomorrow our offices will not be open to the public. We can still be reached using the regular office phone numbers and employee email addresses. Phone calls and emails will be answered in real time or returned promptly.

Work is underway on the 3rd Packet of Continuous Learning Plans that will cover March 31 – April 7. More information about that will be shared in a few days. In the meantime, we are asking every parent who can do so to make arrangements for your children to access the online version of the learning packets. Paper packets will still be available for those who absolutely cannot access the information online, but please do not choose paper packets as a preference if you have the ability to get the information online. This will allow us to reduce the person-to-person interactions that are required to produce and distribute the paper packets. There are still Chromebooks available for loan to 6th-12th grade students. Call your school to make arrangements to borrow a Chromebook.

Thank you for your continued patience and cooperation. Please contact us if we can be of any assistance.

The Hillsboro Community School District fosters a student-centered culture with high expectations for each student to reach his or her full potential.