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April 7, 2020

Dear DB-TC Students, Parents, Staff, and Community,

Governor Whitmer has ordered schools closed for the remainder of the school year, to slow the spread of Coronavirus. Michigan public schools will provide remote learning to K-12 students. Teachers will continue teaching, and students will continue learning.

We are in our planning week. Teachers are working to adapt to this new style of teaching and learning, and are busily preparing instructional materials for the coming weeks. Remote learning lessons and activities will be offered starting next week, beginning on Tuesday, April 14. Both physical materials like "paper-pencil" work and online experiences (and more) will be offered to engage students in relevant content for the remainder of the trimester. Details on how instruction and materials will be provided to students will be communicated by next week. We intend to keep the parent's role in remote learning as simple and manageable as possible. Please remember--we will all need to be patient as we walk this unfamiliar path together.

Other COVID-19-and-School information:

- The **SAT Test** will be offered to current juniors in the fall, for college acceptance purposes.
- All MHSAA **Athletics have been officially canceled** for the remainder of the school year.
- **Internet access** is being provided on Maple and Ojibwa Trail, the streets around the school. Drivers may park on either street (Maple may be better) to access the "DollarBayGuest" network from within their vehicle. No password or voucher is required. Simply click "connect."
- **Food service continues** through pre-ordering and Monday food pick-up.
- The **school building is now closed to parents and students**. Students' things may be picked up next week. Call 482-5800 x2110 (Karen) and/or x1132 (Danielle) during normal school hours, to arrange for a school staff person to bring your child's items to the main door.
- Almost all families responded to the **technology and internet connectivity survey (thank you!)**. Results will be shared in a future communication.

Be cautious, be well, and be there for one another! We are DB!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Christina J. Norland".

Mrs. Christina J. Norland
Superintendent