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Parents,

We are praying that you and your family are staying safe during this time of uncertainty. We wanted to give you an update of our plans and some changes to our school calendar. The Governor of Georgia has mandated that all public school be closed for the month of March. Even though we are not a public school we are going to follow this mandate. The following will be the changes to our school calendar.

We will be out March 16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup>, and March 30<sup>th</sup> - April 3<sup>rd</sup>. All student should have their academic packets that will take them through March 27<sup>th</sup>. March 30<sup>th</sup> - April 3<sup>rd</sup> will be considered our spring break week, therefore, no academic packets will be required for this week. Also, all sports and extracurricular activities are cancelled during this time. All teachers and students will report to school on April 6<sup>th</sup>. There will be no school on Good Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup>. We will have school the week of April 13<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> which was originally planned as spring break. If your family has made plans during this time, and we are in school, please just have your child come to the office and fill out a pre-planned absence form. They will be able to make up the work when they return.

Please understand that this is a fluid situation that seems to be changing every day. If for some reason we will be missing school past April 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will have new packets ready for the students on April 6<sup>th</sup>. Along with these packets there will be some online teaching available.

We are asking parents to drop off the completed academic packet at the school at the end of each week. There will be someone at the school on Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM and again from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM. You may drop them off at the front of the school. This time schedule will also be available on March 27<sup>th</sup>.

Please remember to pray for all of those affected by this virus. Those who are sick, those who are out of work and with other circumstances that are causing hardships.

Thank you,

Steve Shamblin  
Administrator