

March 16, 2020

In response to the threat of the coronavirus, the Jefferson County School System will close Wednesday, March 18, 2020, and will remain closed through the regularly scheduled Spring Break. At the present time, the expected return date for students after Spring Break is April 13; however, we will continue to monitor information from the CDC and GA Department of Public Health and will make additional announcements as necessary.

The district has developed a distance learning plan through which teachers will provide work packets in both digital and paper/pencil form so that students can continue learning from home. Additional distance learning information will be provided to students as needs arise.

We want our children and teachers well prepared, and we will use tomorrow to establish means for continuing our students' education as much as possible over the next few weeks and to give parents time to arrange daycare for their children. Parents should expect communications from their children's teachers in the coming days.

Details regarding meal delivery and/or pick-up will be shared on the Jefferson County Schools website and through our other social media outlets when plans are finalized.

We appreciate your cooperation and encourage you to remember to avoid traveling to areas of high risk and continue practicing personal hygiene recommendations and social distancing.

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