



Dear Intrepid families,

In these unprecedented times, the health and well-being of our school community is our top priority.

After significant consideration, we have decided to close school until at least Friday, April 3, under the guidance of MNPS, Metro Nashville, and the State of Tennessee. This is not an easy decision and not one we take lightly. We recognize this extended school closure will have a significant impact on our students, families, and staff; however, we believe this is the necessary course of action to limit the spread of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19).

We care deeply about your physical and mental health and safety during this time--though it has been such a challenging few weeks for Nashville (and our world), we are confident that we have a fantastic community who will rally around this unique challenge. While our school facilities are closed, and all school activities are canceled, we are committed to supporting continued student learning and will ensure all students have access to high-quality learning opportunities.

On Wednesday, March 18 we will be providing students and families with academic work that can be completed during our time off. This work will come with a list of free online learning resources and detailed information on how to access those resources. It's important that our students continue their learning and spend as much time as they can on these platforms, completing their instructional packets, and reading. Each subsequent Wednesday we will update our website and social media with this information.

We also recognize that closing school has implications beyond the loss of learning time. On Wednesday we will also send you a list of community resources for any family that may need assistance with food, childcare, and other healthcare needs. If you need any additional support, please do not hesitate to reach out to us.

We are grateful for your continued support and patience as we work to keep our school community safe.

Sincerely,

Abigail Rockey  
CEO