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Dear Parents and Community Members:

There has been a flurry of activities today related to the COVID-19 closure, the first of which came from the Board of Regents announcing that *this year's Regents exams are cancelled* and that changes will be forthcoming regarding how we will award units of credit to students in credit bearing courses. This was followed by the Governor announcing that *our closure will now continue until April 29.*

We anticipate that the Executive Order from the Governor will be released later today and that additional guidance will be coming from the State Education Department tomorrow, both of which will provide greater detail to all of these actions. The District Planning Team will then review and adapt our current plans noted in Friday's *Update* and we will continue to communicate with you thereafter.

My continued thanks to all of you for the adaptations, problem-solving, communications, and support that you are providing to one another and certainly to our team as we move through this pandemic.

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