

Friends,

Happy St. Patrick's Day! I hope you had a productive day. A few of us were in school today to catch up on some business and to continue our planning for the coming weeks. Please know that we miss you and your child tremendously!

We wanted to make you aware that our building closure will continue until at least **April 8th** and we will continue our Distance Learning until that time. At that point, we will honor the regularly scheduled Spring Break. This would give us a **tentative** reopening date of Monday, April 20th. During Spring Break, April 9-17th, we will not have classes or introduce new schoolwork.

Also, we wanted to let you know that there will be no Distance Learning classes this coming Friday, **March 20th**. This time should be used by students to catch up with their assignments, including within areas such as Art, STEM, and Music. It will also be utilized by the teachers to catch up with families, participate in ongoing professional development as needed and to give them time to continue their planning. In the meantime, the weather is supposed to get much warmer. I encourage all of our families to put down their screens for the afternoon and get outside. It is well deserved after what has surely been a trying few days.

With much appreciation for your continued support and well wishes.

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