

Attica Central School District

Board of Education Offices

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March 15, 2020

Dear Attica Central School Family Members,

Due to the declaration of a State of Emergency by the Wyoming County Health Department, the Attica Central School District will be closed to students beginning Monday, March 16. This includes athletics and extracurricular activities. Non-Instructional staff is expected to report until further notice. Any use of Attica CSD facilities by an outside organization is suspended until further notice. Listed below is our current plan to address an extended closure as we anticipate this closing to last until further notice.

The Attica School Nutrition Program is participating in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's School Closure Meal Program, which provides two meals to all students during extended school closure at no cost. We will have a drive-thru meal pick-up location in the Middle School Parking Lot. The pick-up location will be open from 11 a.m. through 12:30 p.m. on weekdays beginning Monday, March 16, 2020.

In order to maintain instructional continuity, our teachers will be meeting soon to prepare learning activities for our students. Communication regarding pick-up procedures for instructional materials will be coming shortly.

Beginning Monday, if you have questions or concerns related to picking up medications or personal items (including lockers/desks), connecting to a teacher or staff member, or any other questions or concerns, please contact the appropriate phone number or email address below.

| Building / Department | Contact / Phone Ext 585-591-0400 | Email |
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| Superintendent of Schools | Bryce Thompson x1000 | bthompson2@atticacsd.org |
| Director of Facilities | Dave Barber x1267 | dbarber2@atticacsd.org |
| Food Service Director | Kris Wicks x1195 | kwicks@atticacsd.org |
| High School Principal | Josh Audsley x1109 | jaudsley@atticacsd.org |
| Middle School Principal | Paul Clark x1500 | pclark2@atticacsd.org |
| Elementary School Principal | Kelly Beitz x2236 | kbeitz@atticacsd.org |
| Committee on Special Education | Debra Barie x3008 | dbarie@atticacsd.org |
| Business Administrator | Meaghan Matuszak x1002 | mmatuszak@atticacsd.org |

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Mental Health Support will continue to be available through the district. Please contact a building principal for further information.

As a reminder, exposure to COVID -19 can occur from person-to-person contact. We encourage students and families to continue taking steps to minimize the spread of all respiratory illnesses, including COVID-19. This includes limiting time spent among groups of people, such as gathering at friend's houses, shopping centers or restaurants. The Centers for Disease Control advises that this can help minimize the spread of illness. If you have any concerns about your child's health, we recommend that you contact your medical provider.

We will continue to monitor this situation and keep families informed as new information develops. Please contact any of the numbers above or the superintendent's office if you have any questions. Thank you for your ongoing support and willingness to work through this together.

Sincerely,



Bryce Thompson
Superintendent of Schools

