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Dear Families:

The health of our students, families, and staff is our top priority. Our administrative team has been closely monitoring the outbreak of COVID-19. We continue to follow the guidelines set forth by the Centers for Disease Control, the Ohio Department of Health, and the Franklin County and Licking County Health Departments.

Following our communication yesterday, Tues., March 11, we have received breaking information from today's address by the Governor to the state of Ohio. Due to Governor DeWine's ban on mass gatherings of 100 or more people, we are postponing this weekend's musical and next week's district art show. The status of upcoming field trips to Florida (LHHS marching band) and Washington, D.C. (eighth grade) is not determined at this time, pending further guidance.

Governor DeWine with the Ohio Department of Education, is also recommending the closure of all K-12 schools at the end of the day Mon., March 16 for three weeks. This extended spring break would run through April 3. We will know more information when we receive the official executive order from Governor DeWine.

We will continue to provide information as this situation develops. Please watch the district website and your email for updates. Thank you for your cooperation and flexibility during this time.

Sincerely,

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Philip H. Wagner, Ph.D. Superintendent