

BENNETT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Lonnie Luepker, Superintendent

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Bennett Staff, Parents and Community,

Yesterday afternoon, Governor Kim Reynolds announced an extension of school closures throughout Iowa. As a result, buildings and facilities in the Bennett Community School District will remain closed until at least Thursday, April 30.

We will continue to provide meal services to those who qualify and voluntary online learning resources for our students. We've recently received some new guidance from the Iowa Department of Education that allows us to continue offering instructional opportunities to our students. We ask that you encourage your child to participate in the various opportunities our staff has worked to provide. Along with the resources that have been provided over the last few weeks, we will be providing more instructional opportunities in the near future. We are also asking parents to look for upcoming communication from their elementary teacher. This communication will be primarily by phone or email. For the latest updates, please continue to check our website and Facebook page.

Again, thank you for your patience and understanding as we continue to navigate through this very challenging and uncertain time. Please continue to practice social distancing and stay at home as much as you can to help slow the spread of COVID-19 in our community.

We appreciate your patience as we work to create a positive plan for students and your continued support of the Bennett CSD.

Sincerely,

Lonnie A. Luepker