

# STAMFORD

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# ACADEMY

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March 13, 2020

Dear Stamford Academy Families,

We hope you are all safe and healthy and recognize this is a stressful and confusing time for our students, staff and families. Due to this, we will continue to update you as often as possible. Going forward, please access our website for updates as that will be our primary source of contact: [www.stamfordacademy.org](http://www.stamfordacademy.org).

As we shared yesterday, Stamford Academy will be closed from today, March 13, 2020 through at least Friday, March 27, 2020. Stamford Academy submitted a waiver to the Connecticut State Department of Education to approve distance learning for students and staff. Today and Monday, March 13 and 16, will NOT be distance learning days. These will be treated like traditional snow days and will need to be made up if the state does not provide a waiver to the mandatory 180 instructional days. These days will have to be made up regardless, since we are not providing distance learning. So, they will need to be made up whether or not the state approves the waiver. Once we receive an answer from the State, and if the distance learning waiver is approved, we will be communicating our plan to students and families on how to access distance learning. In anticipation of potential distance learning, students were given print materials yesterday and will also have access to instruction online via Stamford Academy's website and Google Classroom.

Beginning Saturday, March 14, the building of Stamford Academy will be closed for cleaning. At this time, the building will re-open on Monday, March 30 or whenever school resumes.

There is a potential that we would use our currently scheduled Spring Break to make up some of the days missed. We will keep you posted on this, but wanted to let you know that this is a possibility.

All young people in Stamford will have access to food services throughout the city. Stamford Public Schools will provide free grab and go meals at the following school and community sites beginning March 13, 2020. Anyone age 18 or under can obtain meals at any of the following locations:

## Elementary Schools

- Davenport Ridge, 1300 Newfield Ave.
- Hart Magnet, 61 Adams Ave.
- Julia A. Stark, 398 Glenbrook Rd.
- K.T. Murphy, 19 Horton St.
- Newfield, 345 Pepper Ridge Rd
- Northeast, 82 Scofieldtown Rd.
- Rogers International School, 202 Blachley Rd.
- Roxbury, 751 West Hill Rd.
- Springdale, 1127 Hope St.
- Stillmeadow, 800 Stillwater Rd.

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- Strawberry Hill, an extension of Rogers International School, 200 Strawberry Hill Ave.
- Toquam Magnet, 123 Ridgewood Ave.
- Westover Magnet @ 1 Elmcroft Road

## Middle Schools

- Cloonan, 11 West North St.
- Dolan, 51 Toms Rd.
- Rippowam, 381 High Ridge Rd.
- Scofield Magnet, 641 Scofieldtown Rd.
- Turn of River, 117 Vine Rd.

## High Schools

- AITE, 411 High Ridge Rd
- Stamford, 55 Strawberry Hill Ave
- Westhill, 125 Roxbury Rd.

## Community-Based Organizations and Programs

- SPS Anchor at Harbor Landing @ 68 Southfield Avenue
- Yerwood Center, 90 Fairfield Ave.
- Chester Addison Center, 245 Selleck St.
- Domus (Trailblazers Academy), 83 Lockwood Ave.

Students living in other cities should go to your districts website to find where you will have access to food supplies. If you need any help with this, please contact your family advocate.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me at [aweller@stamfordacademy.org](mailto:aweller@stamfordacademy.org).

Stay safe,

Andrea Weller

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Estimadas familias de Stamford Academy:

Esperamos que todos estén seguros y saludables, nosotros reconocemos que este es un momento estresante y confuso para nuestros estudiantes, personal y para sus familias. Debido a estas razones, continuaremos actualizándolo información con la mayor frecuencia posible. En el futuro, acceda a nuestro sitio web para obtener actualizaciones, ya que esto será nuestra principal fuente de contacto: [www.stamfordacademy.org](http://www.stamfordacademy.org).

Como compartimos ayer, la escuela Stamford Academy estará cerrada desde hoy, 13 de Marzo de 2020 hasta al menos el Viernes 27 de Marzo de 2020. La Academia Stamford presentó una exención al Departamento de Educación del estado de Connecticut para aprobar la educación a distancia para los estudiantes y el personal. Hoy y Lunes, 13 y 16 de Marzo, NO serán días de aprendizaje a distancia. Estos serán tratados como días de nieve tradicionales y deberán reponerse si el estado no proporciona una exención a los 180 días de instrucción obligatorios. Estos días tendrán que recuperarse independientemente, ya que no estamos brindando educación a distancia. Por lo tanto, tendrán que recuperarse si el estado aprueba o no la exención. Una vez que nosotros recibamos una respuesta del estado, y si se aprueba la exención de aprendizaje a distancia, comunicaremos nuestro plan a los estudiantes y las familias sobre cómo acceder al aprendizaje a distancia. En previsión de un posible aprendizaje a distancia, los estudiantes recibieron materiales impresos ayer y también tendrán acceso a la instrucción por el internet a través del sitio web de Stamford Academy y Google Classroom.

A partir del Sábado 14 de Marzo, el edificio de Stamford Academy estará cerrado por limpieza. En este momento, el edificio volverá a abrir el Lunes 30 de Marzo o en cuanto que se reanude la escuela. Existe la posibilidad de que usemos nuestras vacaciones de primavera programadas actualmente para compensar algunos de los días perdidos. Lo mantendremos informado sobre esto, pero quería informarle que es una posibilidad.

Todos los jóvenes en Stamford tendrán acceso a servicios de comida en toda la ciudad. Las Escuelas Públicas de Stamford proporcionarán comidas gratis para llevar en las siguientes escuelas y sitios comunitarios a partir del 13 de Marzo de 2020. Cualquier persona de 18 años o menor puede obtener comidas en cualquiera de los siguientes lugares:

#### **Escuelas primarias:**

- Davenport Ridge, 1300 Newfield Ave.
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- Westover Magnet @ 1 Elmcroft Road

## **Escuelas intermedias (grados 6-8):**

- Cloonan, 11 West North St.
- Dolan, 51 Toms Rd.
- Rippowam, 381 High Ridge Rd.
- Scofield Magnet, 641 Scofieldtown Rd.
- Turn of River, 117 Vine Rd.

## **Escuelas intermedias (grados 9-12):**

- AITE, 411 High Ridge Rd
- Stamford, 55 Strawberry Hill Ave
- Westhill, 125 Roxbury Rd.

## **Organizaciones y programas basados en la comunidad:**

- SPS Anchor at Harbor Landing @ 68 Southfield Avenue
- Yerwood Center, 90 Fairfield Ave.
- Chester Addison Center, 245 Selleck St.
- Domus (Trailblazers Academy), 83 Lockwood Ave.

Los estudiantes que viven en otras ciudades deben ir al sitio web de su distrito para encontrar dónde tendrán acceso a los suministros de alimentos. Si necesita ayuda con esto, comuníquese con su defensor familiar.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, no dude en comunicarse por correo electrónico [Aweller@stamfordacademy.org](mailto:Aweller@stamfordacademy.org)

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Chè paran Stamford Academy,

Nou espere ke ou an sekirite ak an sante epi rekonèt sa a se yon tan estrès ak konfizyon pou elèv nou yo, anplwaye yo ak fanmi yo. Akòz sa a, n ap kontinye mete ajou ou osi souvan sa posib. Avanse, tanpri, ale sou sit wèb nou an pou dènye nouvèl jan sa yo ki pral sous prensipal nou an kontak: [www.stamfordacademy.org](http://www.stamfordacademy.org). Kòm nou te pataje yè, Stamford Academy ap fèmen nan jounen jodi a, 13 Mars 2020 jusqu'au 27 mars 2020.

Stamford Academy soumèt yon egzansyon bay Depatman Edikasyon Eta Connecticut la pou apwouve aprantisaj distans pou elèv yo ak anplwaye yo. Jodi a ak Lendi, 13 Mas ak 16, PA pral jou distans pou aprann. Sa yo pral trete tankou jou nèt tradisyonèl yo epi yo pral bezwen fè moute si eta a pa bay yon egzansyon nan obligatwa 180 jou ansèyman an. Jou sa yo pral gen pou fè kèlkeswa, depi nou pa bay aprantisaj distans. Se konsa, yo pral bezwen fè moute si wi ou non eta a apwouve eksepsyon an. Yon fwa nou resevwa yon repons nan men Eta a, epi si yo apwouve egzansyon an distans, n' ap kominike plan nou an bay elèv yo ak fanmi yo kijan pou yo jwenn aksè a distans. Nan antisipasyon potansyèl aprann distans, yo te bay elèv yo materyèl enprime yè epi yo pral gen tou aksè a enstriksyon sou entènèt atravè sit entènèt Stamford Academy a ak Google. Kòmanse Samdi, 14 Mas, bilding lan nan Stamford Academy ap fèmen pou netwaye. Nan moman sa a, bilding lan ap re-louvri nan Lendi 30 mas oswa nenpòt lè lekòl la ap reprann.

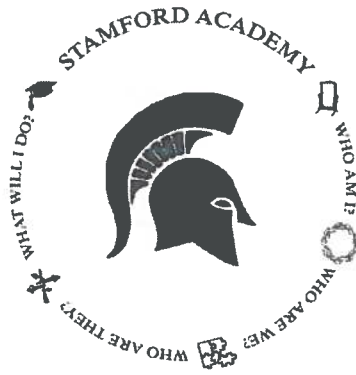
Tout jèn moun nan Stamford ap gen aksè a sèvis manje nan tout vil la. Lekòl Piblik Stamford yo ap bay manje gratis epi ale nan sit sa yo nan lekòl ak kominote a apati 13 mas 2020. Nenpòt moun ki gen 18 lane oswa ki anba ka jwenn manje nan nenpòt nan kote sa yo:

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Elèv k ap viv nan lòt vil yo ta dwe ale nan sit entènèt distri ou a pou jwenn kote w ap gen aksè nan founiti manje. Si ou gen nenpòt kesyon, tanpri santi yo lib yo rive jwenn soti nan m 'nan [aweller@stamfordacademy.org](mailto:aweller@stamfordacademy.org).

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