CHSD Students, Staff, Parents and Community,

We want to provide an important update. The Pennsylvania Secretary of Education issued an order this morning to **close all public schools through the end of the 2019 - 2020 academic year** as defined by the local school calendar. In addition, Governor Wolf is ordering all K-12 schools and programs, public and private, to be closed through the end of the 2019 - 2020 academic year. Pennsylvania Pre-K Counts, Head Start Supplemental Assistance Programs and Preschool Early Intervention programs will also remain closed, and institutions of higher education are prohibited from offering in-person instruction.

As part of this announcement, we will update you later next week with many of the key concepts and questions regarding the closure of school and the adaptations for many of our milestone events for our students and parents.

It is important to note that we will continue to implement our <u>Continuity of Education Plan</u> <u>and learning platform for the rest of the 2019-2020 academic school year.</u> We are very pleased with the approach and the collaborative support for this program. It is important for students to continue with our plans. The student, parent and staff feedback toward online learning has been extremely positive. We will continue to learn and grow together.

Thank you for your continued support of the Chartiers-Houston School District.

Hope you and your family have a wonderful spring break.

Thoughts

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