March 25, 2020

Dear Quincy Public Schools Staff, Students, and Parents,

This afternoon, Massachusetts Governor Baker announced that all Massachusetts schools will remain closed through Friday, May 1, 2020.

Quincy Public Schools will continue to engage with staff members, students, and parents through:

- Focusing on student well-being by offering meaningful learning experiences on the Quincy Public Schools website at: [QPS Educational Learning Opportunities](#)

- Continuing to distribute lunch and breakfast (for the next day) at four school sites from 11:00 am to noon each day (Lincoln Hancock Community School, North Quincy High School, Quincy High School, Snug Harbor Community School). Beginning on Monday, meals will be distributed at the Clifford Marshall Elementary School on the same schedule.

- There are many important questions around report cards, grading, and end of year activities which cannot be answered until a date for re-opening schools is confirmed. Additional guidance will be forthcoming from the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) in the next few days and I will share this with you as soon as it is available.

As always, we are dedicated to supporting our students and families so all are as well-served as possible during this unprecedented time.

Thank you and take care,

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Superintendent of Schools