



School City of Mishawaka

Creating a Culture of Excellence

March 16, 2020

Dear School City of Mishawaka Family,

We are grateful for your support and patience as we navigate through these unprecedented times. Our primary focus is maintaining the health and wellness of our students, families, and staff while allowing for continued learning. After collaborating with the St. Joseph County Health Department and the Indiana Department of Education the decision was made to close School City of Mishawaka schools effective Monday, March 16, 2020. Upon the release of Governor Holcomb's announcement of procedures for Indiana SCM leadership formulated a plan out of an abundance of precaution.

Our primary goal now is to provide continued learning for our students. Remote Learning will include opportunities for students to engage in lessons aligned with SCM curriculum. We anticipated launching eLearning during the 2020-2021 school year, but the current situation has accelerated the need for implementing an instructional model outside of the traditional brick and mortar setting. We are asking for your understanding and flexibility as we deploy our first Remote Learning procedures.

The intent of this communication is to provide information to families that is available at this time. We will be providing additional information as it becomes available.

Thank you,

Wayne Barker
Superintendent of Schools
School City of Mishawaka