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Dear Parents/Guardians:

As we are now aware, Metuchen Schools will be closed from March 16th through the 20th. This past week, teachers at the high school have been preparing in the event that school is closed and distance learning needed to occur. Teachers have discussed with their students how to access activities and lessons for their subject content. On Thursday morning, I spoke to all students about being prepared for distance learning and bringing home all necessary materials. I also reinforced that it is their responsibility to complete all work assigned during this period of time. If students have any questions or concerns they can email the teacher.

If your child has an IEP, their specialized instruction, modifications and/or related services will continue and be adjusted to be delivered within a distance-learning model. For students who receive In-Class Resource, Special Education Teachers will be collaborating with General Education Teachers to implement and communicate modifications. If you have any concerns or questions about your child's assignments, please reach out to the teachers. Related service providers will be in contact with students and parents within this first week to provide therapy activities. If there are any specific questions, you can also reach out to your child's case manager.

Due to the school district closure, all events planned for this week are now either canceled or postponed.

I understand that this is a stressful time for all of us. I trust that teaching and learning will continue during this period of time. Please stay healthy and if there are any questions, please feel free to email me at bperagallo@metboe.k12.nj.us.

Sincerely,

Bruce J. Peragallo
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Mission Statement

Metuchen High School, building on a tradition of academic and co-curricular distinction, provides a healthy and safe learning environment which challenges and supports our students. Our technology-rich instruction and diverse curricular offerings are an integral part of an evolving program that meets each student's intellectual, social, and emotional needs.

Our school encourages all students to discover their talents, develop their strengths, and become global citizens with a strong moral compass. We achieve this through exceptional classroom instruction, data-driven decision-making, and emphasis on developing students' 21st Century skills.