



CONTINUITY OF EDUCATION PLAN
COMING SOON!

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Dear Boys' Latin Family:

Governor Wolf announced today that all Pennsylvania schools will remain closed for an indefinite length of time to help mitigate the spread of COVID-19. However, I write with a sense of encouragement and gratitude. Our nation is grappling with a troubling health crisis. Still, hearts of service abound. I continue to see people in our community demonstrate acts of kindness and support. Our Boys' Latin families are part of this impressive group. In a matter of weeks, we have transitioned to a completely new model of teaching and learning, and we know we could not accomplish it without the patience, positivity, and partnership of the families we serve. Following this week of continued distance learning, all members of our community will have surely earned a well-deserved Spring Break!

It is exciting to think about the upcoming Spring Break (April 6 through April 13). However, please know that Boys' Latin continues the process of long-range planning as we think about the best way to serve students in the weeks and months ahead. Local, state, and federal authorities will be making decisions that will impact our school and families, and the Boys' Latin team is closely monitoring the updates and information.

In the meantime, our school team is developing a comprehensive set of plans – our **Continuity of Education Plan** – that will be used to guide the educational program at Boys' Latin of Philadelphia for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. The plan will account for the indefinite length of the school closure. Most importantly, the plan will provide guidance, information, and further clarity on distance learning protocols, including student expectations, a calendar of events, grading, attendance, college advising, schedules, and family supports.

Please stay tuned for further details about Boys' Latin's Continuity of Education Plan in the days ahead. Boys' Latin appreciates you, and we will continue to work together to provide for our students.

Ex animo,

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