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Dear Onteora Families,

These are difficult and uncertain times. We continue to miss our students deeply, and strive to find ways to continue to support our students and families, provide remote learning, and to work collaboratively with our community.

Governor Cuomo announced today that **“given the current situation, K-12 schools... will remain closed for the rest of the academic year and will continue to provide distance learning for the remainder of the academic year.”** This means that we will continue remote learning for the remainder of the school year. In addition, he stated that decisions regarding summer school will be made by the end of May. As you may already know, August Regents Exams have also been cancelled.

Please know that we understand the hardship that this may cause many of our Onteora families. When we think about our students, and all of the important events and milestones that happen in the coming months, we too are heartbroken. We will of course continue to collaborate with our community partners in every way possible to ensure that the needs of our Onteora community are met.

We understand how important it is to celebrate our students and recognize their many accomplishments. Please know that we are planning and collaborating with students, faculty, staff, administration, and community members to make sure that we are able to celebrate in all the ways that we can. Our students are missing many important milestones and while we cannot replace them, we will find alternate ways to celebrate and honor their accomplishments.

In the meantime, please know that our network of supports are still available. Please contact your child’s teacher or Principal for academic or social emotional support. If you need to access additional services, the following links may be helpful:

Food

Services: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScte8tD9qnmaXYOMY20ghM3XbTY1jDgFHzmV28waNPV7rzp7A/viewform>

Technology Support:

- Remote Learning - Google Training
Site: <https://sites.google.com/onteora.k12.ny.us/trainingsite/home>
- Remote Learning Technology Support
Request: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfoQwh_0nxxe_HNhcGA6mFgNOep0PSIDnmM3srNVNh9DDEIYw/viewform

These links are also available on our website along with additional resources related to this pandemic.

The health and wellness of our students and families remains our number one priority. Please maintain social distancing, stay healthy, and reach out if you need support. We are so proud of our students, our faculty, and our staff. It is evident that we remain Onteora Strong as everyone works together to support one another.

Go Eagles!

Sincerely,

Victoria McLaren, Superintendent of Schools

Jodi DeLucia, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction

Monica LaClair, Assistant Superintendent for Business