

# Dallas Center – Grimes Community School District



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DCG Families,

Today, Governor Reynolds held a press conference communicating that schools remain out of session for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year due to COVID-19. This also includes the cancellation of spring sports activities. Since the Governor's initial recommendation to close schools on March 15, we have all desired to return to our normal. We miss our students and the daily joy they bring us. For the safety of our students, teachers, and communities we appreciate the Governor's direction.

We will continue to move forward with the plans we have in place through the teacher-guided Voluntary Educational Enrichment Opportunities (VEEO). VEEO offers learning specific to grade levels, content areas and courses. Classroom teachers and advisors sent information on Monday, April 13th. If you did not receive information please reach out to your child's teacher or advisor.

We would like to gain a better understanding of the internet and device capabilities for our families. Please take a moment to complete a survey by Wednesday, April 22. We would like every family to complete the survey. By completing this survey it will help the district determine internet accessibility for VEEO.

We will provide additional communication on our district plans moving forward in the days and weeks ahead. We appreciate your patience as we wait for continued guidance from the state. If you are feeling additional stress and anxiety please do not hesitate to reach out to Employee and Family Resources (EFR). Phones are answered 24-hours a day and can be reached at 800-327-4692. DCG students and families are eligible for up to six free sessions.

I cannot express my gratitude enough over the past 33 days. The outpouring of support and kindness I have witnessed in our communities, and from our teachers and staff makes me proud to be part of our district. Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions. Together, we are DCG!

Scott Grimes, Superintendent