

# East Haddam Public Schools

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Dear Families and Staff,

Thank you for your patience and cooperation during this unique time. Students and educators alike are experiencing education in new ways together. We are discovering a significant amount about using technology for distance-learning.

As many of you know, Governor Lamont announced at the press conference yesterday that all schools in Connecticut will be closed until April 20, 2020. We will continue our distance-learning program until schools buildings are re-opened.

'Grab-and-Go' breakfasts and lunches are available on Mondays and Wednesdays from 11:00-1:00 at Nathan Hale-Ray High School. These meals are available free of charge to school age children in the district. The federal government lifted restrictions and we do not require a student's name to pick up a meal.

We know that these are trying times and if you have a concern about your child's online learning experience, please let your teacher and principal know. As this system is new to us, we need to hear your feedback.

School offices are closed to the public. Staff are coming into the buildings when necessary and someone will answer the phone or respond to voicemail. While the offices continue to process a high volume of calls and communications, we are attempting to minimize the exposure of our staff members at this time.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Sincerely,



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