

March 14, 2020

Dear Fiddlehead Community ~

The Board of Directors ***has voted to close the school, Monday, March 16th in an effort to be PROACTIVE and approach the Coronavirus outbreak with an abundance of caution.*** We will be closed through April break and will be monitoring the situation during this period of time. We tentatively will re-open on Monday, April 27th. All Parent – Teacher Conferences will be rescheduled at a later date, but reports will still be sent to you via email.

MONDAY, March 16th:

This day will be conducted as an Early Release Day and is an optional attendance for all students and staff. We will be open from 8:20 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (with the same bus schedule) in order for your child to gather their personal belongings, pick up some work to do at home during our closure, and say our “see you later’s” to each other. (We will also have the school open tomorrow, Saturday, March 14th from 8:30 – 10:30 a.m. if this is more convenient for you to pick up your child’s personal items.)

As we navigate the ever-changing news about COVID-19, including its reach into our area, we are focusing on four immediate and equally important responsibilities:

- The health and safety of our students and their families, and our staff and their families.
- Our responsibility as an employer to our incredible and hard-working TEAM.
- Our responsibility to our students and families to provide the best educational experience we can offer during these unprecedented times
- Our role as a school in the community.

Our staff will be communicating with you next week as we continue to develop our learning plans. You can expect regular updates from us as the situation evolves. On behalf of all of our team at Fiddlehead—thank you for your continued confidence in us and we wish you all the best of health.

Sincerely,

Jacinda