



# Montgomery Township School District

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March 10, 2020

Good Afternoon,

This email is in response to recent inquiries regarding concerns surrounding COVID-19.

The district continues to work collaboratively with the Montgomery Township Department of Health and township officials. Guidance is provided to us by the Center for Disease Control and the New Jersey Department of Education. Please visit our district website for the COVID-19 Information and Updates webpage. There is also a link to the Montgomery Township Department of Health website available.

District Leadership; Board of Education members; the district physician, Dr. Bert Mandelbaum; and the Montgomery Township Health Officer, Stephanie Carey, met to discuss all aspects regarding the safety and well being of our students, staff and community members. We have a plan for additional school cleaning and hygiene protocols, the management of ill students, alternative instruction if needed, and have hand-washing posters available for all schools and buildings.

As of today, we are operating on a regular schedule and school calendar with the exception of the early dismissal on March 16, 2020, to provide staff the time to plan for the possibility of providing alternative instruction to students. Spring break remains Thursday, April 9 (contingency snow day) through Sunday, April 19, 2020. Notification will be sent if any further changes to the school calendar are necessary.

Sincerely,

Mary E. McLoughlin

Acting Superintendent