

March 13, 2020

Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s):

Earlier this week the teachers provided students with instructions for accessing instructional materials in the event that we would need to schedule an extended school closing. Given the recent developments and the plan to keep Abington schools closed until March 30, we want to clearly communicate the district's plan for the continuation of learning for secondary schools.

Teachers at the Junior and Senior High School have established Google Classrooms for each course. Google Classroom is a platform that allows students to have access to course work at any time through the Internet. It is accessible through computers and mobile devices with Internet capabilities—including iPhone, iPads, and Android devices. The teachers also offered paper copies of the instructional materials.

At this time, it is our expectation that students will use 6 days, starting Thursday, March 19 to complete these instructional materials. Teachers will communicate their course specific instructions to parents and guardians by Tuesday, March 17 via the Skyward Messaging System. They will also reiterate their instructions to students via their Google Classrooms.

If you are looking for other opportunities for your child(ren) during this time, you can access the Abington School District Instructional Resource Website at <https://www.abington.k12.pa.us/resources/> for links to a variety of resources.

We remain committed to providing your child(ren) with engaging learning opportunities and instructional resources. We will continue to communicate all relevant information and provide support now and in the days ahead.

Sincerely,

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