



Oswayo Valley School District

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Oswayo Valley Faculty and Community Members,

As all of you are aware by now, the COVID- 19 situation is an ever changing, dynamic one for not only the federal and state government, but all school districts alike. This situation has brought about many uncertainties for students, families, and school districts across the state. As of March 17, 2020, the Oswayo Valley School district has put into action a plan to help overcome the mandated governor ten (10) day school shutdown. Please see the bulleted list below for direction and expectations during this time period currently outlined by the governor.

- Wednesday, March 18, 2020 – All faculty and staff members who need to obtain their personal belongings will be able to do so during the hours of 10:00am to 2:00pm. All personnel will need to enter through the main offices in their respective building. This include any class pets that need taken care of. All FOB access to the district buildings will be turned off as of today, March 17, 2020.
- All 3rd quarter grades must be entered by the end of the day on Wednesday, March 18, 2020. There should be no outstanding incomplete or missing assignments for graded work that was assigned before or during this mandatory school closure period.
- The discussion of extending or changing the 3rd and 4th marking period will remain a fluid one depending on government action throughout the mandated school closure beyond the mandated ten day school closure period.
- The nursing office will also be open during this time on Wednesday, March 18, 2020 so that any student that may need their medication can be returned to them during the mandated school closure period.
- As you may know, the school district will be serving breakfast and lunches to families throughout this ten day period at no cost to any child ages 0-18 whether they are enrolled in Oswayo Valley, Cyber Charter Schools, Home Schooled or Charter Schools. The meals will be served as a grab and go bag lunch from 11:30am to 12:30pm each day. There will be that day's lunch with the next day's breakfast served at one time daily. There will be a shared google doc for any teacher or staff member that would be willing to help serve lunches. The district asks that volunteers are limited to three per day.
- Throughout this time period, the custodial staff will be working tirelessly to ensure that our buildings remain clean, sanitary, to promote a healthy working and learning environment.

- Please continue to keep checking the district website for any additional information that may become available throughout these uncertain times. We understand that there are many questions that you may have, may not be answered until we get guidance from PDE or Governor Wolf, please be patient with us, as we receive information we will share it with all of you to promote transparency between all parties involved.
- The district wants to thank all employees in advance for their continued support throughout this dynamic time period.
- PDE Link for more information:
<https://www.education.pa.gov/Schools/safeschools/emergencyplanning/COVID-19/Pages/AnswersToFAQs.aspx>

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jed Hamberger', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Jed Hamberger

Superintendent