



# HOLY TRINITY

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I'm writing to provide you with the latest update regarding our efforts to ensure the health and safety of our students and staff as it relates to the coronavirus, known as COVID-19 virus. At this time, Holy Trinity Diocesan High School has no known cases nor has anyone been tested for the COVID-19 virus.

At this time, Diocesan elementary and high schools in the Diocese of Rockville Centre will conduct a **Professional Day on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>**. Only faculty and staff are to report, **NO STUDENTS**. No students will attend school from **Monday March 16<sup>th</sup> through Friday March 20<sup>th</sup>**.

Our faculty has been preparing educational materials for ongoing, home-based learning to ensure our students continue to be academically engaged. Monday's Professional Day will be utilized to pilot these online learning efforts to ensure that our schools are prepared to provide continuity of instruction for the remainder of the week. During this time our faculty and staff will be able to troubleshoot and navigate their way through online learning strategies. The extended closing will also allow for schools to continue to participate in extensive deep cleaning and sanitization.

Further information regarding the reopening of schools will follow next week, as the situation continues to develop. Students will continue to receive assignments via Google Classroom, as they have all year. I will continue to keep you updated.

Warmest Regards,

Kathleen Moran  
Principal

## Resources:

- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>
- Frequently Asked Questions and Answers: Coronavirus Disease-2019 (COVID-19) and Children: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/specific-groups/children-faq.html>
- World Health Organization (WHO) <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/events-as-theyhappen>
- New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) <https://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/coronavirus>
- Travel guidance from the CDC: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/index.html>

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