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March 13, 2020

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students:

Norfolk County Agricultural High School has been fortunate enough not to have experienced any confirmed cases of the COVID-19 virus to date. However, in an effort to exercise an abundance of caution and to ensure the continued safety of our Aggie family,

NCAHS will be closed from Monday, March 16th, 2020 through Friday, March 27, 2020.

Efforts to respond to the coronavirus threat include:

- School will be closed from Monday, March 16th, 2020 to Friday, March 27th 2020. School is expected to resume on March 30, 2020. However, if the circumstances change, you will be notified.
- Staff and students are not allowed on campus during these 2 weeks unless they have been notified that they are essential personnel. Therefore, all personal belongings need to be removed from classrooms, shops, lockers and desks by end of school day on March 13, 2020
- A comprehensive, thorough cleaning will begin Wednesday March 18, 2020 and will continue for the next three days.
- Teachers are encouraged to provide enrichment activities in an effort to encourage continued student learning. This work is optional for our students. No grades or extra points will be given or deducted for the work.
- At this time, MCAS is still scheduled. However, we are waiting on guidance from DESE about an extension in testing dates.
- We are committed to providing the best possible learning experience for your student. Therefore, we encourage you to continue accessing your normal correspondence with teachers whether through Google sites or email as needed.
- Lastly, if your student is eligible for free or reduced lunches, please check with your local town or city hall.

We are committed to remaining in contact with you as decisions from the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Center of Disease Control and Prevention, and county health professionals become available.

Your continued patience regarding the challenges we face are greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask.

Sincerely,

Administration

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