

Monday, March 23, 2020

#### School Information Update #4

From Mr. Sjuts and Mr. King

Here is a school and COVID-19 update for our parents, students and staff. ESU #7 schools received a recommendation from the East Central Health District during our Sunday, March 22 meeting that Humphrey Public School will now be **CLOSED thru Thursday, April 30**. During the closure, all school activities will be suspended. The school closure will be re-evaluated on Thursday, April 16 to decide whether to re-open. At this time, we will also discuss May activities such as Graduation. We want to be transparent with parents, students and staff that Humphrey Public School along with other schools in Nebraska are preparing to operate in this alternate educational/learning environment (without students in school) through the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. This decision to re-open will follow the advice/recommendations of the CDC, ECHD, Commissioner of Education and our Governor in order to keep our students, staff, community, and state safe.

Humphrey Public School staff have been working diligently preparing educational enrichment activities/materials to continue learning for ALL of our students during this time. We have scheduled a staff meeting for Tuesday, March 24 to finalize our roll out plan. We will provide an informational update Tuesday with this information for parents and students.

These informational updates will be shared via Connect 5, the COVID-19 link on our school website and the school Facebook page.

As a reminder, continue encouraging your children to avoid locations such as shopping malls, movie theatres, etc. and practice social distancing to help prevent the spread of the coronavirus. Should you ever have any questions, please contact us at school at 402-923-1230.