

Sherwood Elementary School

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Good Afternoon Sherwood Archer Families,

As you know, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis has announced that K-12 schools statewide will remain closed until April 15, 2020. In addition, the Governor has canceled all K-12 required state testing (FSA) and the Florida Department of Education will not be assigning school grades for the 2019-2020 school year.

Today, I am reaching out to reassure you that Brevard Public schools is working diligently on providing instructional continuity (on-line instruction) for all BPS students beginning on Monday, March 30th. Brevard Public Schools will be delivering instruction district wide through a distance learning platform. Students will need to access instruction and assignments via FOCUS. Please refer to our school website to access an instruction sheet for logging into Launchpad and FOCUS. Please know, Sherwood Elementary School Administration, Teachers, and Staff are here to support you and your student. We will provide detailed information in the days to come!

Sherwood Elementary School is proud to open as a food distribution center beginning on Monday, March 23, 2020 – Friday, March 27, 2020 from 10:30 am – 1:30 pm. Meals will be distributed to any child age 18 years and younger. Each child will receive a package containing one breakfast meal and one lunch meal. To ensure social distancing, BPS requests that parents drive through the bus loop and release their trunk; a BPS employee will place one meal package per child in the trunk of the vehicle. Pedestrians will follow signs posted at the school for directions. Please note that per USDA requirements, the child must be present in order to receive a meal package.

Additionally, Sherwood Elementary is currently working on a plan to provide devices to our students that do not have devices at home for online instruction. Next week, we will reach out to families to identify computer needs and access to the internet. As we adjust to online instruction, there will be many questions. Our promise to you, is to work together to ensure the continued success of our students and community. We are looking forward to continuing instruction and providing support to all our students.

As a reminder, please visit the Brevard Schools Website and the Brevard Schools Facebook Page for the most up-to-date information.

Sincerely,

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