



# Le Roy Central School District

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Le Roy Central School District Parents and Guardians:

With the Genesee County Department of Health recommending that school districts close for the best interest of public health to slow the community spread of COVID-19, **Le Roy Central School District will be closed for all students starting on Monday, March 16, 2020, until further notice. This includes the cancellation of ALL school activities, sports, and outside facility use requests.**

Right now, our primary goal is to support the safety and well-being of our students, staff, and all families that encompass our school district. We understand that the central mission of school is to provide learning opportunities to all students. During this unprecedented public health concern, learning opportunities will be delivered and look differently than what we are normally accustomed to.

The Le Roy Central School District will not be providing our students with online instruction, mandated assignments, or required lessons during this timeframe in which we are out of school. Online instruction and mandating assignments are not equitable for all Le Roy students for a number of reasons. We are not going to push this initiative out to make it appear that it is. What we are asking though from our students and parents during this time away from school is go back and review the work that has already been taught/completed. We have 25-weeks worth of past learning experiences for your child to look back on and grow from. Pushing new learning out to our students without the support of our teachers will cause more stress and anxiety in an already heightened time. Please look on the building principal pages on the district's website ([www.leroycsd.org](http://www.leroycsd.org)) for "ways to stay sharp" during this closure.

**Le Roy Central School District will be providing free breakfast and lunch to all students in grades K – 12 starting on Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> at the Wolcott Street School Main Entrance.** Using the location where the buses load and unload at the Wolcott Street School, we have created a drive-thru grab-and-go system to pick up a current day lunch and a following day breakfast. **Breakfast and lunch will be available Monday through Friday from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM.** If your child is participating in this free breakfast and lunch opportunity and has any allergies, please contact the main office to make them aware.

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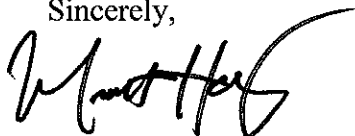
For students who may need their **medication** during the closure, please contact the main office to arrange a time to pick it up from the School Nurse. At this time in order to keep everyone safe, we are not allowing any students to pick up any items left behind in school unless they are absolutely essential. Stay tuned for any changes with this procedure.

All Le Roy Central School District Special Education meetings scheduled for Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> and for the duration of the closure will be cancelled. This includes both the Jrs/Sr HS, Wolcott Street School, and Le Roy students attending out of district placements. We will look to reschedule all of these meetings in a timely manner once we receive more information relative to our return to school. Formal CSE invitations will be mailed from our Le Roy Special Education and Student Services Department once a new meeting date and time have been established.

I will be consulting with local public health officials to review this closure weekly. As of now, school is closed through the end of this week, Friday March, 20<sup>th</sup>. I will provide you with an update by midday on Friday so all families can plan accordingly.

I would like to thank our students, families, and community in advance for their patience and cooperation as we work together to support one another through this unprecedented school closure. As a school community, we are all in this together with one common goal – the health and safety of our students, which is always our highest priority. Stay safe!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Merritt Holly', with a large, sweeping flourish extending from the end of the name.

Merritt Holly  
Superintendent of Schools