Dear Dragons,

Today, Governor Polis announced that while the statewide stay-at-home order will expire this weekend, the continued closure of schools to on-campus learning is a critical piece to maintaining the social distancing required to keep the spread of the coronavirus manageable. Flagstaff Academy will be physically closed for the remainder of the school year. This move is not unexpected, although we understand it will lead to a certain amount of disappointment over the cancelation and/or postponement of many of our end-of-school year celebrations. Our virtual learning environment will continue through the regularly scheduled academic school year and we deeply appreciate your support and partnership.

In light of this news, we wanted you to know that we are already working on many issues normally encountered at the end of the year or topics of concern to our families. We will be providing updated information and communications in the coming weeks related to the impacts to:

- **Graduation, Continuations, and Celebrations**
  - 8th Grade graduation, dance, and Elitch Gardens trip
  - 5th Grade continuation
  - Kindergarten continuation
    - Cap and gown photos
  - Preschool graduation
  - Classroom celebrations
- Returning library books
- Yearbook Distribution
- Flagstaff Devices
  - Returning loaner devices
  - 8th Grade CB Purchase
  - Dragon Flight Care and Summer Camp

Our goal and commitment are to provide regular, ongoing and updated communication about this difficult time in all of our
lives. This is an ever-evolving situation and we are working with the information we receive and how to best respond and communicate with our community. Our school community is a precious part of all of our lives and while we are sad that we will not be able to close the school year as we normally do. Please know every single Dragon is in our hearts!

Stay well.

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