

UNION BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Beginning on Monday, March 16, 2020, the Union Beach Public School District will close Memorial School and move to remote instruction. This will last for two full school weeks. At the end of those two weeks, we will reevaluate the situation. During remote instruction, students will complete the instructional assignments given to them by their teachers. Please check the website at www.unionbeachschools.org, and look under the “District” section at the Coronavirus Information Page. There you will find resources for remote instruction. This page will be updated with resources over the weekend.

This closure is preemptive as there are no cases of COVID-19 reported in the Union Beach School District. It is being carried out as a means to reduce the interaction of individuals and thereby reduce any possible transmission of this communicable disease in the greater community as recommended by the CDC.

During the implementation of remote instruction, staff will be available for correspondence via email. Should you need to talk to an administrator, teacher, guidance counselor, nurse, or CST member, please send a message to their district email. Staff will respond either through email or telephone during the regular school day as appropriate.

We understand that remote instruction is not ideal, and that it can certainly not match the face-to-face instruction of a skilled teacher. However, we believe that this proactive measure will help to stop the spread of COVID-19 and assist in maintaining the health and safety of our students, staff, and overall community.

Thank you again for your understanding,

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