

Dear Wilmington Community,

I am writing to provide you with an update on the situation within the Wilmington Public Schools. Please note that nothing has changed since the information shared with you yesterday. Progress has been made throughout the course of the day today in terms of the deep cleaning our facilities. However, it has been determined that additional time is needed to complete this task. As a result, all schools will remain closed on Friday, March 13, 2020.

I also want to share with you additional information:

- The Central Office Leadership Team remains in close contact with the Wilmington Board of Health, the Town Manager and the Emergency Management Committee.
- Please note that if your student is currently attending an out-of-district placement, and their school is open tomorrow, transportation will be provided.
- Please note that in addition to our school facilities, our buses will also be sanitized.
- This larger situation related to the ongoing operation of our schools remains very fluid. There continues to be a steady stream of information being sent out by multiple agencies and we are closely monitoring all of this. As there is additional information to share, or decisions we might need to make in the best interest of health and safety, I will be sure to share this with you.
- We have updated content on our district to provide you with one location for information on COVID-19. Please visit <https://www.wpsk12.com/coronavirus>

I thank you for your ongoing support and patience in these challenging times.

Sincerely,

Glenn Brand

Superintendent of Schools