



March 24, 2020

Greetings EEACS students and families,

We would like to update you on our current school closure status. Since schools are closed for an additional two weeks, until at least April 6<sup>th</sup>, we will be increasing our virtual instruction opportunities for our students. All students have been setup with an email. Some know their emails, however others do not, mostly our younger students. If your child does not know their email or cannot access their email please send [techsupport@ee-schools.org](mailto:techsupport@ee-schools.org) their name and grade **this week**.

The teachers have been asked to put together Google classrooms, in addition to offering online resources for students. Many teachers have already done this and some students have already taken advantage of this, which is great. To increase this level of engagement for more students, we are excited to take this opportunity to help students and parents explore distant learning through the amazing Google classroom platform, if they are able to. Please watch this friendly tutorial to learn about using the Google classroom <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Iowi-gmbys>.

We understand that not all families have the same access to technology, so at this time, formal instruction continues **to not be required**. We are offering these good faith efforts to ensure the continuity of instruction to the best of our abilities and we look forward to this opportunity to expand learning with technology.

Thank you for your continued patience as we work through this unprecedented event. We realize that many families are struggling to make sense of this pandemic, processing the loss of jobs, and worrying about loved ones who are susceptible to the virus or for those who are sick. The health, safety, and well-being of our students, families and staff are the priority right now. Let's work together to do the best we can under these circumstances. If anyone needs anything during this trying time, we encourage you to reach out to your child's teacher or team leader. Stay safe everyone!

Warm Regards,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke, positioned above the name 'Bob Lysek, CEO'.

Bob Lysek, CEO