

Fannett-Metal School District

Below are a list of FAQ Responses Based on the Common Questions we have Received

Q: What does the closure mean for AP exams, standardized tests, PSSA's and Keystones?

A: The PA Dept. of Education will provide guidance regarding PSSA's and Keystones which our district would follow when any changes are determined.

Q: Some students can continue to just get information from teachers online; was that considered?

A: As a district, we are responsible for equity of access to instruction for all students; that includes students without home access to the internet, and appropriate programming for students with disabilities; therefore the District is not endorsing students to complete any work that may have been assigned or provided as optional work.

Q: My child's school has an event planned during this time (i.e. music concert, science fair, etc.) Will these events take place when school resumes?

A: All activities are currently canceled through March 27. Individual buildings, programs and activities will communicate plans for events scheduled after that date; or make-up dates for those missed, as they are determined.

Q: Will students enrolled in dual enrollment classes in the high school have any different deadlines for their classes?

A: Any changes to dual enrollment course deadlines will be communicated via the high school if there are any changes based on the current closure.

Q: When will these days be made up?

A: Currently, the Governor has stated that the days missed from March 16-March 27 will not count against the state required 180 school days. We will respond appropriately as a district once the total number of days missed due to "virus" closures has been determined.

Q: Will graduation still be held on May 29th?

A: There are currently no plans to change graduation. It will still be held on May 29th.

Q: Will you re-evaluate the situation in two weeks before the students go back to school?

A: Yes, the Governor has stated that the closures state-wide will be re-evaluated during the current closure. We as a district will also re-evaluate operations during that time as well. We remain in close contact with PA Dept. of Ed., PA Dept. of Health, and the other districts in our Intermediate Unit (Adams, Franklin, York Counties).

Q: My child has their medication at school and I will need it before two weeks.. how do I go about getting it back?

A: If you have medication at school that needs to be "picked up" during the closure, please email our school nurse barnisht@fmtigers.org, and a plan will be created to facilitate the "pick up".

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