



# WOODHAVEN-BROWNSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Mark Greathead  
Superintendent

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Dear Woodhaven-Brownstown School District Community,

As you are likely aware, Sunday evening, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) issued an emergency order that introduced several restrictions across the State of Michigan in an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19. One of those restrictions is the prohibition of face-to-face instruction for all high school students, November 18 – December 8 (three weeks).

With the MDHHS determining that it is not safe for in-person instruction for a segment of our K-12 student and staff population, the WBSD is going to err on the side of caution for the safety of all of our K-12 students and staff. **Therefore, we will be suspending ALL K-12 in-person instruction in the Woodhaven-Brownstown School District from Wednesday, November 18 – Tuesday, December 8.** During that time, all students will be engaged in remote/online learning with their teachers on a daily basis. Your child's teacher and building principal will provide additional information.

Please know that this was not a decision that we entered into lightly. When the governor indicated at the start of the school year that it was safe for in-person instruction, the Woodhaven-Brownstown Board of Education provided our students and parents options, and in doing so, provided our students with the best educational choices available given the circumstances. We will continue to closely monitor community data and work in conjunction with the Wayne County Health Department as we plan for a return to in-person education Wednesday, December 9.

The Board of Education and I are very proud of the hard work and dedication that the WBSD teachers, administrators, and support staff have shown over the last two months. We are just as proud with how our students have approached their learning this school year. Together, the Woodhaven-Brownstown School District will continue to be a Destination for Excellence.

Thank you for your continued support of the Woodhaven-Brownstown School District. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Mark Greathead  
Superintendent  
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District