



**ISD #229**  
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*Learning Today...Leading Tomorrow*

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Dear Lanesboro School Families,

I know these are difficult times for everyone, and I hope that as a district, we are helping to meet your needs right now. A large group of our staff is working hard to create a learning experience for your child that will help provide consistency and routine in these uncertain circumstances. We will be transitioning to a distance learning model starting **March 30th through April 30th**. We will have challenges, however, staff are doing the work now to help us find success moving forward.

Our primary goal with this process is to ensure that your child has an opportunity to be connected with our school community. There may be challenges as we grow into this distance learning model, but I know that our staff and community has the ability to work through barriers like no place I've been before. As we navigate the distance learning process, we'll make mistakes, we'll learn, and we'll grow to be better each day.

You and/or your child have received or will soon receive information regarding the expectations for distance learning. The Distance Learning Plans will be posted to our school website by Friday morning this week. It will be under the tab titled "Distance Learning Plans". There you will find either the Secondary and/or Elementary plans to help guide our next month of education. If you have any questions regarding the Distance Learning Plans, please contact your child's teacher via email. For our MS/HS students, if there are network issues (internet connection) or hardware issues (Chromebooks), please contact Mr. Clarke at [brettclarke@lanesboroschools.com](mailto:brettclarke@lanesboroschools.com) for assistance.

We continue to operate the breakfast and lunch program that allows all children 18 and under to receive free meals, at no cost to the district. We encourage families to use this service as needed. Please email the school at [office@lanesboro.k12.mn.us](mailto:office@lanesboro.k12.mn.us) prior to Monday mornings at 6:00 am if you will need this service. As this process continues, we ask that you email each week so we are sure to have everyone counted and meals prepared.

With the circumstances around this public health emergency changing so quickly, sometimes even within hours, please know that we will respond the best we can, using all the information available, in the timeliest way possible. Thank you for putting your trust in us — I promise we will keep doing the work that is required to find success.

Sincerely,

Matt Schultz  
Superintendent; Lanesboro Public Schools