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Dear HOPE Families and Staff,

As you may have already heard, Governor Walz announcement on April 23, 2020 of a new Executive Order that continues the Extended Distance Learning in schools statewide for the remainder of this school year. There will be no school on May 1 & 4. These two days are designated for planning days for teachers to continue to plan for the rest of the school year. Our last day of school remains June 2, 2020.

This spring has been especially hard for our students. Many school events have been cancelled for this year. We will find other meaningful ways to celebrate our children, especially our graduating class of 2020. The K and 8th graduation date will still be on June 1, 2020. More information will be coming out in the next few weeks.

Presently, we are asking for your continued support of the distance learning for all our children. Parents, we know you are doing your very best, and that is all we can ask of you. Please continue to provide a structured time and place for your children to learn at home. Our teaching staff are also doing their very best to teach from a distance too. I am grateful for all of us working together as one team, reaching the same goal, and that goal is to keep the learning of our children active and engaged!

As for the future, we will also be looking at how best to support our children when they return to school in the fall and how to be successful in the 2020-2021 school year.

For now, please stay safe and healthy!

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Executive Director