

Dear Families of Hawkins County and Rogersville City Schools:

Following the recommendation of Gov. Bill Lee, our schools will be closed Tuesday, March 17, through Tuesday, March 31, which includes our previously scheduled week of Spring Break. During that time, we will closely monitor national, state, and local health directives, which may necessitate further closings. We will communicate those to you promptly, if that need occurs.

The safety of our students and staffs is our utmost concern. As such, all school activities and events are cancelled through Tuesday, March 31. We urge you to wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds; to use hand sanitizer with 60% alcohol, if soap and water are not readily available; and to avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands. Please stay at home if you are sick except to receive medical care, and practice social distancing until this time of COVID-19 concern passes. For further guidance regarding safety protocols, please visit www.cdc.gov.

As of this writing, no cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed in Hawkins County. To monitor daily activity, reports, and counties of reported cases, visit www.tn.gov/health. The site is updated daily at 2:00 P. M. CST. Most cases in Tennessee remain in the Nashville area in Davidson and Williamson counties.

Please continue to monitor our respective websites at www.hck12.net and www.rcschool.net and social media for further and/or developing information.

Stay safe and be well.

Sincerely,

Matt Hixson, Director
Hawkins County Schools

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