



# Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation

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## Indian Creek Schools

To: All NHJUSC Parents & Staff

Date: 3/20/2020

Subject: Updated Information - Coronavirus

Dear NHJ Students and Families,

Yesterday, Governor Holcomb announced that all public schools should remain closed through May 1, 2020. As the situation with the Coronavirus/COVID-19 continues to evolve, we want to provide you with an updated school calendar through the end of April.

- **Monday, March 23 - Friday, April 3:** Spring Break
  - Students should not report to school; nor will they have classwork to complete.
- **Monday, April 6 – Friday, April 10:** NHJUSC will use five waiver days granted by the Governor.
  - Students should not report to school; nor will they have classwork to complete.
- **Monday, April 13 – Friday, April 17:** On Monday (4/13), Wednesday (4/15), and Friday (4/17), NHJUSC will conduct eLearning days. Then, on Tuesday (4/14) and Thursday (4/16) we will use two waiver days.
- **Monday, April 20 – Friday, April 24:** On Monday (4/20), Wednesday (4/22), and Friday (4/24), NHJUSC will conduct eLearning days. Then, on Tuesday, (4/21) and Thursday (4/23) we will use two waiver days.
- **Monday, April 27 – Friday, May 1:** On Monday (4/27), Wednesday (4/29), and Friday (5/1), NHJUSC will conduct eLearning days. Then, on Tuesday (4/28) and Thursday (4/30) we will use two waiver days.

From April 13<sup>th</sup> to May 1<sup>st</sup>, our weekly structure of 3 days eLearning (M,W,F) and 2 waiver days (T, TH) will provide an opportunity for students to have intermittent breaks and time to complete assignments, while allowing our teachers sufficient grading time and digital lesson planning time. If you have specific questions, please stay in contact with your respective classroom teachers.

Additionally, Governor Holcomb announced yesterday in his press conference that all Indiana standardized testing has been suspended for the remainder of the school year. This means no testing for IREAD-3, ILEARN (grades 3-8), ISTEP (gd. 10), etc.



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### Building Accessibility and Guidelines

Indian Creek's buildings and athletic facilities will remain closed during this time period.

### Extracurricular Activities

All extracurricular activities including practices and events are cancelled until May 1<sup>st</sup>. We are still waiting to hear further guidance and direction from the IHSAA about the high school spring sports season.

### Food services

Beginning on **Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup>**, Indian Creek will provide a free drive-through food distribution to student families. The distribution will occur between 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. in the upper drive, just outside the HS/MS cafeteria under the outside canopy. Students can receive up to five (5) breakfast and five (5) lunch pre-packed meals. These meals are available to all NHJ students. Please complete the online survey (a separate reminder with a weblink will be sent as it gets closer to this date) by midnight on Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, if you will be utilizing this service. If you do not have access to the internet, please call Food Services at 317-878-2106.

We will do this free food distribution again on the following dates:

**Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**Tuesday, April 28<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

Please be prepared for ongoing communication via school messenger, social media, and our corporation website. We appreciate your continued partnership in keeping our students and staff safe and healthy. If you have specific building level questions, please email the respective building level principal.

Sincerely,

Tim Edsell, Ph.D.  
NHJUSC Superintendent








# THE CREEK

## INDIAN CREEK SCHOOLS
























### Coronavirus Plan Monthly Schedule

March 2020

Updated: March 19, 2020

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
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April/May 2020

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
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 = Waiver Day     = eLearning Day     = Spring Break

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) announces the cancellation of the upcoming Spring 2020 assessment windows. Please note this guidance applies to all corporations and/or schools responsible for delivering state assessments within Indiana. The specific assessments are noted below with additional details.

- IREAD-3
  - The Spring 2020 IREAD-3 assessment is cancelled.
  - A decision about the Summer 2020 IREAD-3 Retest for currently enrolled fourth and fifth graders needing this requirement will be made at a later date.
  
- ILEARN (3-8, End-of-Course Assessments)
  - The Spring 2020 ILEARN assessment is cancelled.
  - The Winter 2020 ILEARN Biology results and rescore opportunity will be deployed at a later date more conducive to corporation and school availability to engage in the review of student responses.
  
- ISTEP+
  - The ISTEP+ Part 1 and 2 First Time Administration is cancelled for the remaining duration in Spring 2020.
  - ISTEP+ Winter 2020 test results will be deployed on April 6, 2020 as previously scheduled to inform decisions about remediation and graduation requirements.
  - A decision about the Summer 2020 ISTEP+ Retest will be made at a later date.
  
- I AM
  - The I AM assessment is cancelled.
  
- WIDA Screener
  - WIDA Screeners should be provided to students per federal guidance to the extent the corporation or school is open to determine associated services upon enrollment. No action is required if the corporation or school building is formally closed to students. Contact IDOE for additional guidance in varying circumstances.
  
- ISPROUT Early Learning Assessment
  - ISPROUT continues to be available for early childhood providers to indicate ratings to the extent providers are open and available to do so. ISPROUT administration should be deprioritized as rationale for decisions regarding provider access. Contact IDOE for additional guidance in varying circumstances.

The Department will release additional guidance to schools as it becomes available.