

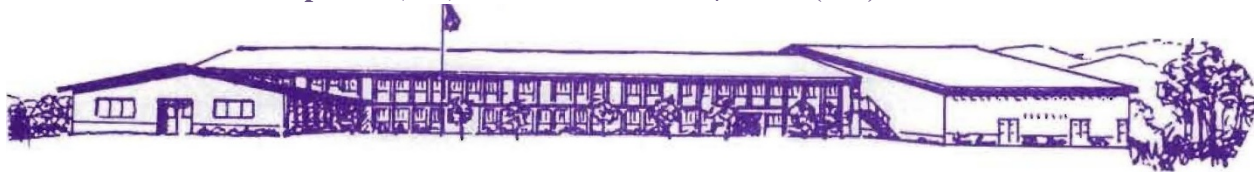
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Dear Parent/Guardian:

MCS continues to monitor the COVID19 outbreak. Our plan is to update you whenever we have made a decision regarding our practices/protocols or when an issue has arisen that you should be made aware of. At this time there are still zero confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Otsego County.

EXTENSION OF CLOSURE

Under a 30-day State of Emergency Order issued at 10:54 a.m. by David Bliss, Otsego County Board Chairmen, the Milford Central School District will now extend its 14-day closure through Monday, April 13th in order to be in alignment with Otsego County's State of Emergency Order. As such, classes will resume on Tuesday, April 14th. This decision to extend this closure was made unanimously by the superintendents of all Otsego County school districts in the Otsego Northern Catskills BOCES.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

We are planning to implement a food distribution drive thru at the school once a week on Saturdays from 9-12 starting on 3/21/2020. We have chosen to do this on Saturdays to make sure we are not further burdening families with missing more work. We are coordinating with Milford Food Pantry which will be open during the same hours on Saturday. We will be seeking ~5-10 volunteers per weekend. We will be using the district's FaceBook page to organize volunteers for each weekend. Volunteer signups will begin tomorrow (3/17/2020).

Our goal is to minimize rumors by sharing with you accurate, timely information. We ask that if you have questions, you send them directly to me at mplace@milfordcentral.org. I will do my best to get the questions answered for you, and I will post those answers via the school's website and social media in a timely manner so that everyone in our community has the same information.

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