April 2, 2020

Dear Cub Families,

Governor John Bel Edwards announced during his daily press conference this afternoon that the extension of Louisiana’s stay-at-home order as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic does include K-12 schools. As such, the ULS campus will remain closed through April 30.

As of March 16, ULS transitioned to virtual instruction and plans to continue moving forward academically in that manner throughout the closure. I have been deeply heartened during these past two weeks to witness our entire community – faculty/staff, students and parents – coming together to ensure that learning, and indeed our school’s mission and vision of providing an exemplary education to maximize student potential, endures despite our physical absence from one another.

Please know that while scheduled events and activities through April 30 have been postponed, we are hard at work on rescheduling and/or evaluating alternative plans for as many as possible and will communicate that information to you once fully determined. We are also looking ahead, should the campus closure continue beyond April 30, at our important end of the year activities and considering contingency plans for those as well.

Our community’s well-being remains our top priority and is at the heart of all of our decisions. While we are apart physically, we are all in this together. If there is anything that you or your family need, please do not hesitate to reach out to your instructors, counselors or administrators.

I look forward to the day that we can again be together. In the meantime, I hope you all remain safe and well.

Sincerely,

Amy Westbrook
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