Dear U. City Families and Staff,

As we officially begin spring break on Monday, March 16, I understand that the health and well-being of our families and community are at the forefront of all our minds. As a school system, we take this situation very seriously. I’m confident we will each do our part to care for one another during this especially unusual time.

As we continue to plan and prepare for the days and weeks ahead, I will continue to update you on our next steps. We are in close contact with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control, St. Louis County Health Department and other school districts. Over spring break, we are taking extra precautions to sanitize and clean every classroom and all school buses.

As you travel, I encourage you to use the CDC’s guidelines for travel and think about the safety of our entire community. We have asked that you notify us of any travel plans via email to communications@ucityschools.org.

Please review the recent emails sent from the District with important information regarding the COVID-19 coronavirus. As things change, and yes, they are changing daily, we will constantly keep you updated to help ensure the health and well-being of your family and our community. For quick access to important information and links, please visit our website at www.ucityschools.org/COVID-19.

As we move forward, we are diligently working to design plans to maintain the continuity of education in the event of short or long-term school closures.

- Elementary students have received learning packets with suggested instructional activities. Students are not expected to complete all activities.
- Middle school studies will use Google Classroom with school-provided Chromebooks.
- High school students will use Google Classroom and/or Launch with school-provided Chromebooks.

For technology concerns, please contact rdillon@ucityschools.org. If you have general questions or concerns related to instruction, please email communications@ucityschools.org.

We take the decision to close schools seriously and understand the impact a short or long-term closure has on our entire school community. In The School District of University City, the well-being of our students is important, so we are also working with our service providers to ensure continuity of support for students and families who may have a need.

Again, as you travel, please use the CDC’s guidelines and keep in mind that the updates are changing daily. This is an unprecedented time and requires us to work collectively to ensure the health and well-being of our entire community. I am confident that we will get through this together because we are The School District of University City.
In Service of Our Children,

Sharonica Hardin-Bartley, PhD, PHR
Superintendent of Schools

Click here to link to the video below.

To keep up-to-date on your school and District activities via Peachjar and calendars on the website or the APP.

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