

North Greenbush Common School District

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Dear Families,

Out of an abundance of caution, North Greenbush Common has decided to cancel school starting **Tuesday, March 17** in an effort to minimize the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19). We will continue to monitor the situation, and, while the anticipated return date would be **Monday, March 30**, we will communicate prior should that change.

This weekend, the superintendents from our twenty-three component districts in the Questar III BOCES Region, and representatives from all three County Health Departments (Columbia, Rensselaer, Greene), met for several hours to develop regional plans in response to this rapidly developing global pandemic.

North Greenbush will have school **Monday, March 16**. This will provide an opportunity for teachers and students to connect before the extended school closure. At the end of the day, Monday, March 16, we will be sending home academic materials for our students in an effort to keep our students engaged and to prevent regression of essential skills and content while classes are canceled.

Please know that our district understands how challenging this school closure will be for families. We understand that you will have many questions in the days and weeks to follow. Please know that we will continue to post information to our website to keep our community informed and updated. Stay well and healthy.

Sincerely,

Christine Hamill,  
Superintendent