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Dear Chester Ronning School Parents and Guardians;

We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding as we respond to the Premier's announcement that all schools in Alberta are being temporarily shifted to remote learning at the end of this week. As we make this temporary transition, we want to acknowledge how difficult this is for everyone and we also want to reassure our school community that we are here to support you to the best of our ability. We have previously navigated similar situations over the past year and we are very confident that students will be effectively supported in their learning during this time. Understandably, many of you will have specific questions about what this means for your children. Through communications such as this, as well as individualized phone calls and emails, we hope to answer most of those questions, but we do encourage you to call the school if there are things that remain unanswered.

Here is the current plan for our school:

- On Thursday, May 6 staff will help students pack up the resources and materials they will need for the next two weeks.
- On Thursday, May 6, students will be dismissed at the Early Dismissal time of 2:10 pm. They will take their learning materials home with them.
- There are no classes scheduled for Friday, May 7, as this was already a designated Collaboration Day in BRSD
- We expect in-person instruction to resume on Tuesday, May 25.
- Literacy and Numeracy will be the focus of learning during this two-week period.
- Before Monday, May 10, your child's teacher will connect with you to share a learning plan for the next two weeks.
- Online learning / remote instruction will get underway on Monday morning, May 10.
- If borrowing a school-owned Chromebook would help support your child's learning, please contact the school office. (\$100 deposit)

We know that this is a challenging situation and we appreciate your ongoing support and understanding during this most unusual year.

Sincerely,
Reid Lansing and Candice McLeod