April 24, 2020

Good afternoon faculty, students, and families of the Canton Area School District, This is your superintendent, Eric Briggs, with a few important announcements.

This afternoon, the district posted its updated Continuity of Education Plan on our website. It can be found under the Community Tab and on the Coronavirus Updates Page. Please take a moment to review this document. A few changes to this plan that are relevant for teachers and students:

1. First, we will be moving from option #2 (which is enrichment and review) to option #3, which is Planned Instruction. This transition will occur on Monday, May 4, 2020.
2. Students will not have class on this Wednesday through Friday (April 29 – May 1st) as teachers will be completing professional learning to assist in the launch of our May 4th Planned Instruction.
3. Students will be participating in Planned Instruction from May 4, 2020, through June 3rd. The last day for seniors is May 29.

Also this afternoon, under the Community Tab and Coronavirus Page, you will find an updated letter that I have constructed to answer the commonly asked questions the community has been asking us around Food Distribution, Continuity of Education, Learning, Grading, Graduation, and School Board Meetings, and Preparation steps for the 2020-2021 school year re-opening. Please feel free to check out this letter to answer any questions you may have. We also still have our “questions” email up and active at questions@canton.k12.pa.us.

Finally, we will be posting our weekly video this afternoon on the Community portion of the webpage displaying some of the great work our students worked on over the past week. As always, stay safe, stay home, and stay healthy!

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