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Dear Peru School Community,

On Friday, March 27th, Governor Andrew Cuomo announced that all public schools in New York State will remain closed until April 15th due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic ([Executive Order 202.11](#)). This new Executive Order supersedes all previous notifications, including those issued by the Peru School District.

We will follow this order, and all subsequent orders, as set forth and continue to provide remote instruction and meals to students. For the April 10th – 17th time period, we will only be delivering meals on Tuesday, April 14th and Thursday, April 16th. Students will receive double meals on some delivery days in order to cover the days of no delivery. If we remain out of school beyond that week, we will resume daily delivery of meals starting back up on the 20th of April. During this time, child care for essential workers is available by contacting Ms. Michelle Rawson at (518) 643-6100 or mrawson@perucsd.org.

The question has been asked about the families that do not have internet service at their homes, yet the District is having on-line programming and digital instruction for grades 6-12. As we go through this process, we have been developing solutions for this issue and will be rolling that plan out to our school community on Friday.

Thank you for continuing to partner with us. I am confident as a school community, we will stand together and do what we need to do to support our students, the families and our staff during this difficult time.

Please be safe and we will keep you informed.

Tom Palmer