



March 25, 2020

Dear FirstLine Families,

I hope this message finds you and your loved ones safe and well. I wanted to take some time to update you on three things happening at FirstLine Schools and across the city. As a reminder, we are updating our website regularly to include these resources and many more - please be sure to access as needed. If you are unable to access our website, you may call your school's front desk for support with any needs you may have.

### **Staff and Family Refresh Day**

On Friday, April 3rd we will not have any of our distance learning programs for the day. It is important to us that our staff and you, our families, take a day to relax and refresh. Distance learning will start again on Monday, April 6th. We will also not have distance learning classes during our regularly scheduled spring break, on April 9th - 13th.

### **Distance Learning Second Packet**

The second distance learning packets are being mailed out this week. You should receive the packets in your mail by Monday (March 30th). If you do not receive your packet by then, you may pick them up at your school on Tuesday (March 31st). Please note that in order to follow the "Stay at Home" mandate, we will have a table set up in front of the school for you to grab a packet. We will also have a sign with a phone number to call should you have any questions.

### **Update to Citywide Feeding Sites**

NOLA Public Schools are condensing the weekly schedule at the Citywide Feeding Program sites to multiple days of meals during specific daily time frames. See the updated schedule below:

- This Week
  - Meals for both Thursday and Friday will be served on **Thursday, March 26 from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.**
  - Community Feeding Sites will **NOT** be open on Friday, March 27.
- Next Week and Moving Forward:
  - Starting on Monday, March 30 – **every Monday**, meals will be provided for **two days from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.**
  - Every **Wednesday**, meals will be provided for **three days**. Moving forward Community Feeding sites will **NOT** be open on Tuesday, Thursday or Friday.
  - Families wishing to access information on child nutrition resources should visit the NOLA-PS webpage at <https://nolapublicschools.com/covid19/nutrition>. This webpage has the most up-to-date listing of where food services are available.

Thank you for your continued commitment to your student's learning. We value your partnership in this very challenging time.

Sincerely,

Sabrina Pence  
FirstLine Schools CEO