



## DHS UPDATES: March 27, 2020

Below are reminders and updates for the week! For previous DHS Updates please visit our website here: [DHS Weekly Updates](#). All are encouraged to follow DHS on Twitter at [@TweetDHS](#) and to use the Danvers Public Schools app. and the [DHS website](#) to keep up to date on all things Falcons. We are here to help and to be sure every student is getting what they need to succeed!

We are thinking of you all during these trying times. Thank you for your caring, communication and flexibility over the past few weeks.

1. **School Closure** - DHS, and all Massachusetts schools, will be closed until May 4th.

2. **Spring 2020 Athletics Season** - The MIAA announced they have moved back the start of the Spring 2020 season to May 4th.

3. **DHS Remote Learning Plan** - Danvers Public Schools is moving forward with the next phase of our Remote Learning Plan. At DHS, here is an overview of the plan:

**-Week of March 30th - April 3rd):** Students can be:

1. Completing and turning in any missing/incomplete work from Quarter 3 that was assigned up through March 12th (last day prior to school closing) and
2. Continuing to work on optional learning opportunities posted on Google Classroom. Additional resources for learning can be found on the Danvers Public Schools website: [Keeping Danvers Students Engaged Website](#)

**-April 6th - May 4th:** Students should be checking their Google Classroom pages for assignments. Students will be given credit for submitting their work. Students are expected to complete and turn in work assigned beginning on April 6th.

-Please contact us with questions. Special education questions can be directed to your child(ren)'s special education liaison.

Additional information can be found on the Danvers Public Schools website: [Remote Learning Frequently Asked Questions](#)

#### 4. **Report Cards**

**Quarter 3** will now end on Thursday, April 9th for all students. Students will be given credit for submitting their work. Students are encouraged to turn in any missing/incomplete work for Quarter 3 by April 9th.

**5. Class of 2020** - we are all thinking of our Seniors and will continue to work with families and students to think creatively on how to continue to make senior year a special one! We do have some updates for the Class of 2020:

-The Internship Program has been canceled this year

-The last school day for Seniors will be May 29th, and graduation is still currently scheduled for June 6th.

-As this situation evolves we will continue to keep everyone informed about senior events (Prom, Senior Week, Graduation, etc.)

-We met virtually with the Class of 2020 and NHS student officers this week to gather student feedback. We encourage students and families to continue to ask questions and provide ideas on how we can continue to support the Class of 2020 and all students at DHS.

**6. Social Distancing and Preventative Care** - We urge families to follow the guidance and direction from Governor Baker, including practicing social distancing and preventative care. More details on the COVID-19 outbreak can be found at [mass.gov](https://www.mass.gov).

#### Closing

We will continue to post daily announcements on Google Classroom pages (Class of 2023 page, etc.). We also are posting a video from our team each day on Class pages and Twitter - the links to this past week's videos are here:

[Monday - Dr. Gerade](#)

[Tuesday - Dr. Colombino](#)

[Wednesday - Mr. Emberley](#)

[Thursday - Mr. DiMauro](#)

[Friday - Mr. St. Pierre](#)

Keep staying positive - working together as a community we can accomplish anything - enjoy the weekend!

Best,

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