



March 13, 2020

Dear UPCS 6-12 Families:

In an effort to keep everyone updated on the latest information concerning the Coronavirus pandemic, UPCS is sharing the following:

Governor Wolf has closed all school buildings in Pennsylvania for at least the next two weeks.

To continue to provide education for your child Urban Pathways 6-12 Charter School will be conducting school online from March 17 to March 27.

Students will need to come to the school on TUESDAY, March 17 between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm to pick up a Chromebook, a charger, and a packet of work. Classes will move forward utilizing online tools that the students are familiar with from use in the classroom. ALL classwork will be delivered online. The teachers will use the Google Classroom platform to deliver the instruction to the students. Teachers will provide virtual support throughout the process, including scheduled time for office hours to ask questions. Students will be held accountable to complete the online work assigned during the closure.

Our Special Education staff will work closely with the core content teachers to modify lessons and/or provide accommodations in order to meet the needs of students' IEPs.

Students will need to clean out their lockers so the school can be disinfected during the closure.

We ask for the patience and assistance of all the UPCS 6-12 families as we move forward during these unprecedented events. Our intention is to provide clear communications to everyone involved at UPCS 6-12 as information becomes available. Please visit our website: www.upcs.net for the very latest information.

Sincerely,

Ms. Kathleen Garland
CEO / Principal