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## March 15, 2020 - Executive Order to temporarily close schools

Governor Walz has issued an Emergency Executive Order to temporarily close schools from Wednesday, March 18 to Friday, March 27. The Governor stated, "...such action is warranted to allow for planning to continue to provide a world-class education, while preserving the health, safety, and lives of Minnesotans." He further states, "Allowing schools and school districts time to plan without students in the classroom will benefit all of Minnesota." This closure is intended to provide necessary planning time regarding the actions schools will take if an extended closure period makes remote learning necessary.

[The Executive Order for this closure is found here.](#) Please note on page 2, item 2, the strong encouragement to "private schools to fulfill the spirit and directives of this Executive Order." **Legacy is choosing to follow the governor's directive to close school through March 27. Legacy is already on Spring Break until March 22. Legacy will be closed the week of March 23-27 for all students while teachers and staff plan and prepare for remote learning along with the rest of the state of Minnesota.**

Legacy has already started our preparation for remote learning and will continue to finalize that plan over the next few days with our Leadership Team and the Board. A more detailed plan, along with answers to other questions the community may be asking, will be provided by the end of the week.

One of Legacy's greatest blessings will continue to shine during this time: our community. Nowhere have I experienced a group of families who hope in Christ, support one another, and persevere in the midst of challenges like our Legacy community.

I am so glad you are a part of this community; Legacy is committed to supporting you and your student(s) during this time to meet their learning and spiritual needs in a meaningful way.

In Christ,  
Jake Mulvihill, Head of School