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To: Students, Parents, Faculty, and Staff of Hamilton County School District

From: Philip H. Pinello, Assistant Superintendent ^{FHP}

Date: August 30, 2019

Re: School Closure -- Hurricane Dorian

The Hamilton County School District in conjunction with Hamilton County Emergency Management are working together for the most up to date predictions and safety recommendations concerning Hurricane Dorian in Hamilton County.

The Hamilton County School District and all public schools in Hamilton County will be closed on Tuesday, September 3, 2019.

Normal school operations will resume for all students and staff on Wednesday, September 4, 2019 unless notified otherwise. If there are any changes in the weather pattern that would impact school next week, we will update the community in a timely manner.

The safety and security of our students/staff is our first concern. As Hurricane Dorian approaches, wind and rain are the major concerns for our students and busing transportation.

To monitor local conditions, please use Hamilton County Emergency Management's website: <http://www.hamcoem.com/> or search for their Facebook page: Hamilton County Emergency Management.

You can also view HCHS's WeatherSTEM system at <https://hamilton.weatherstem.com/hchs> The WeatherSTEM system provides a link for text/e-mail alerts and to a WeatherSTEM Facebook and Twitter page for weather updates directly to your social media feeds.

In the case of a local emergency during this storm, please dial 911. Emergency Management, the Sheriff's department, fire and rescue, and all local law enforcement are organized, prepared, and standing by to serve the needs of Hamilton County.