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Hello GMS Families,

I hope that this letter finds you healthy and well during the extended school closure. As you know, all RPS schools will be closed through, at least, April 6th. During this time, I will continue to post information on our Twitter account (@GMSRevere), Facebook page (@GarfieldMiddleSchoolRevereMA), and on our school website. Students should also check their school email regularly.

This is certainly an unprecedented time and difficult for families. Our teachers and counselors have been hard at work developing resources and activities to ensure that our students are able to keep their minds and bodies active while not in the classroom. A link to the assignments will be posted on the school and district webpages. Students may also continue to login to their google classrooms, as they have been doing all year, to access assignments to keep them engaged with their learning while at home. New material will be uploaded regularly, so students should continue to check the site and their teacher’s class pages.

On top of this, our friends at FEV Tutoring, who we have partnered with this year, have generously offered to provide their services to all GMS students during this difficult time. FEV Tutor takes a creative approach to delivering students the 1-on-1 support they need to grow academically. GMS students will have the opportunity to work with their own professional tutor on an engaging web-based platform at zero cost to the family. A text message has been sent regarding this unique opportunity.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me with any questions or concerns.

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