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Important Updates

Dear Timberland School Community,

I wanted to share with you updates about the school calendar as a result of last night's school board meeting. The first concerns confirmation about April vacation and the second is about the last day of school.

APRIL VACATION

The district will break from remote instruction for the week of April 27-May 1. We recognize, that for our staff, this is a much-needed respite from the demands of remote instruction given the short notice we received to implement this program. This break will allow us to reflect on our processes and delivery of services apart from our daily district requirements. We also believe our district families will benefit from this break.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

The School Board has set the last day of school for the 2019-20 school year as Friday, May 29, 2020. Upon review of instruction hours to date and of those anticipated, Timberlane meets the NH Department of Education's required number of hours to complete the school year on May 29th. We will continue to look at options for end of year activities. For the immediate future, our focus will be on our constant commitment to deliver meaningful instruction to all our students.

I will continue to keep you updated on school district news and initiatives as they arise.

Thank you for your support. Stay home and stay safe.

Sincerely,

Dr. Earl Metzler.

Superintendent of Schools