



The state of Minnesota announced Sunday that all K-12 schools would be closed Wednesday, Mar. 18 through Friday, Mar. 27, 2020 for school staff to make future plans in response to minimizing the spread of COVID-19.

Hastings Public Schools is on spring break this week, and Kid's Campus school-age care will still be provided for families who enrolled in the program to receive care only this week. Regular Kid's Campus will be closed after spring break.

Beginning on Monday, Mar. 23 child care will only be provided for Priority Categories of Emergency Workers. For definitions on who qualifies, visit the Minnesota Department of Education's Priority Categories of Emergency Workers listed

at <https://education.mn.gov/MDE/dse/health/covid19/>

Please note registration for these qualifying families will be open soon

at: <https://hastings.ce.eleyo.com/>

All other school district and community education programs serving adults and youth, including facility rentals will be closed Tuesday, Mar. 17 at least through Sunday, Mar. 29, 2020, following the executive order from the state of Minnesota.

Hastings Public Schools and Hastings Community Education programs are together closely monitoring the respiratory illness novel coronavirus or COVID-19 and has a coordinated management planning effort to guide action steps in this situation. The district and community education programs will continue to follow the expert guidance from the United States Centers for Disease Control, the Minnesota Department of Health, and county public health agencies.

Learn more about COVID-19 and its status in Minnesota on the Minnesota Department of Health website or by calling the MDH information line at 651-201-3920 or follow Hastings Public Schools updates at http://www.hastings.k12.mn.us/.../w.../coronavirus_response_plan