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Dear Lakeland Union High School and STAR Academy Parents and Guardians,

This is District Administrator Rob Way calling to wish you well and to update you on the LUHS District closure. As you may know, Governor Evers has directed DHS to extend Safer at Home order and that schools will not return this school year.

So, it is with a heavy heart that I am sharing with you that Lakeland Union High School will be closed for the remainder of the school year. We will continue with our remote learning plan. Also, we will be working on planning for important end of the year activities and tasks including graduation ceremony, scholarship presentation and picking up student items from school in the upcoming weeks.

What kids need right now is to feel comforted and loved. To feel like it's all going to be ok. And that might mean that you change your schedule and love on your kids more. Be mindful of your students' progress of learning-yet don't obsess about it. Teachers will continue to adjust and modify as they are experts in personalizing teaching and learning. As much as you can, create a peaceful, calm home. Your kids' mental health is the most important to remember at this time.

One of the mysteries of life is that memory can often bring us closer to each other than physical presence. From distance, through memory, we see each other in a new way. It is my hope that when we look back at this time that we remember a time of healing and growth as individuals, and in our Lakeland Proud communities.

With faith and gratitude,

Robert Way

District Administrator