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Dear Westmount Families,

We hope that this letter finds you and your family well. As we navigate these uncharted waters, we want you to know that we are thinking about you. We know that this time will be challenging for all of us, but please know that we are here to support you!

On Tuesday, March 17th, the Ministry of Education announced a pause period for school programming in Saskatchewan from Friday, March 20th to Friday, March 27th. As a result of this announcement, Prairie South has activated their Business Continuity Plan which will see a stoppage of work throughout the school division with the exception of essential business services.

When the pause is lifted, our teachers will reach out to provide instructional support for our students and resources for parents. This will be in the form of offline (mailouts) and online learning opportunities. Until then we ask that students read and write daily as well as participate in various types of literacy and numeracy games. Students have access to a variety of online educational tools at school and these same tools can be accessed from home.

During this time, it is important to keep our sense of community. Please continue to stay connected through our Facebook Page, the school website, and our very own YouTube channel. Once the pause period for school programming has been lifted, Westmount School will continue with school wide traditions such as: Morning Announcements, the weekly drawing challenge, and the monthly mantra. In addition, our teachers will be recording readings of their favourite picture books and posting them on the school YouTube Channel.

We are committed to staying connected to our students and to our families! We miss you and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Take care, stay healthy and stay connected,
The Staff at Westmount School