

March 17, 2020

Dear Mayfield administrators, teachers, staff, parents, students and community,

On behalf of the Mayfield Board of Education, I want to thank every one of you for your strength, patience and adaptation during this unprecedented time in our world, in our nation and in our schools.

The coronavirus pandemic is a reality that is changing every day and hour by hour.

The decision by Ohio Governor Mike DeWine to close all Ohio school facilities, restaurants, bars and theaters, along with the declaration to postpone Ohio's primary election today, signifies the critical importance to slow the spread of this novel virus.

Mayfield City Schools is well-prepared to conduct online, remote learning for all of students Pre-K - Grade 12, beginning March 30, 2020. While it is unprecedented and, of course, especially disappointing for all of our students, Mayfield teachers, staff and administrators are prepared to best serve and educate our students. It is important to note that Mayfield City Schools' facilities are closed, but instruction will continue, per Governor DeWine's order.

I want to thank every member of our staff for their expertise, flexibility and tireless work to prepare Mayfield City Schools to work through this unforeseeable crisis: IT/Technology, Food service, Drivers, Buildings and Grounds, Maintenance, Custodians, Monitors, Paraprofessionals, Secretaries, Teachers, Payroll, Assistants, and the parents/guardians of our students. As is the "Mayfield Way," we stand together.

The safety of our students, teachers, staff and community is our highest priority. Please continue to adhere to the recommendations of our national, state and local health officials and leaders - wash your hands and do your best to practice social distancing and limit gatherings to 10 people or less. If you are ill or think you may be, please stay home and seek direction from your physician.

More information about how Mayfield City Schools is addressing this crisis can be found on our website [Mayfield City Schools Coronavirus Information and Resources](#).

Mayfield family, remember, together we will because together, we must.

Sincerely,

Mayfield Board of Education  
Mr. Ron Fornaro, President  
Mr. Jimmy Teresi, Vice President  
Ms. Sue Groszek  
Mr. Al Hess  
Mr. George Hughes