

Dear ACEA Family:

As a school community, we have entered into a time like no other. We know the strain and difficulties these next few weeks will put on our families and community at ACEA, we always talk about how we look at our staff and students as family. With that said, Mr. Simonds, Marko and myself are available to talk to any of our students through any anxiety, stress, or problems that they might be facing. As you know, all of the ACEA staff is here to support you as well. Please reach out to us if you need someone to talk to, have concerns, or need help.

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As far as instruction and academics, it has been communicated to all Michigan schools that at this time distance learning does not count toward instructional time. However, the State Superintendent has assured us that they are working to address this issue. As a staff we want to continue to engage students academically the best we can at while they are at home. Students can continue to work on their on-line courses through Edgenuity. We will be meeting as a staff within the next day or two to discuss ways to continue to provide supplemental learning opportunities for students during this school closure. I want to thank all of you for your patience as information and details change at a rapid pace. We will get through this together. Please watch for updates within the next few days on Remind and Facebook. We will have food available this week to help for the next two weeks. Pick up times will be Wednesday 12:00-2:00 p.m. and Thursday 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. If you've already talked to Becky about food this week, we have you on the list, if not, please email me or call the office at (989) 631-5202 x215 by Wednesday.

Thank you,

Michelle Zielinski