



March 12, 2020

**RE: School Closure**

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Due to the Governor's mandate that all public schools in the state of Maryland are closed through March 27, 2020, *The Catholic High School of Baltimore* will follow this directive.

**The school is open tomorrow, Friday March 13, 2020, for faculty and staff only.** However, we will allow students to enter the building between the hours of 8:30 AM and 2:30 PM to retrieve necessary belongings in order to further the continuity of learning while school is closed.

The Sophomore Dance is postponed and will be held at a later date. The spring musical, Disney's *Beauty and the Beast*, is also postponed.

Students will be able to contact their teachers and administrators each school day via email. Students were informed today about the plan for continuing their education while school is closed.

To date, there have been no suspected cases of COVID-19 in the Catholic High community. Should your daughter become ill with a virus during the next two weeks, kindly email our school nurse, Mrs. Barbara Maher at [bmaher@thecatholichighschool.org](mailto:bmaher@thecatholichighschool.org). This is important as we must monitor the health and safety of our school community.

On behalf of the Catholic High community, we want to thank you for your understanding of this unprecedented situation. May God bless you and your families. We pray for your continued good health.

Respectfully,

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President

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