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**Welcome to Wednesday's update from the Superintendent. Amid the uncertainty that we are experiencing, one thing remains constant—our community partners are working hard to ensure the public's health is protected and that precautions are being taken to protect the citizens of Ashe County. Kudos to these folks.**

**Be on the lookout for report cards—they will be mailed on Monday, March 23.**

**Middle grade students who have computer access—Mr. Farmer wants you to check your email every day.**

**Parents—Please contact your school between 9:30-1:30 if you need meals.**

**I encourage everyone to always keep your contact information up-to-date at the school level in case they need to get in touch with you.**

**I know many of you are concerned about getting your possessions from school. If the school closings extend beyond next Friday, March 27, we will have a plan in place for students to pick up their belongings.**

**This was Day 2 for Child Nutrition—they served 495 breakfast and 495 lunch meals today. In addition to the curb-side pickups, we had several volunteers who helped to deliver meals to those who were unable to come on-site. Kudos to our CN ladies and our school volunteers.**

**Our teachers and instructional support staff are still preparing instructional resources and making plans should schools remain closed beyond March 30. Reach out to your school if you have any questions or concerns.**

**These are challenging times but I know implementing these temporary adjustments will help minimize the impact of the virus. Let's all take care of one another—that is what community is all about.**

**Students—Fun fact—most people can't lick their elbow—try it!! Hope you had a good day, take care and hope to see you soon!!!**