

Dear Saint Ursula Academy Community,

The COVID-19 situation is evolving at a rapid pace. We want to keep you up to date and informed on the latest information that affects our school community. At this time, our school community does not have any confirmed cases of coronavirus.

We continue to look to the CDC, Governor DeWine, and the local health department to keep us well-informed as we make decisions.

Our first communications started with **Awareness and Information** about the virus and progressed to **Prevention** and tips to keep you healthy. We are responding to the CDC recommendation for **Social Distancing** practices to reduce the spread of the novel coronavirus.

We expect Governor DeWine to issue new orders today on **Social Distancing** and mass gatherings. That will impact our next steps.

We are finalizing our short and long term plans. We will communicate the details of our next steps for SUA's instructional practices via email at **1:00 pm Friday, March 13**. This will be a critical update and we ask you all to read it carefully.

We will share this and all of our updates on a special section of our website dedicated to COVID-19 information. It includes several resources to keep you informed. You can find the **Coronavirus Planning and Information** section on the homepage (www.saintursula.org) or under the Family Resources section of the site.

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SOCIAL DISTANCING DEFINITION: *Social distancing measures are taken to restrict when and where people can gather to stop or slow the spread of infectious diseases. Social distancing measures include limiting large groups of people coming together, closing buildings and canceling events.*