



March 13, 2020

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

As you are aware the Medical Officer of Health recommended the closure of all Public Schools in Ontario for an extended March Break, due to the COVID-19 virus.

Local school Boards have confirmed that all schools will be closed from March 14-April 5, 2020. Kids & Us will not have access to our school spaces for this time. **We regret to inform you that all Kids & Us programs offered in Schools will be closed From March 14- April 5, 2020. This includes; EarlyON Programs, Childcare Programs, March Break and School Age Programs.**

In addition, Grey County has provided this notice - **Until further notice, all EarlyON Child and Family Centres programming will be cancelled from March 14, 2020 to April 5, 2020 as a precaution related to COVID-19.**

The following childcare centres will be closed;

- Dundalk Kids & Us
- Paisley Kids & Us

At this time, the following childcare centres will remain open, with screening and additional cleaning/disinfecting measures in place;

- Osprey Kids & Us
- Holstein Kids & Us
- Markdale Kids & Us
- Durham Kids & Us

Please follow the links provided for school updates.

http://www.bwdsb.on.ca/Parents/Wuhan_novel_coronavirus

<https://www.bgcdsb.org/>

We are following recommendations of the Provincial Chief Medical Officer in dealing with the COVID-19 Virus. Please ensure that you are following a trusted source for information. There are links provided below.

<https://www.ontario.ca/page/2019-novel-coronavirus#section-0>

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

We understand inconveniences that this might cause, but we must keep the health and well-being of our communities in mind.

Sincerely,

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