



Friendship Aspire Arkansas, Inc.

Friendship Aspire Academy Public
Charter Schools

Dear Friendship Families:

The health, welfare, and safety of students remains a priority for us at Friendship. Per the directives from the Arkansas Department of Education, and the Department of Health, we will be closing both Friendship Aspire Academy at Pine Bluff and Little Rock until further notice, effective immediately.

Please also note, your child will come home with an AMI homework packet. The packet can also be found on our website. We are also setting up Google Voice (teacher's numbers are posted on Class Dojo) so you and your child can call your child's teachers if you need assistance with their packets. Please ensure you have class dojo as we will communicate through that platform as well as our website and other social media platforms for further information.

The best course of action is to remain at home and to continue to follow the tips we suggested last week. These tips - practiced daily are the best defense to keep you and your family well.

1. Clean your hands often. Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place, or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing. If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
2. Avoid close contact with people who are sick. Put distance between yourself and other people.
3. Cover coughs and sneezes. Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or use the inside of your elbow.
4. If you are sick or caring for someone who is sick, wear a facemask.
5. Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily.

Sincerely

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Superintendent