



For Immediate Release

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**DISTRICT AND SCHOOL OFFICES TO CLOSE TEMPORARILY TO THE PUBLIC
BEGINNING MARCH 30, 2020**

As the COVID-19 situation continues to unfold, the Hamilton County School District will be making adjustments to normal business operations as needed to protect the health of staff and students. With the number of positive COVID-19 cases increasing, the district must take additional precautions to meet the challenges of these difficult times. **As a result of a review of the most recent information, the school district will begin full virtual operations on Monday, March 30th.** All district offices and facilities will be closed to the public but services will be accessible virtually. This will continue until at least April 14th or until a directive is given to return students to the campus. One essential piece of this plan is to have each school and department accessible by phone during the 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. business hours that we will be observing during this time. To reach a particular department in the district, please call (386) 792-7800 and pick the option that corresponds to your choice. Emails may also be sent to sherry.bush@hamiltonfl.com for assistance.